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Services for Alice M. Shoemaker, 93, formerly of 1327 East 500 North, Portland, are Wednesday at 1 p.m. in the Baird-Freeman Funeral Home with Dr. Bassam Abdallah and Pastor Mack Goeglein officiating. Burial will be in the Gravel Hill Cemetery west of Bryant.

She died Friday at Miller's Merry Manor Nursing Home, Dunkirk.

Born in Jay County on Jan. 1, 1912, to Edward Oscar and Rachael Catherine (Houser) Krouse, she married Donald E. Shoemaker on Sept. 21, 1935. He died on Oct. 15, 1985.

Retiring from Berne Furniture, she was a homemaker, had worked at Jay Garment and was co-owner of the Bryant Elevator.

A former Bearcreek Township 4-H leader, she was a member of Redeemer Lutheran Church in Bryant and the Gravel Hill Cemetery Board.

Survivors include a daughter, Sharon Huey, Portland; two granddaughters; seven great-grandchildren and two great-great-grandsons.

Visitation is Tuesday from 3 to 7 p.m. at the funeral home.

Memorials may be sent to Redeemer Lutheran Church Organ Fund or Bryant First Responders.

Contributed by Jane Edson