

Joan J. Langenfeld, 74 ✓ ✓

Feb. 27, 1922 - Sept. 23, 1996

EARLING - Joan Josephine Langenfeld, daughter of Herman H. and Magdalen K. Heese Langenfeld, was born Feb. 27, 1922 at Earling. She was baptized, confirmed and received her First Communion at St. Joseph's Catholic Church in Earling. She graduated from St. Joseph High School and helped run the family restaurant and meat market and was employed part time at the Farmers Trust & Savings Bank in Earling after graduation in 1939. In 1940, she became a full time employee at the bank and retired in 1987 after 47 years. She was a member of St. Joseph's Catholic Church in Earling and a member of St. Joseph's choir. She was also a 50 year member of the Catholic Daughter of Americas St. Katherine's Court No. 266 and an officer in the court. She died at the Little Flower Haven in Earling Sept. 23, 1996, at age 74 years, six months and 27 days.

She was preceded in death by her parents; a sister-in-law, Carmen Langenfeld, and a brother-in-law, Frank Finken. Surviving are her sisters and brothers, Ruth (Joe) Haberkorn of West Babylon, Long Island, NY; Mark A. Langenfeld (Helen) of Earling; Neil (James) Coenen of Omaha, NE; Owen J. Langenfeld (Janice) of Harlan; Mike A. Langenfeld (Phyllis) of Omaha, NE; Edna Finken of Earling; Vern Langenfeld of St. Louis, MO and Gail Langenfeld (Pauline) of Hartland, WI and other relatives.

A Mass of Christian Burial was concelebrated Sept. 26, 1996, at St. Joseph's Catholic Church in Earling with Rev. Cornelius Gaul celebrant, Rev. Gordon Gittens concelebrating and Msgr. Gerald Stessman giving the Homily. Burial was in St. Joseph's Cemetery in Earling with Gail Langenfeld, Vern Langenfeld, Owen J. Langenfeld, Mike A. Langenfeld, Mark A. Langenfeld, Joseph F. Haberkorn and Jim Coenen casket bearers. Pauley Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.