

THE LIFE STORY OF —

Vera C. Bergloff, 61

HARLAN — Vera Cecile Bergloff, daughter of Martin and Emma Myrtue, was born on a farm in Lincoln twp. in Shelby county, on Jan. 23, 1916. She died at Myrtue Memorial hospital in Harlan, on June 21, 1977, at age 61 years, four months and 28 days. Vera was baptized and confirmed in the Lutheran church in Manning. She attended country school through the 8th grade and grew to adulthood on her parent's farm. She completed her education in Harlan, graduating from the Harlan Community high school in 1933. On Febr. 10, 1938, she married Robert P. Bergloff at the Immanuel Lutheran church in Harlan. Two children were born to this union. After their marriage, Mr and Mrs Bergloff farmed in Lincoln twp. for seven years. They then moved to Tennant, and this was their home until 1961 when they moved to Harlan. This has been her home since that time. Mrs Bergloff was employed as a dental assistant for Dr. Harold Caudill in Harlan for 14 years. She was a long time member of the Immanuel Lutheran church in Harlan and was also a member of the B.P.O. Does No. 23 of Atlantic.

In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by two sisters - Laura Myrtue and Hilda Huckins. Her survivors include her husband, Robert, of Harlan; a daughter, Joretta (Mrs Clarence J. Wendt) of Atlantic; a son, Billy Bergloff of Sarasota, Fla., and by three grandchildren - Stacy Wendt and Robert and Ashley Bergloff, by four sisters - Anna (Mrs Ross Gum) of Pueblo, Colo., Dorothy (Mrs Harry Rix) of Manning, Emma (Mrs Peter Engel) of Storm Lake, and Donna (Mrs LaVern G. Hansen) of Harlan; a brother, Willis Myrtue of Harlan; nieces and nephews; other relatives and many friends.

Funeral services were held at Pauley Funeral Home in Harlan, on Saturday, June 25, 1977, with Pastor Clifford H. Nelson and Edward Bastedo, Intern of the Immanuel Lutheran church in Harlan officiating. Burial was in the Harlan cemetery with Jim Myrtue, Jerry Myrtue, Merle Myrtue, Michael Hansen, Soren C. Myrtue and Marvin "Butch" Engel serving as casketbearers. Rites were conducted at the funeral home by B.P.O. Does No. 23 of Atlantic.