

Mary E. (Rhoades) Baer, (22 Dec 1923 – 23 Nov 2010), Perry County Times, Thursday, December 2, 2010

Mary E. Baer, 86, formerly of New Bloomfield, died Tuesday, Nov. 23, 2010 at Country Meadows Assisted Living, Mechanicsburg.

She was born Dec. 22, 1923 in Newport to **Clarence** and **Alma (Beers) Rhoades**.

She was retired from the Harrisburg State Hospital and a homemaker, and a member of Snyder's United Methodist Church, New Bloomfield.

She was the widow of **Harold E. Baer**.

Surviving are three sons, **Ronald E.** of Bethel, **Dennis A.** of Hilton Head, N.C., and **Leonard W.** of Mechanicsburg; two sisters and a brother, **Ruth Miller**, **Lucretta Minton** and **Robert Rhoades**; seven grandchildren; 18 great-grandchildren; and six great-great-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by two daughters, **Donna J.** and **Marilyn E.**; five brothers, **David**, **Elwood**, **Claire**, **Lenus** and **Marcus**; and a sister, **Naomi Smith**.

Services were held Nov. 26 in her church with the Rev. William Pipp officiating. Burial was in Snyder's Cemetery.

Boyer Funeral Home, New Bloomfield, handled arrangements.

Memorial contributions may be made to Hospice of Central Pennsylvania, 98 S. Enola Drive, P.O. Box 266, Enola 17025.