Bonaventura Alfano

Bonaventura Alfano, 99, 616 E. Vaile Ave., died 8:50 p.m. Wednesday, April 24, 2002, at her residence. She was born March 23, 1903, in Siculiana Agrigento, Italy, to Antonio and Margherita (Lo-

Moscolo) Santino. On Feb. 13, 1922, in Italy, she married Stefano Alfano, who preceded her in death April 29, 1960.

She was a member of St. Joan of Arc Catholic Church, the



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Church Alter Rosary Society and Pia Unione Delle Madri Christiane.

She was a homemaker. She loved her family, cooking for them

and gardening.

She is survived by two daughters and sons-in-law, Margherita and Luigi Bilella, Kokomo, Antonina and Calogero Vento. Venezuela: 13 grandchildren. Maria Killion, Joseph Belella. Bonaventura Ripberger, Antonina Hawkins, Vincenza Vento, Bonaventura LoBianco, Stefano Alfano, Bonaventura Chiazzese. Pasquale Alfano, Franco Alfano, Antonino Alfano, Rosanna Alfano, and Mariasol Alfano; 25 great grandchildren, and four great great grandchildren. Along with her husband, she was preceded in death by a son, Bartolomeo Alfano; two great grandchildren: and three brothers.

Mass of Christian Burial will be 10 a.m. Monday at St. Joan of Arc Catholic Church, 900 S. Purdum St., with Father Dennis O'Keeffe the celebrant. Burial will follow at Crown Point Cemetery. Friends may call 3 to 7 p.m. Sunday at Ellers Mortuary, Webster Street Chapel, 3400 S. Webster St., with a Rosary Service at 6:30 p.m. Memorials may be made to St. Joan of Arc Ministries.

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