

## THE LIFE STORY OF Gayle H. Carter, 85

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EARLING - Gayle Hamilton Carter, daughter of Emma Josephine Rust and Edwin J. Trumbauer was born Dec. 3, 1891 at Newell. She died Sept. 10, 1977 at St. Joseph's hospital in Omaha, at 31. Joseph's hospital in Ohiala, at age 85 years, 9 months and 7 days. Gayle was educated at Patterson. After her marriage to Walkup Carter on January 26, 1910 in Des Moines, they farmed in the St. Charles area until 1946 when they retired to St. Charles. Following the death of her husband in 1956 she has been maintaining her home with her two daughters, and for the past three years she has been a resident of the Little Flower Haven Home in Earling. She was a member of the St. Charles Methodist church.

Mrs Carter was preceded in death by her parents, her husband · Walkup · one son · Hugh Eldon, three brothers - LaVerne, Frank and Irvin, three sisters - Mae Davis, Blanch Dowler and Adeline Burkhead. Survivors include two daughters - Alberta (Mrs Fletcher Boggess) of Harlan and Thelma (Mrs William Mueller) of Hobart, Ind., three grandchugren - Saran Jo Snearer, Mary Beth Campbell and John Weller, six great grandchildren Threasa, Kimberly, Kelly, Kristy, Kevin and Scott, nieces and nephews and other relatives.

Funeral services were held Monday, Sept. 12, 1977 at the St. Charles Parish, St. Charles with Rev. Rolland C. Towell, officating. Burmeister Funeral Home of Harlan conducted ser-vices with burial in the St. Charles cemetery.