

Gloria LaFoy, 61

Sept. 8, 1929 — June 2, 1991

KIMBALLTON — Gloria LaFoy was born Sept. 8, 1929 in Omaha, NE., to Jens and Pauline Ploughman and moved to Audubon county with her family. She was baptized and confirmed in Kuntz Memorial Lutheran Church in Omaha and is presently a member of the Immanuel Lutheran Church in Kimballton.

She married Charles E. LaFoy Nov. 25, 1947. They farmed in the Audubon county area several years before moving to Kimballton in 1960. They owned and operated the Kimballton Hardware Store and Dry-Cleaning Business for many years. They also operated a grocery store in Kimballton for a few years. The Cleaning Business and Hardware Store closed in 1987 due to Charlie's ill-health. He died Jan. 20, 1991. She was involved in her church and all community affairs. She and her husband cared for many foster children in their home. She died June 2, 1991, at St. Joseph's Hospital in Omaha, NE., following an automobile accident May 27, 1991.

She was preceded in death by her father, Jens Ploughman in 1972 and husband, Charles in Jan., 1991. She is survived by her mother, Pauline Ploughman of Kimballton; three brothers and their wives and families: Henry (Evelyn) Ploughman of Aurora, CO.; James (Sherilyn) of Arvada, CO.; Charles (Shirley) of Omaha, NE.; two sisters and their families, Dolores (Harvey) Byriel of Ames and Evelyn (Kenneth) Christensen of Harlan; and a special foster son, Ron Nelson (Darlene) and their two children of Morgan Hills, CA., and many other relatives.

Funeral services were held June 6, 1991 in the Immanuel Lutheran Church, Kimballton with Pastor Stephen Gronseth, officiating. Burial was in the Immanuel Lutheran cemetery, Kimballton. Casketbearers were Darrell Keast, Lloyd Petersen, Jim McClain, Warren Madsen, Dale Poldberg, and Franklin Rasmussen.