



Eleanor Bartek

March 8, 2008

Eleanor L. Bartek, 77, formerly of Seattle, WA, passed into the presence of the Lord on March 3, 2008 at the Oaks Skilled Nursing Center at Bethany Village West in Mechanicsburg. Eleanor was born in Belle Vernon on January 23, 1931 to the late John and Maria (Mary) Klanduck Bartek. In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by four sisters, Margaret Radich, Catherine Baron, Anne Tylka and Mary Buchanan. She is survived by many nieces, nephews and a couple generations of their children. She attended Robert Wesleyan College in the Rochester, NY area where she taught elementary education for three years. She then moved to the Seattle, WA area where she taught and loved her students for 37 years. In Seattle, she was a member of the United Evangelical Free Church and loved to support missions with her prayers and finances. During this lifetime, Eleanor traveled to many states and countries around the world with her close friends. She always had great stories about her adventures. Although besieged by many physical challenges, she loved life and people. She did much good for the Lord and her mission friends. Eleanor moved from Seattle to Mechanicsburg, PA in January 2003, living at Messiah Village, and then moving to Bethany Village Assisted Living and her cozy apartment there. In the early morning hours of Monday, March 3, 2008, she passed into the presence of her Lord, and finally met her Jesus face to face! Friends will be received Friday from 7 to 9 P.M. in the Ferguson Funeral Home and Crematory, Inc., (724-929-5300), 700 Broad Avenue, Belle Vernon, www.FergusonFuneralHomeAndCrematory.com.

com. Funeral services will be in the funeral home on Saturday at 10:00 A.M. with Rev. Eugene Spears officiating. Interment will follow in Belle Vernon Cemetery. If friends wish, memorial contributions may be made to the Char-Belle Free Methodist Church, corner of Speer and Arch Streets, Belle Vernon, PA 15012