



## Betty E. Kropp

September 2, 2006

Betty E. Kropp, age 80, of Sunrise Beach, passed away Saturday morning, September 2, 2006 at the Laurie Care Center. She was born April 24, 1926 in Buffalo, New York, a daughter of Fredirick and Mildred Ethel Boone Scheifla. After her father's death when she was young, her mother married Harold C. Elliott, who raised her.

She was united in marriage on January 20, 1951 with Raymond Robert Kropp who preceded her in death on August 15, 1992.

Mrs. Kropp was co-owner of the former Shawnee Bend Resort for many years. She was a homemaker, and member of Kent Memorial Lutheran Church in Sunrise Beach.

She is survived by three sons, Raymond Kropp of Naples, FL, Keith E. Kropp of Boxborough, MA, and Mark Kropp of Naples, FL; one daughter, Susan Witte of Merriam, KS; three brothers, Charles Elliott of Dixon, IL, Richard Elliott of Northbrook, IL, and Brian Elliott of Naples, FL; four grandchildren, three great-grandchildren, many other relatives and friends.

Funeral services will be at 2:00 p.m. Thursday, September 7, at the Kidwell-Garber Laurie-Sunrise Beach Chapel in Laurie, with Rev. R. Keith Lingwall officiating. Interment will be in the St. Patrick Cemetery. Casketbearers will be

Gene Halvorson, Jim Kennedy, Bud Kidder, Joe Proch, Fred Tetley and Ted Wheeler. The family will receive friends from 12:00 noon until 2:00 p.m. Thursday at the funeral home. TO send sympathy e-mails for the family visit [www.kidwellgarber.com](http://www.kidwellgarber.com). Memorial contributions are suggested to Christian Health Care Hospice, Laurie Care Center or Kent Memorial Lutheran Church. Arrangements are under the care and direction of the Kidwell-Garber Funeral Home of Versailles.