Harlan, Iowa News Advertiser Friday July 28, 1989, pg 2-B

Elizabeth Goeres, 77

DEFIANCE - Elizabeth Ann Goeres, the daughter of Pete and Mary (Kohles) Goeres, was born at Defiance on May 28, 1912. She died at the Myrtue Memorial Hospital in Harlan on July 5, 1989 at age 77 years, one month and seven days. She had attended school in Defiance and was a member of St. Peter's Catholic Church.

She was preceded in death by her parents. Surviving her are her two sisters. Annabell Schneider and Lenora Ingram both of Defiance; nieces and nephews.

A Mass of Christian Burial was celebrated on July 7, 1989 at St. Peter's Catholic Church, Defiance, with Rev. Chuck Kottas as the celebrant. Mass servers were Jared Anastasi and Scott Goeres. Burial was in Sts. Peter and Paul cernetery, Defiance with Gary Feser, Dave Stessman, Dennis Anastasi, Bob Schaben, Larry Stessman and Bernard Stracke serving as casketbearers. Pauley Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.