

# 1983 **Bulah Mae Stowe, 87**

Bulah Mae Stowe, the daughter of William and Suzanne Mathewa Callow was born Jan. 31, 1896, in a sod house on a farm near Beaver City, Neb. As a young child she moved with her parents to a farm in Audubon co. This is where she grew to adulthood and attended country school.

On Jan. 31, 1917, Bulah married Leonard Charles Stowe at her parents home. Three children were born to this union. After their marriage they farmed for five years in Viola twp., Audubon co. They then moved to Gray, where Mr Stowe operated a Harness and Produce Shop. They then lived in Avoca for a short time before moving to Harlan in 1925. Mr Stowe then founded the Stowe's Produce and later started Stowe's Redi Mix Cement Plant. After Mr Stowe died on April 9, 1970, she continued to make her home in Harlan and was currently a resident of the Baptist Memorial Home.

She was a member of the Congregational United Church of Christ in Harlan, also a member of Audubon Rebehak Lodge No. 459, and also a member of the Priscilla Society of the Congregational United Church of Christ.

She died June 15, 1983, at the Baptist Memorial Home in Harlan. She died at the age of 87 years, 5 months and 15 days.

In addition to her parents and husband, Bulah was preceded in death by two sisters, Myrtle and Lillian and one brother, Stasmore. She is survived by one daughter, Bonnie (Mrs C.W.) Veskerna of Leawood, Kans.; twin sons, Edward of Harlan and Herbert of Bethany, Mo.; 9 grandchildren, 21 great grandchildren and 1 great-great granddaughter; one brother, Harold G. Callow of Salins, Calif., nieces and nephews and other relatives.

Funeral services were conducted Saturday, June 18, 1983 at Pauley Funeral Home in Harlan with Rev. Wayne Selsor, officiating. Casketbearers were Gary Stowe, David Stowe, Timothy Stowe, Robert Verkerna and DeLancey Smith Jr.

Burial was in the Harlan cemetery.