

June Poldberg, 76

June 26, 1924 – Aug. 15, 2000

ELK HORN – June Rose, daughter of Jenz P. and Hilda Hansen Andersen, was born June 26, 1924, at Elk Horn. When she was a young girl, her family moved to Co. Bluffs where she attended school through the tenth grade. Her family then moved back to Elk Horn where she graduated with the Elk Horn High School Class of 1942. Following high school, she and her sister, Millie, worked in Co. Bluffs for a company that made crystals for military radios.

Aug. 18, 1945, she married Burdette Poldberg at Omaha. Four children were born to this union. They farmed his parents' home place for many years. She also worked for several years as a housekeeper and aide at Salem Lutheran Homes. They moved into Elk Horn following their farm sale in September of 1989. Burdette died Nov. 22, 1994. She remained in their home until June of 1998, when she moved into an apartment in Kimballton. She was baptized and confirmed into the Lutheran faith and was a member of Bethlehem Lutheran Church at Jacksonville where she was active with Charity Circle. She was also a member of the AmVet Auxiliary in Harlan, the Harlan Veterans of Foreign Wars Auxiliary and Myrtue Memorial Hospital Auxiliary. In October of 1999, she was diagnosed with cancer. May 16, 2000, she entered Salem Lutheran Homes in Elk Horn, where she died Aug. 15, 2000, at age 76 years.

Besides her parents and husband, she is preceded in death by a brother, Clifford Andersen; a brother-in-law, Albert Eskov; a sister-in-law, Verlee Andersen; and a nephew, Larry Poldberg. She is survived by her children, Dan Poldberg of Kimballton; Sally (Rick) Carter of Harlan; Craig Poldberg (Wendy) of Adel; Randy Poldberg (Tammy) of Kimballton; ten grandchildren, Cory Carter (Amy); Lindy Carter; Desiree Poldberg; Chase, Casey and Jena Poldberg; Rachel, Jordan, Dustin and Chelsee Poldberg; a brother, Dale Andersen of Elk Horn; two sisters, Millie Eskov of Elk Horn and Lela Mae Nelson (Lloyd) of Kimballton; a sister-in-law, Glenda Andersen of Elk Horn; two brothers-in-law, Keith Poldberg (Bonnie) of Vinton and Cordell Poldberg (Donna) of Pocahontas; and by nieces, nephews and other relatives.

Funeral services were held Aug. 18, 2000, at the Bethlehem Lutheran Church, Jacksonville, with Pastor Mary Lundy officiating. Burial was in the Jacksonville Cemetery. Casket bearers were Ron Andersen, Terry Poldberg, John Nelson, Allen Andersen, Larry Eskov and Bruce Poldberg. Ohde Funeral Home, Kimballton, in charge of arrangements.