In Loving Memory

Edith P. Mattes

Born January 18, 1916 Council Bluffs, Iowa

Entered into Rest October 4, 2001 Clarinda, Iowa

Age 85 years, 8 months, 16 days

Obituary

Edith Pearl Mattes, daughter of Harvey James and Mabel Hough Thomas, was born on January 18, 1916, on a farm north of Crescent, Iowa. The family moved to Council Bluffs when she was three and she attended the schools there. The family moved to Hamburg, Iowa and she worked in her father's grocery store. On October 8, 1933, she was united in marriage with Wilbur C. Mattes at Sidney, Iowa, and they raised three girls and three boys. In four days they would have celebrated their 68th wedding anniversary. She enjoyed playing the piano and working crossword puzzles. Edith was a member of the Community of Christ Church (RLDS).

Edith was preceded in death by her husband Wilbur, one brother, three sisters and three grandchildren. She is survived by three daughters, Phyllis Bachman of Lincoln, Nebraska, Janice K. Pullen of Clarinda, Iowa, Brenda D. Wendt of Logan, Iowa and three sons, James A. Mattes of Forth Worth, Texas, Robert Lee Mattes of Farragut, Iowa, and Randall B. Mattes of Texas, 19 grandchildren, 21 great-grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.