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## Marie Brinker, 69

WESTPHALIA – Marie Antoinette Brinker, daughter of Ed and Mary (Bock) Brinker was born at Westphalia, July 13, 1919. She died at University of Nebraska Medical Center, Omaha, NE., May 31, 1989, at age 69 years, 10 months and 18 days.

She was baptized received her First Communion and was confirmed at St. Boniface Catholic Church, Westphalia and attended St. Boniface School. After completing her education, she worked for Dr. Bisgard in Harlan, then moved to Omaha during WW II, working at the bomber plant. Following the War, she was employed by Brandeis as a retail sales clerk until her retirement. Omaha continued to be her home until the time of her death. She was a member of St. Margaret Mary Catholic Church in Omaha, NE.

She was preceded in death by her parents and a sister, Gertrude. Survivors include three brothers, Ed of Harlan; Joe of Springdale, AK., and Bud of Omaha; four sisters, Cornelia and Clara of Omaha; Delores Blubaugh of Omaha; and Hilda Schwery of Westphalia; nieces and nephews.

A Mass of Christian Burial was celebrated June 3, 1989 at St. Boniface Catholic Church, Westphalia, with Rev. Paul Bianchi as the celebrant. Burial was in St. Boniface cemetery with Bob Brinker, Lyle Brinker, Cory Brinker, Clarence Brinker, Mike Brinker, Al Jans, Ken Brinker and Craig Gubbels serving as casketbearers. Pauley Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.