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Altie DeRoo, 68, died Sunday at home.

Born in Adams County, she formerly lived in Decatur.

She worked at Adams County Memorial Hospital, Decatur, for about six years and retired from DeRoo Cleaning Service in 1992.

Surviving are her husband, Harry L.; two sons, Brooks Wolfe of Apex, NC, and Kenneth Wolfe of Decatur; a daughter, Donna Meyer of Decatur; three sisters, Goldie Eix of Fort Wayne, Edna Hoffman of Edwardsburg, Mich., and Lois Ballard of Decatur; two stepsons, Roger DeRoo of Monroe and Gene DeRoo of Decatur; a stepdaughter, Michelle Alspaugh of Decatur; four grandchildren; six step-grandchildren; five great grandchildren; and three step great-grandchildren.

Services at 11 am Wednesday at Zwick-Sefton & Jahn Funeral Home, Decatur, with calling from 2 to 5 and 7 to 9 pm today. Burial in Decatur Cemetery. Memorials to Huntington Cancer Society.