

Erma E. Jorgensen, 67 June 15, 1983 pg 13A

IRWIN — Erma, daughter of Harry and Sophia Schuett Mundt, was born Sept. 7, 1915, in Crawford co. She was graduated with valedictorian honors from Manilla high school in 1933. She also took normal training courses while in high school.

On March 2, 1941, she married La Verne Jorgensen. She and her husband farmed near Manilla all their lives until he retired and they moved into Manilla on Dec. 18, 1980. She dedicated her life to raising her family of three children and helping her husband.

She was a member of the Trinity Lutheran church, Manilla, where she was baptized and confirmed as a youth. She was a member of Trinity's Priscilla Guild. She was also a member of the Greeley Homemaker's club, Irwin. She was in failing health for several months before she died on Sunday, May 1, 1983, at Mercy hospital, Des Moines, at the age of 67 years, 7 months, 25 days.

She was preceded in death by her parents. She is survived by her husband, La Verne Jorgensen, Manilla; three children, Larry Jorgensen, Donna (Mrs Dan) Humphreys, Racine, Wisc., Janette (Mrs Dave) Gavin, Indianola; seven grandchildren; three brothers, Gilbert Mundt, Leroy Mundt, Orville Mundt of Rogers Ark.; aunts, uncles, nieces, nephews and other relatives.

Funeral services were held Wednesday, May 4, 1983 at Trinity Lutheran church in Manilla with Pastor Glenn Wiechmann, officiating. Burial was in the Nishnabotna cemetery with Marty Humphreys, Bill Lohmann, Robert McLaren, Carl Brus, Gifford Wenzel and Ray Conrad serving as casketbearers.