

LINDEN, Mary Jane

The Life Story of —
MARY JANE LINDEN, 14

Mary Jane Linden, daughter of Ellen and Douglas Linden, was born April 5, 1958, in Harlan, Iowa. She lived with her family in Tennant until she was four years old. In 1965 they moved to a farm southeast of Walnut. Four years ago they moved to their present farm east of Walnut.

She was a baptized member of the Calvary Baptist church of Walnut and attended school through the first grade. Mary Jane's lengthy illness prevented her from doing many of the things other girls do; but it did not prevent her from enjoying the love and affection of her family and friends. People that came to see her could count on a friendly smile to greet them.

She died at her home near Walnut, September 3, 1972, having attained the age of 14 years, 4 months and 28 days.

She was preceded in death by her sister, Barbara Ann, on May 22, 1964, and her grandfather, Oscar Linden.

Her survivors include: her parents; her sister, Sandy; her brother, Brian, both at home; grandparents Mr and Mrs Andrew Sorensen of Harlan, and Mrs Edith Linden of Tennant and her aunts and uncles.

Funeral services were held Tuesday, September 5, 1972 at Pauley Home for Funerals with Rev. Jerry Howarth officiating.

Burial was at Harlan cemetery with John Andersen, Harold Lansman, Harry Andersen and Robert Dierking serving as casket bearers.

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