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Bertha I. Lane, 96, Decatur, a Portland native, died Wednesday at Woodcrest Nursing Center, Decatur.

Born April 10, 1910, in Portland, to John L. and Sarah (Shell) Gibson, she was married to Robert E. Lane who died on Nov. 21, 1996.

She attended First United Methodist Church in Decatur and retired as manager of Strickler's Mobile Home Park.

Survivors include a son, Robert L. Lane, Fort Wayne; two daughters, Mrs. Mark (Janet S.) Mitzner, Peoria, Ill., and Mrs. Gayle (Judy A.) Ainsworth, Decatur; eight grandchildren; 17 great-grandchildren; two step grandchildren and two step great-grandchildren.

Services are Saturday at 3 p.m. at Haggard and Sefton Funeral Home, Decatur, with the Rev. Ken Mahan officiating. Burial will be in Decatur Cemetery.

Visitation is today from 4 to 8 p.m. at the funeral home.

Memorials may be sent to the First United Methodist Church or Woodcrest Nursing Center.