



90 year old, Esther Richards of Rensselaer passed away December 30, 2014 at her home.

On March 30, 1924, Esther was born in DeMotte, Indiana to Joseph and Martha (Volkman) Ruisard. Esther graduated from DeMotte High School. She loved working at Wal-Mart in the ladies department, and did so until she was 85 years old. Esther loved watching birds during the day, and the stars at night. Esther loving being outdoors and taking care of her flower garden with iris and yellow roses. Esther was a member of the Virgie Christian Church and wrote and edited the Church newsletter. Esther was

a member of the DeMotte Historical Society.

Esther is survived by her children: Pauline Boring, Philip Richards, Andy (Sandy) Richards, and Marcia (Chip) Murray, 6 grandchildren, 10 great-grandchildren and 2 great-great-grandchildren, and brother Herbert (Mae) Ruisard.

Esther was preceded in death by: her parents, 3 siblings: 2 sisters: Florence & Frances, and 1 brother: Joseph.

Friends are invited to attend a Memorial Service on January 11, 2014 at 2:00 p.m. at the Virgie Christian Church, Virgie, Indiana, with Chip Murray officiating.

In lieu of flowers memorials may be made to the Virgie Christian Church or the DeMotte Historical Society.

Boersma Funeral Home, Wheatfield has been entrusted with these arrangements. Visit www.boersmafuneralhome.com