

**Polly Ann Ludwig**, age 86 of Bear Lake died Tuesday June 26, 2012 at Heartland Crestview Health Care Center Wyoming, Michigan.

She was born September 26, 1925 in Kalamazoo, Michigan the daughter of the late Malcolm and Zelma (Kellogg) Polmanteer.

She owned and operated Polly's Village Ceramics from 1972 - 1987 and operated Ludwig's Gypsy Camp Resort in Bear Lake along with her husband, Jim. She was a member of the United Methodist Church and involved with Vision Bear Lake, Bear Lake Promoters, Al Anon, Bear Lake Lioness, Band Boosters, TOPS and Red Hatters.

Polly is survived by her children, Michael (Robin) Ludwig of Bear Lake, Deborah (John) Pranger of Grand Rapids, Jeffery (Priscilla) Ludwig of Georgetown, Colorado, and Charles (Sandy) Ludwig of Manistee; 14 grandchildren; 34 great-grandchildren; and 1 great-great-grandchild; 3 sisters, Charlyne (Robert) Connors of Yuca Valley, CA, Dorothy Hall of Kalamazoo and Sheila (Carl) Adams of Indianapolis, IN. Numerous nieces and nephews also survive.

In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by her husband, James Warren Ludwig on May 24, 2012, and one great-grandchild, Estella Kay Vorce.

Cremation has taken place and a memorial service will be held at Monday July 2 at 11:00 a.m. at Bear Lake United Methodist Church with Reverend Dr. Bobby Cabot officiating. The family will receive friends at the church beginning at 10:00 a.m. Final interment will be in Fairview Cemetery in Bear Lake.

Memorial contributions in Polly's name may be directed to Choices of Manistee or the Bear Lake United Methodist Church.

The family has entrusted funeral arrangements to Oak Grove Funeral Home & Cremation Center in Bear Lake.