

The Life Story of --

Brian Douglas Linden, 13

Brian Douglas Linden, son of Douglas and Ellen Sorensen Linden was born Dec. 9, 1960 in Harlan. He died at Myrtue Memorial hospital in Harlan on Oct. 10, 1974 at age 13 years, 10 months and 1 day. In 1963 he moved with his parents to a farm southeast of Walnut and four years later to their farm east of Walnut. He attended school through the first grade at the Walnut schools and the last few years he has received tutoring at home. Although his illness sometimes prevented him from an active part in some activities, he enjoyed pleasant times with his friends and family and greeted them with a smile. Brian was baptized at the Calvary Baptist church in Walnut and he was a member of this church.

He was preceded in death by two sisters — Barbara Ann, on May 22, 1964 and Mary Jane on Sept. 3, 1972 and by his paternal grandfather, Oscar Linden.

Brian is survived by his parents; his sister, Sandy, who is in nurses training at the Bishop Clarkson School of Nursing in Omaha, Nebr.; by his grandparents, Mr and Mrs Andrew P. Sorensen of Rt. 1, Harlan and Mrs Edith Linden of Tennant; by his aunts and uncles, his cousins and other relatives.

Funeral services were held on Saturday, Oct. 12, 1974 at Pauley Home for Funerals in Harlan with Jerry Howarth, pastor of the Calvary Baptist church in Walnut, officiating. Burial was in the Harlan cemetery with Gaig Lytle, Mark Lytle, Gale Linden, Dean Linden, Arlin Sorensen and Jeff Sorensen, Brian's cousins, serving as pallbearers.