Esther A. Kratochvil, 82

Esther A. Kratochvil, 82, of East Jordan, died Monday, Jan. 5, 2004, at Northern Michigan Hospital in Petoskey.

She was born on Aug. 2, 1921 in the Bohemian settlement near East Jordan, the daughter of Frank and Pearl (Kolasa) Stanek. She is survived by one daughter, Linda (Mike) Spence-Domacz;

three grandchildren, Daniel (Cheryl) Spence of Westley Chapel, Fla., Michael (Teresa) Spence of East Jordan and Aaron (Carolle) Spence of Comstock Park; seven grandchildren, Danny Jr., Joshua, Katie, Steven, Tia, Taylor and Hunter; one sister, Irene (Guy) Russell, of East Jordan; brother, Edward (Cathy) Stanek, of Lansing; as well as a special friend, Lester Hurlbert, of East Jordan.

No services are scheduled at this time. Interment was in Sunset Hill Cemetery, East Jordan.

Memorial contributions may be directed to the East Jordan Ambulance Association.

The family was served by the Penzien Funeral Homes, Inc., East Jordan.