Helen A. Schmidt, 92, of Hebron died at Marion Manor Healthcare Center in Glen Ullin on July 17, 2009. She had been in failing health for some time before her death. Helen was born in Glendive, Montana, on February 11, 1917, the oldest of seven children born to Daniel and Mary (Schroeder) Knopp. She attended Farmers Valley School #5 in Mercer County and resided in the Hebron community her entire life. After her marriage to Henry (Hank) H. Schmidt on November 2, 1944, they farmed north of Hebron in Stark County until his death in 1975. Helen enjoyed sewing, crocheting, baking and gardening. Helen is survived by her sisters, Lydia (Martha) Rosewitz of Whittier, California, Ruth Hilgendorf of Billings, Montana, brothers Edward (Peggy) Knopp of Denver, Colorado, Gilbert (Gertrude) Knopp of Hebron, and many nieces and nephews. Helen was preceded in death by her husband, parents and two brothers, Walter and Arnold. Helen was a member of St. John’s Church in Hebron.
After Glow
I’d like the memory of me
to be a happy one,
I’d like to leave an after glow
of smiles when life is done.
I’d like to leave an echo
whispering softly down the ways,
Of happy times and laughing
times and bright and sunny days.
I’d like the tears of those who
grieve, to dry before the sun
Of happy memories that I leave
When life is done.

Helen Schmidt

FUNERAL SERVICE
Tuesday, July 21, 2009  10:00 a.m.
St. John’s Church
Hebron, North Dakota

PRAYER SERVICE
Monday, July 20, 2009  7:00 p.m.
Spangelo-Stevenson Funeral Home
Hebron, North Dakota

OFFICIATING
Pastor Gaylund Olson

MUSIC
Organist: Janice Olson

PALLBEARERS
Gary Glass                        Bryan Glass
Edgar Reidlinger       Clifford Schmidt
Walter Schmidt       Bernard Schwenk
All of Helen’s nieces and nephews and
great-nieces and great-nephews are considered
Honorary Pallbearers

INTERMENT
St. Ann’s Catholic Cemetery
Hebron, North Dakota

ARRANGEMENTS BY
Spangelo-Stevenson Funeral Home
Hebron, North Dakota

Lunch will be served at St. John’s Church
following the graveside service.
Everyone is Welcome.