Marguerite Chick, 81, of Manistee passed away Monday January 24, 2011 after a long and courageous battle with cancer.

She was born December 20, 1929 in Copemish to the late Marlow and Vera Kruwell. She married Marvin Chick, Sr. on January 14, 1950; he preceded her in death on December 25, 2007. From that union are five children, Marvin Jr. (Linda), Pauline, Peter (Lynn), Michael, and Phil (Sara); 17 grandchildren; and 13 great-grandchildren. Also surviving are her sister, Helen (Robert) Hill; brother, Clinton Kruwell; brother-in-law, Jerome (Barbara) Chick; special aunt, Dorothy Wendt, along with numerous nieces, nephews, and cousins.

Marguerite was a communicant of St. Mary of Mount Carmel Shrine where in previous years she served on the Altar Society. She was a member of the Manistee Area Porcelain Artists, having made her family and friends many beautiful keepsakes. She enjoyed sewing and cooking and did lots of both; she also loved collecting lighthouses. Marguerite and her husband loved to go camping, generally taking grandchildren with them.

Per her wishes, cremation has taken place. A Memorial Mass from the Order of Christian Funerals will be celebrated at 11:00 am on Saturday January 29, 2011 at St. Mary of Mount Carmel Shrine in Manistee with Father John McCracken celebrant. The family will receive friends at the church from 10:00 am until time of service.

She will be dearly missed by all who knew her.

The family has entrusted funeral arrangements to Oak Grove Cremation Center in Manistee.