

Margaret Book, 56

Services for a Harlan woman, Margaret M. Book, 56, were Tuesday in St. Michael's Catholic Church, with burial in Harlan Cemetery.

Mrs. Book died Saturday, Aug. 5, in Clarinda. She was born on a farm near Defiance and attended country schools and Harlan Community High School. She lived with her parents in Defiance and Panama before moving to Harlan.

Surviving are a son, Ronald of Harlan; her parents, Mr and Mrs Arthur Book of Harlan; two brothers, Edmund and Alfred of Harlan, and three sisters, Marilyn (Mrs Harold) Fritz and Alma Book of Harlan and Mildred (Mrs Virgil) Smartt of Council Bluffs.

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Harlan — Margaret Mary Book, daughter of Arthur and Magdalene Scheuring Book, was born on a farm in Shelby county near Defiance on April 27, 1922. She was baptized and confirmed at St. Peter's church in Defiance. She attended country schools and later the Harlan high school and grew to adulthood on her parent's farm. After high school, she made her home with her parents. They lived in the Defiance and Panama areas for many years and later made their home in Harlan. Margaret died on Aug. 5, 1978, at age 56 years, three months and eight days. She was a member of St. Michael's church in Harlan.

She was preceded in death by a sister, Leona Book. Her survivors include her parents, Mr and Mrs Arthur Book of Harlan; a son, Ronald Book of Harlan; two brothers - Edmund C. and Alfred T. Book, both of Harlan; three sisters - Marilyn (Mrs Harold Fritz) and Alma Book, both of Harlan and Mildred (Mrs Virgil Smartt) of Co. Bluffs; nieces and nephews; and other relatives.

A Mass of Christian Burial was celebrated at St. Michael's church in Harlan, on Tuesday, August 8, 1978 with Rev. Ed Scheuring as celebrant. Burial was in the Harlan cemetery, with Raymond C. Book, Ray Buman, Ludwig Buman, Vernon Buschkemp, William Schwarte and Alvin W. Schmitz serving as pallbearers.

Sunday, August 6, 1978

Margaret Book

HARLAN — Funeral services for Margaret M. Book, 56, Harlan, will be 10:30 a.m. Tuesday at St. Michael's Catholic Church in Harlan. Burial will be in the Harlan cemetery.

Ms. Book died Saturday in Clarinda. She was a long-time Shelby County resident.

She is survived by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Book; a son, Ronald, two brothers, Edmund and Alfred; three sisters, Marilyn Fritz and Alma Book all of Harlan, and Mildred Smarte of Council Bluffs.

A wake service will be 8 p.m. Monday at the Pauley Funeral Home.

MARGARET M. BOOK

Born - April 27, 1922

Died - August 5, 1978

Interment - Harlan Cemetery
Harlan, Iowa

Look down upon me, good and gentle Jesus, while before Thy face I humbly kneel, and with burning soul pray and beseech Thee to fix deep in my heart lovely sentiments of faith, hope and charity, true contritions for my sins, and a firm purpose of amendment; the while I contemplate with great love and tender pity Thy five wounds, pondering over them within me whilst I call to mind the words which David, Thy prophet, said of Thee My Jesus: "They pierced My hands and my feet, they numbered all my bones."

PRAYER

Eternal rest grant unto her, O Lord and let perpetual light shine upon her. May she rest in peace. Amen. (300 days Ind.)

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