



Sophia M. Pickett

October 31, 1999

Funeral services for Sophia M. Pickett, 87, of 213 W. Sandusky St., Wharton, will be held at 1 p.m. Wednesday at Shields Funeral Home, Forest, the Rev. Joe Searfoss officiating. Burial will be in Riverview Cemetery, Mount Blanchard.

Visitation will be held from 2-8 p.m. today at the funeral home.

Mrs. Pickett died at 6:18 p.m. Sunday, Oct. 31, 1999 at Blanchard Valley Regional Health Center, Findlay.

She was born April 14, 1912 in Stamford, Conn. to Peter and Mary (Yurkn) Strelakos. She married Harlan H. Pickett on March 22, 1935, and he died Nov. 20, 1989.

Surviving are three daughters, Mrs. Marlin (Virginia) Bishop, Mount Blanchard; Mrs. David (Mary) Hartman and Mrs. William (Patricia) Feister, both of Findlay; two sons, James E. of Mount Blanchard; Robert A. of New Albany; 22 grandchildren; 15 great-grandchildren; and a brother, Tony Lazza, Wharton.

She was preceded in death by a daughter, Shirley Herder; two brothers and two sisters.

Mrs. Pickett was a homemaker.

She attended Wharton United Methodist Church, and was a member of Mount Blanchard Senior Citizens.

Memorials may be made to the church or to a charity of the donor's choice.