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## Mildred Saemish, 81

**DENISON** – Mildred Leah Saemisch was born Aug. 14, 1909, the daughter of Clarence and Nellie Stennett Shearer, on a farm near Elliott. She died Aug. 14, 1990 at St. Joseph's Hospital in Omaha, NE., at age 81 years.

She lived on the farm with her parents and began her early education in a rural school near her home. As a teenager, she attended the Grant High School, graduating there with the class of 1927. While still a young girl, she helped her parents at home.

March 29, 1934, she and Wilbur Saemisch were married and had three children. In the early years of their marriage, they made their home in Montgomery and Shelby counties where they farmed and she cared for their children and devoted her life to home making. In 1957, they moved to Crawford Co. and made their home in Denison. She began employment at Cronk's Cafe that year and continued working there until her retirement in 1988.

She was preceded in death by her parents; her husband, Wilbur, and one brother, Loren Shearer. Survivors include two daughters, Marilyn (John) Robinson of Omaha, NE.; Carolyn (Dean) Oldenburg of Harlan; and one son, Dwight (Karen) of Denison; four grandchildren; five great-grandchildren; one brother, Harold Shearer (Alpha) of Creston; one sister, Lucille (Arlin) Eshelman of Atlantic; one cousin and several nieces and nephews.

Funeral services were held Aug. 16, 1990 at the Huebner Funeral Home in Denison with Dr. Edward Peterson, officiating. Burial was at the Noble Center cemetery in Noble Twp. Honorary pallbearers were Andy Robinson, Brandon Robinson and Kevin Robinson. Serving as pallbearers were Lawrence Rasmussen, John Robinson, Mark Robinson, Michael Robinson, Chad Saemisch and Scot Saemisch. Walter A. Huebner & Sons Funeral Service in Denison in charge of arrangements.