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**Obituary**

Salem-Arlene M. Hoopes, age 84, of Salem, died Sunday morning, October 19, 2014. She was born July 14, 1930 in Dog City, Ohio, daughter of the late Ray O. and Sarah E. (Handel) Grim.

She was a loving farmer's wife, mother, grandmother who enjoyed being a homemaker, gardener, cook, and liked to restore old furniture.

Her husband, Glenn E. Hoopes, whom she married on August 25, 1951, preceded her in death October 4, 1989.

Arlene was a Rural mail carrier for the Salem Post Office for 20 years. She worked at Damascus Life Stock Auction-Restaurant. She was a member of Lakeside Mothers Club, Columbiana County Farm Bureau, Damascus Historical Society, and Merry Widows Club. She was an assistant Girl Scout leader, and served at the Damascus Friends Church nursery.

Survivors include three sons, Clark (Marva) Hoopes of Canton, Brian (Susan) Hoopes of Cortland, and Ralph Hoopes of Salem; one daughter, Mary (Dean) Egli of Hartville, Ohio; One sister Mabel Keithley of Pinetop, Arizona; four brothers, Bob, John, Paul, and Bill Grim, seven grandchildren, and seven great grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by three brothers, Louis, Lee, Roger, and two sisters, Susan and Ruth Grim.

Service will be held at 11:00 a.m. on Friday, October 24, 2014 at the Damascus Friends Church Canyonview room (West Entrance) with Pastor John Ryser officiating. Calling hours will be Thursday 6 to 8:00 p.m. at the Church Canyonview room and also one hour prior to the service.

Arrangements were handled by the Stark Memorial Funeral Home.

Her obituary may be viewed and condolences sent online at [www.starkmemorial.com](http://www.starkmemorial.com).