

# Isabelle M. Stein, 71

Harlan — Isabelle Mary Stein, daughter of William and Anna (Engel) Foxhoven was born on a farm in Shelby County near Earling, on May 6, 1906. She was baptized and confirmed at St. Joseph's church in Earling. She attended country school and St. Joseph's school and grew to adulthood on her parent's farm.

On Jan. 31, 1928 she married Michael Stein at St. Joseph's church in Earling. Nine children were born to this union. After their marriage Mr and Mrs Stein farmed near Portsmouth, for 30 years. After Mr. Stein's death in Feb. of 1958, Isabelle moved to Harlan and made her home at 1405-5th St. In June of 1976 she became ill with cancer and lived with her daughter, Martha Anastasi, until becoming a resident of the Baptist Memorial Home on Feb. 11, 1977. This has been her home since that time. It was here that she died on Feb. 14, 1978, having attained the age of 71 years, 9 months and 8 days.

Mrs Stein was a member of St. Michael's church and St. Ann's Guild in Harlan. She was active in the Senior Citizen's Center and also a member of the Portsmouth American Legion Auxiliary.

In addition to her parents and her husband, she was preceded in death by a grandson, Nickie Stein; three brothers - Alfred, Peter and Paul and by two sisters - Rose and Cecelia. Her survivors include five sons - Frances of

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Omaha, Ray of Atlantic, Nick of Kamulea, Hawaii, Joe of Harlan and Bernard of Prairie City; four daughters - Martha (Mrs Ted Anastasi) and Mary (Mrs Vernon Schiernbeck) both of Harlan, Cecelia (Mrs Don Morton) of Elkhart and Marlene (Mrs Wesley Butts) of West Liberty; 21 grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

She is also survived by 5 brothers - Ted Foxhoven of Harlan, Henry, Ralph and Albert Foxhoven of Earling and Bernard Foxhoven of Shenandoah; three sisters - Katie (Mrs Mike Sandbothe) and Kunie (Mrs John Fuhs) both of Portsmouth and Tillie (Mrs John Healey) of Oxford, Calif., Calif., nieces and nephews and other relatives.

A Mass of Christian Burial was celebrated at St. Michael's church in Harlan on Friday, Feb. 17, 1978, with the Rev. Richard Wagner as celebrant. Burial was in St. Mary's Cemetery, Portsmouth with Leo Foxhoven, William Fuhs, LaVern Daeges, Ronald Newcomb, Jerry Foxhoven and Joseph C. Springman as casketbearers.