

Anna M. Jensen

Anna Mae Jensen, daughter of Hans and Lena Christoffersen Johnson, was born on a farm in Jackson twp., Shelby county, on Jan. 25, 1905. She died at Mercy hospital in Co. Bluffs, on Sept. 10, 1976 at age of 71 years, 7 months and 15 days. Anna grew to adulthood on a farm home in Jackson twp. and was baptized and confirmed in the Poplar Lutheran church. She also attended country school in Jackson twp. On Mar. 22, 1922, she married Arthur A. Jensen at the Poplar Lutheran church in Shelby county. Three children were born to this union. After their marriage, Mr and Mrs Jensen farmed in Audubon county, near Kimballton. In 1936 they moved to a farm just east of Harlan. They retired from farming in 1948 and moved to their present home in Harlan at 805 Walnut St. Since moving to Harlan, she has been a member of Immanuel Lutheran church.

In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by her children - Donald and Lee, an infant daughter, a grandson, Gary Jensen and her two brothers - Daniel and Clarence Johnson. She is survived by her husband of 54 years, Arthur A. Jensen of Harlan; seven grandchildren; two great grandchildren; her sister, Mabel (Mrs John Rattenborg) of Denison; nieces and nephews and other relatives.

Funeral services were held at Pauley Funeral home in Harlan, on Monday, Sept. 13, 1976 with Pastor Clifford H. Nelson, pastor of Immanuel Lutheran church in Harlan, officiating. Burial was in the Harlan cemetery, with Hugo Boeck, L. S. Jamison, Raynold Jensen, Keith Crawford, Henry Zimmerman and Elmer (Sparky) Larsen serving as casketbearers.
