

**Helen M. (Rhoades) Kennedy Cox**, (15 Dec 1933 – 3 May 2012), Patriot-News, Friday, May 4, 2012

NEWPORT: **Helen M. Kennedy Cox**, 78 years old, passed away Thursday, May 3, 2012 at her home in Oliver Township, Newport.

She was born December 15, 1933 in Centre Township to **Lawrence W.** and **Nellie (Holley) Rhoades**.

She had worked for the Comm. of Pa. and retired from the Newport School District where she worked in the cafeteria. She was a member of the Perry Valley Grange, Newport Fire Co. Auxillary and Parents and Friends Assn of the Selinsgrove Center. She attended Mt. Olivet Church of the Brethren.

Helen was preceded in death by her husband, **David Z. Kennedy** and is survived by her husband, **Dale T. Cox**; children, **David Z. Kennedy Jr.** and wife **Judy** of Newport, **Dennis L. Kennedy** of Selinsgrove and **Debora M. Heimes** and husband **Walter, Jr.** of Newport; step daughters, **Sherry Latchford** of Newport, **Kerry Knowlton** of Va. and **Roxy Cressler** of Dillsburg; sister, **Shirley Clouser** of Newport; grandchildren, **Jackie** and **David Kennedy** of Newport and **Andy Heimes** of Ohio; five step grandchildren and three step great grandchildren.

Family and friends are invited to services on Tuesday at Mt Olivet Church of the Brethren with a viewing from 10AM until the funeral service at 11 AM.

Burial will follow in the Deardorff Cemetery.

Memorial contributions may be made to Mt. Olivet Church of the Brethren, 1876 Turkey Bird Rd. Newport 17074.

Arrangements by the David Myers Funeral Home, Newport.