Agnes L. Newman age 76 of Manistee, Michigan died unexpectedly, early Wednesday morning, December 8, 2010 at West Shore Medical Center in Manistee. She was born June 26, 1934 in Manistee, Michigan and was the daughter of the late Delbert and Antonia (Filut) Albright. She was a graduate of Manistee High School with the class of 1952. Agnes married Stephen E. Newman on June 19, 1954 at Guardian Angels Catholic Church in Manistee. He preceded her in death on November 6, 1996. She enjoyed spending time with her grandsons, loved to garden and was an avid bowler. She was a member of Guardian Angels Catholic Church of Manistee and a volunteer and member of the West Shore Hospital Auxiliary.

Agnes is survived by three daughters three sons in-law, Diane and Tom Helminiak of Saginaw, MI, Susan and Phil Skiera of Manistee, MI, and Amy and Kevin Paradine of Quincy, MI, one son Daniel Newman of Manistee, MI, five grandsons, Erik and Trent Helminiak both of Saginaw, MI, Ryan and Mathew Newman both of Manistee, MI and Anthony Paradine of Quincy, MI, her sister Joan Witting of Oak Lawn, Illinois, one brother and six sisters in-law, Philip and Jackie Albright of Cocoa Beach, Florida and Ann M. Albright of Onekama, MI, Rosemarie Kramp, Veronica Kolk, Gertrude Sowa and Marilyn Perski all of Manistee, MI, one brother in-law, John Pennekamp of Miami, Florida. Numerous nieces and nephews also survive her.

Agnes was also preceded in death by her infant sister, Marie Albright, her sisters Dolores Pennekamp and Evelyn M. Wilson and by her brothers, John Albright and Norbert F. Albright.

Mass from The Order of Christian Funerals will be celebrated Saturday, December 11, 2010 at 11:00 AM at Guardian Angels Catholic Church in Manistee with Rev. John McCracken celebrant. Burial will follow at Mt. Carmel Cemetery also in Manistee.

The Evening Vigil Service will be prayed Friday evening at 8:00 PM at the Herbert Funeral Home in Manistee where friends may begin calling Friday evening after 6:00 PM. The family will receive friends at the funeral home on Friday evening from 6:00 to 9:00 PM.

Memorials will be established in Agnes name for Manistee Catholic Central Schools and for the West Shore Hospital Auxiliary. Envelopes are available at the funeral home.

The Herbert Funeral Home of Manistee is in charge of funeral arrangements.