



Esther S. (Sholley) Hopple

March 21, 1933 - March 21, 2015

Esther S. (Sholley) Hopple, 82, Lebanon, passed into the loving arms of her Heavenly Father on Saturday, March 21, 2015 at the Good Samaritan Hospital. She was born on, and named in honor of, Easter Sunday, March 27, 1932, daughter of Lanta A. Sholley and Leah B. (Gerberich) Sholley. She was the wife of the late Jack K. Hopple, who passed away in 2006.

She is survived by daughter, Marla, wife of Stephen Ditzler; grandchildren, Sarah Ditzler, Hannah Ditzler, and Adam Doutrich; son-in-law, Alan Doutrich; and sister-in-law, Adora R. Sholley Smith. In addition to her parents and husband, she was preceded in death by daughter, Greta K. (Hopple) Doutrich, and brothers Harry R. Sholley and Lanta A. Sholley, Jr.

Incredibly proud of her grandchildren, she lovingly supported them-as well as other youth- by enthusiastically and frequently attending their musical concerts and productions, sporting events and other school and church activities.

Esther was a long-time member of the Lebanon Church of the Brethren, where she graciously and willingly served in many roles. She also volunteered for numerous community organizations. Trusting and faithfully studying God's word, she enjoyed the blessings of reading numerous daily devotionals and participating in Bible study groups. She encouraged others by sending home-made greeting cards.

After graduating from Lebanon High School, class of 1949, she was employed Lebanon Shoulder Strap Company. Later, she worked for the Bell Telephone

Company in both Lebanon and Lancaster, and then for nearly forty years as church secretary for the Lebanon Church of the Brethren.

A memorial service will be held on Sunday, March 29, 2015, at 2:00 PM from the Lebanon Church of the Brethren, 400 Locust St, Lebanon. The family will greet friends Saturday, from 4 to 5 PM at the church and Sunday beginning at 1 to 2 PM at the church. In lieu of flowers memorial remembrances in Esther's name may be made to her church or the American Cancer Society.

Tribute Wall



“ *Esther S. (Sholley) Hopple*

October 22, 2023 at 10:35 PM



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October 06, 2023 at 08:29 AM



“ *Esther S. (Sholley) Hopple*

October 05, 2023 at 11:43 PM