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BETTY L. MARKLE, 67, of Dunkirk, died Monday, Dec. 8, 2008. Arrangements by Williamson & Spencer Funeral Home, Portland Chapel.

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Betty Markle

Dec. 20, 1940-Dec. 8, 2008

Betty L. Markle, 67, 9464 West Ind. 26, Dunkirk, died Monday at St. Joseph Hospital in Fort Wayne following an extended illness.

Born in Salamonia to Jack W. and Gurnsie (Hiser) Hale, she attended Madison Township High School.

She was married on July 25, 1959, to Ralph Markle, who died on Dec. 6, 2006.

Retiring from Franklin Electric in Bluffton in 2000, she was a member of the Moose Lodge Auxiliary in Portland.

Survivors include two sons, Allen W. Markle, Lebanon, Tenn., and Charles R. Markle, Portland; three daughters, Mrs. Allan (Pamela P.) Holly, Ridgeville, Mrs. Dave (Cindy L.) Jefferis, Union City, and Mrs. Mark (Ruth Ann) Twigg, Portland; 17 grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

Services are Thursday at 11 a.m. in the Portland Chapel of the Williamson and Spencer Funeral Home with Pastor Earl Doll officiating. Burial will be in Salamonia Cemetery in Salamonia.

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

Condolences may be sent to www.williamsonspencer.com.

Both contributed by Jane Edson