

BETTY ANN (BAEBLER) WEBBER

Betty Ann (Baebler) Webber, age 72, of New Glarus, left this earth to walk among the moon and stars on Thursday, October 11, 2001.

The former Betty Baebler was born on June 1, 1929 in Monroe, the daughter of Henry V. and Nona (Zweifel) Baebler. She attended Babler Grade School and was a 1946 graduate of Monticello High School. Betty attended Beauty College in Janesville and worked for eight years as a beautician. On July 30, 1950, she was united in marriage to Eugene Webber at the Zwingli United Church of Christ, Monticello. The couple has resided in New Glarus ever since. She was a member of the Swiss United Church of Christ and had taught Sunday School for over twenty-five years. Betty joined the Order of the Eastern Star at the age of 18 and became a lifetime member, she served as Worthy Matron of the Monticello and New Glarus Chapters and participated in countless Eastern Star activities. Betty and Gene operated a milk hauling business for over thirty years with Betty performing the administrative duties as well as riding herd on the Webber's two children, Kirk and Kara. She enjoyed spending time with her family and friends; was an avid reader, an engaging conversationalist, she enjoyed knitting and collecting; Longaberger Baskets. Betty was always a person who could be counted on to help out, she assisted with the local Red Cross Blood Drive and publishing the church newsletter. Through all her activities her family remained her main interest.

Survivors include her husband, Eugene Webber, New Glarus; a son, Kirk Webber, New Glarus, and a daughter Kara (Paul) Schiro, Madison.

She was preceded in death by her parents Henry and Nona.

Funeral services were held on Monday, October 15, 2001 at the Zentner-Beal Funeral Home, New Glarus. The Rev. Marlea Waber and the Rev. Charles Workman officiated Burial was in the Swiss Church Cemetery, New Glarus.