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Robina
Engemann, 84
Oct. 12, 1909 - March 29, 1994
Harlan — Robina Engemann,
daughter of Leo and Clara (Bocken)
Miller was born Oct. 12, 1909 on a
farm hear Panama. She died March
29, 1994 at Myrtue Memorial
Hospital at age 84 years, five
months and 17 days. She was
baptized at St. Mary's Catholic
Church in Panama and as a baby
moved with her parents to a farm
in Lincoln Township near Harlan

which her father purchased. She

received her First Holy Communion and was confirmed at St. Michael's

Catholic Church in Harlan and attended school in Harlan, graduating in 1927. She then attended lowa State Teachers College at Cedar Falls, receiving her State Teaching Certificate. She then taught in rural schools in Cass and Lincoln Township and the 5th and 6th grades at Underwood.

May 5, 1942, she married Herman Engemann at St. Michael's Catholic Church in Harlan. Six children were born to this union. After their marriage, they farmed on the home place in Lincoln Township. After the death of her husband in Oct. 1975, she moved to the Villa Apartments in Harlan. In Oct. 1992 she entered the Little Flower Haven Nursing Home in Earling, and this was her home until the time of her death. She was a member of St. Michael's Catholic Church in Harlan.

In addition to her parents and husband, she was preceded in death by two daughters, Mary and Ann and her brother, Harold Miller. She is survived by her children, Donald (Pat) Engemann of Harlan; Donna (Roger) Letcher of Des Moines; John (Dianne) Engemann of Centerville and Janet (Clinton) Petersen of Ames; seven grandchildren and other relatives.

A Mass of Christian burial was celebrated March 31, 1994 at St. Michael's Catholic Church in Harlan with Msgr. Edward Kelly celebrating assisted by Rev. Mr. Pat Davitt. Burial was in the Harlan cemetery with Ed Swank, Robert D. Christensen, Wayne Lytle, Donald Stowe, Raymond Chipman and Darell Muller casket bearers. Pauley Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.