

Sine Martine Jensen, 80 ✓

Jan. 10, 1917 - March 30, 1997

HARLAN - Sine Martine Jensen, daughter of Peter E. and Meta M. (Petersen) Mortensen, was born Jan. 10, 1917, in rural Hamlin. She attended country schools near Hamlin and Kimballton, and later worked as a hired girl for a number of area families.

Jan. 7, 1940, she married Russell P. Jensen in Elk Horn. The couple farmed in the Jacksonville area for 45 years, retiring in Harlan, in 1985. He died March 31, 1989 in Harlan. She was a member of Bethlehem Lutheran Church in Jacksonville, where she participated in the ladies' circles and neighborhood Bible studies. She was a longtime member of the Jackson One Club. They were both active members of the Shelby County Saddle Club. She died March 30, 1997, at Clarkson Hospital in Omaha, at age 80 years, two months and 20 days.

Preceding her in death were her parents; her husband, Russell P. Jensen; and one infant brother. Survivors include one son, Robert (Carolyn) Jensen of Mt. Pleasant; one daughter, Janet (Dave) McDermott of Story City; three sisters, Lorena Petersen and Regina (Herbert) Larsen all of Kimballton, and Beulah Jensen of Audubon; and seven grandchildren, Sarah and Reid Jensen, Tonya (Chris) Menuey and Julie, Chad, Sharlonda and Jay McDermott.

Funeral services were held April 2, 1997, at Bethlehem Lutheran Church in Jacksonville, with Pastor Mary Lunde officiating. Casket bearers were Paul Petersen, Jerry Jensen, Wayne Hansen, Warren Ladd, Nick White and Howard Dahlof. Burial was in the Jacksonville Cemetery. Memorials may be made to Bethlehem Lutheran Church in Jacksonville. Burmeister Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.

