

Betty L. Younggren, 56

Betty Lou Younggren, daughter of Glen H. and Alice Kahl Earnest, was born Aug. 2, 1928 in Le Mars. She attended school in Le Mars and Cherokee and graduated from high school at Harlan in the class of 1946.

On Aug. 25, 1963 she married Robert K. Younggren at Harlan. Following their marriage they made their home on a farm in Tarkio twp., rural Essex. She enjoyed crafts and needlework and was an Adult Education Teacher at the IWCC Shenandoah Center. She was presently employed by the R.E.C. of Staton as a meter reader.

She died Thursday, Aug. 16, 1984 at the Clarkson Hospital in Omaha, following a very brief illness at the age of 56 years and 14 days.

She was preceded in death by her father Glen H. Earnest. Survivors include her husband Robert of rural Essex, a son Dennis and family of Freeport, Ill., her mother Alice Earnest and other brother Fred Earnest both of Kansas City, Ks., nieces, nephews and other relatives.

Services were held Saturday, Aug. 18, 1984, at the Hackett Funeral Home in Shenandoah with Rev. Melvin C. Suhr officiating. Burial was at Mt. Hope Cemetery, Ynman, with Donald D. Erickson, Donald E. Erickson, Carroll Gutschenritter, Russell Malloy, Harold Rosenquist and Orville Tillman as casketbearers.