

HELEN WILCOX, 99

Helen Velma West Wilcox was born March 22, 1909, at her parents' home on a farm in the LaMoille area, daughter of Mabel Nelson West and Simeon Caleb West. She received early education in the LaMoille area, moving to Marshalltown in 1919 and graduated from Marshalltown High School in 1926. She worked for Lennox Furnace Company and Reuben Donnelly Corporation. On December 7, 1929, she married Florian Amaden Wilcox. They moved back to the farm in the LaMoille area in 1932, where she spent the rest of her life.

She was preceded in death by her husband, her parents, two brothers, and an infant son. She is survived by two daughters, Barbara Lee Scafferi and Beverly Kay (Dennis) Collins; five grandchildren, Deborah (Joel) Rohne, Tim (Donna) Switzer, Brad Switzer, Beth (Michael) Haworth, Pamela (Matt) Osborne, and ten great grandchildren, Patrick Medicus, Ross Sederburg, Tom Switzer, Ryan Switzer, Mary Rohne, Christopher

Haworth, Andrew Haworth, Haley Switzer, Brad Haworth, and Colton Switzer.

She was a member of the LaMoille Congregational Church, the Women's Fellowship, and the Starry Grove Club.

She passed from this world on October 16, 2008.

Services for Helen were held at LaMoille Congregational Church on Sunday, October 19, 2008.

Memorials can be made to LaMoille Congregational Church or to the Elmwood Cemetery in Helen's name.

Burial will be at Elmwood Cemetery near LaMoille.

