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Ermel Briggs

July 10, 1921-Nov. 8, 2008

Ermel Briggs, 87, S. Union St., Pennville, died Saturday at Miller's Merry Manor in Dunkirk.

Born in Henry County to James and Josephine Lykins, she was married to James Lawrence Briggs who died in 1977.

She was a member of the Jay County Home Extension Club.

Survivors include a daughter, Patricia Ann Bone, Hartford City; a sister, Vivian Davis, Hartford City; five grandchildren and 11 great-grandchildren.

Private family services will be held. Baird-Freeman Funeral Home is in charge of the arrangements.

Memorials may be sent to the donor's choice.

**Contributed by Jane Edson**