

Alberta Caroline Martindale, 85

Feb. 17, 1914 - Nov. 30, 1999

ATLANTIC - Alberta Caroline Martindale, daughter of August Herman and Etta Amanda Nelson Long, was born Feb. 17, 1914, in Grove Township in Cass County where she grew up, graduated from Atlantic High School, and was active in 4-H from ages 15 to 21.

She married Clifford Martindale June 9, 1962, at Plattsmouth, NE. She was employed by the Cass County Memorial Hospital as a secretary for 20 years, and was also employed by Bullock's Department Store in Atlantic. She was a member of Jehovah's Witnesses. She died Nov. 30, 1999, at the Cass County Memorial Hospital at age 85 years, nine months and 13 days.

She was preceded in death by her parents; one sister, Leona Brown; one brother, Ernest Long; and one daughter, Dorothy Armstrong. Surviving are her husband, Clifford Martindale of Atlantic; four grandchildren, Jessica Harrison of Spokane, WA; Richard Ratzlaff of Windsor, NC; Jo Ella Hudson of Monroe, LA and Shelton Armstrong of El Paso, TX; one sister, Francis L. Mead of Oceanside, CA; 11 great grandchildren and several nieces and nephews.

Funeral services were held Dec. 6, 1999, at the Roland Funeral Home in Atlantic, with Brother Ronald Shelley, Jehovah's Witnesses, Creston, officiating. Burial was in the Atlantic Cemetery. Honorary casket bearers were Perry Knoell, Fred Fox, Jon Stevens, Duane Gramkow and Lynn Schueman. Casket bearers were Clint Knoell, Robert Lovitt, Jed Gramkow, Dennis Loghry, Keith Waggoner and Randy Anderson.