



Eleanor Balsbaugh

June 24, 1914 - April 8, 2013

Eleanor Balsbaugh, 98, a longtime Rush County resident, passed away April 8, 2013 in Rushville. She was born June 24, 1914 in Brown County, OH. to Dr. D.C. & Ethel (Kibbler) Hancock. Eleanor was a 1932 graduate of Mays High School and attended Ball State University for two years. She married Clyde E. Balsbaugh on August 15, 1947 and he preceded her in death on January 6, 1996.

Eleanor lived many years in Indianapolis. She worked for Zayre's Department Store as manager of the Fabric Department and worked in assembly many years at Naval Avionics. She was a longtime member of the Center Christian Church, a 50 year member of the former Knightstown OES #54, the Mays Study Club and the Mays Symposium.

She is survived by a son, Richard "Rick" & wife Debbie Balsbaugh of Champaign, IL., a daughter, Sheridan Lee "Sherry" & husband David Payton of Waldron, grandchildren, Deborah Machel Adair, Denise Marie & husband Ezra Clemons, Amy Michelle Marie & husband Adam Wilkie, Colin, Trevor Scott & Blake Philip Balsbaugh, great grandchildren, Pamela Kay Niehouse, Megan Lynn Carter, Madison Joy & Brooklyn Ann Wilkie and great-great granddaughter, Lyla Jade Riddle. In addition to her parents & husband, Eleanor was preceded in death by a son, Dennis-2004 and a sister, Jean Fowler.

Services will be held at Noon on Friday, April 12, at Moster Mortuary, Rushville, with Rev. Bill Worrell presiding. Friends are welcome to visit at the

mortuary from 10 AM until time of service on Friday. There will be an OES service immediately prior to services. Burial will be in the Washington Park East Cemetery in Indianapolis.

Memorial contributions may be made to the Center Christian Church.

Tribute Wall



“ *Eleanor Balsbaugh*

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