



Dorothy A. Wheatley

September 9, 1922 - November 15, 2009

87, passed away November 15, 2009. She was born September 9, 1922 to Leo C. and Margaret Reisert Suesz. Dorothy was a life long resident of Indianapolis, having lived in her Irvington home for 62 years. She worked for Warner Brothers in the 1940s, and later worked for 13 years at the home office of the Christian Church, Disciples of Christ. She was a member of Our Lady of Lourdes Catholic Church for over 60 years. Dorothy was an avid bowler, having bowled in many leagues on the East Side. Dorothy will be greatly missed by all who knew and loved her. Visitation will be Friday, November 20, 2009 from 9:00 a.m. until 11:00 a.m. at Shirley Brothers Irving Hill Chapel, 5377 E. Washington St. A Mass of Christian Burial will follow at 11:30 a.m. at Our Lady of Lourdes Catholic Church, 5333 E. Washington St. Dorothy is survived by her loving children, Sandra (Stephen) Koers, Nancy (Tim) Mulder, Thomas, Jack, Victoria, Susan (Michael) Wootan, Christopher (Pamela), and Wayne Wheatley; 15 grandchildren; 9 great-grandchildren; and a sister, Joanne Huffaker. Dorothy is preceded in death by her loving husband of 60 years, Edwin; her parents; brother, Leonard Suesz; and sister, Margie Miller. The family thanks Crestwood Village East Assisted Living, and St. Vincent Hospice for their care in Dorothy's last few months. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to the National Kidney Foundation of Indiana, or the Indiana Organ Procurement Organization, in honor of her two children and one grandchild who have received kidney transplants.