

## Helena Luchsinger, 80

April 6, 1916 - Feb. 6, 1997

**MINDEN** - Helena Luchsinger was born April 6, 1916 in Minden. She was the daughter of E. Gustav and Magdalena Rohlf's Kundel and was one of five children in the family. She attended school in Minden and graduated in 1933. She was employed by the Post Office in Minden.

She married Harvey Luchsinger Aug. 24, 1940, in Papillion, NE. She worked for a time at the Court House Census Office. She also helped out with other family members. They farmed in the Minden area for a number of years until retiring and moving to Shelby. He died Nov. 25, 1992. She was a member of the United Church of Christ in Minden. She died Feb. 6, 1997, at Immanuel Hospital in Omaha, at age 80 years and 10 months.

She was preceded in death by her parents; her husband, Harvey, and three brothers, Tewes Kundel, Ray Kundel and Gus Kundel. She is survived by her sister, Wilma Best of Shelby; two sisters-in-law, Elva McLaughlin of Omaha and Marie Luchsinger of Minden; nine nieces; five nephews; 32 great nieces and nephews.

Funeral services were held Feb. 9, 1997, at the Minden United Church of Christ with Rev. Richard Hempenius officiating. Burial was in the Minden Cemetery. Casket bearers were Steve Pike, Ken Glasser, Brian Olsen, Dr. Donald Kundel, Dr. Ray Lynn Kundel and Gary Lubberstedt. Knutson Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.