

Aletta M. Myers, 68, 959 S. Shank St., Portland, died Saturday morning at her residence.

Born in Portland to Paul and Edith (Schlueter) Hutzler on Nov. 5, 1935, she married David Myers on Nov. 21, 1953. He survives.

A homemaker, she had worked at Jay Garment and Modern Book Bindery, both in Portland.

Other survivors include five sons, David Myers Jr., Bryant, Michael "Mick" Myers, Chicago, Richards and Jeff Myers, both of Nappanee, and James Myers, Wakarusa; two brothers, John R. and Paul A. Hutzler, both of Portland; 18 grandchildren; and five great-grandchildren.

Services are Tuesday at 10:30 a.m. in the Baird-Freeman Funeral Home, Portland, with Pastor Steve Boardman officiating.

Burial will follow in the Center Cemetery, west of Portland.

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

Memorials may be made to the American Lung Association or to the State of the Heart Home Health Hospice.

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