

THE LIFE STORY OF —

Myrtle M. Thomson, 84

Walnut — Myrtle Marie Thomson, daughter of Chris and Kersten Steffensen Knudsen, was born Nov. 8, 1894 in Monroe twp., Shelby county. She died Nov. 19, 1978 at Myrtue Memorial hospital in Harlan at age 84 years and 11 days.

On March 11, 1921 she married Howard Thomson and they farmed in Monroe twp. until they retired and moved to Walnut in 1967. They celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary in 1971. She was a member of Calvary Baptist church for years, and was a member of the Walnut Republican Women's club.

She was preceded in death by her husband, who died in 1976; her parents; a grandson; two sisters and two brothers. Survivors include two sons - Bruce of Liberty, Mo.; and Clyde of Manilla; two daughters - Mrs Dewey (Dorothy) Linden of Elk Horn and Miss Carolyn Thomson of Lawrence, Kans.; two brothers - Alan Knudsen of Harlan and Ralph Knudsen of Berkeley, Calif.; two grandchildren and two great grandchildren.

Funeral services were held Wednesday, Nov. 23, 1978 at Calvary Baptist church in Walnut with Rev. Max Bowlin, officiating and her son, Dr. Bruce Thomson, conducting the memorial service. Burial was in the Cuppy's Grove cemetery with Bruce Thomsen, Clyde Thomson, Randy Thomson, Dewey Linden, Gale Linden and Byron Linden serving as casketbearers.

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