

Evelyn I. Akers, 57

Elk Horn — Evelyn Ida Akers, daughter of Gerald and Hazel Spry Akers, was born April 27, 1923, in Anita. She grew to adulthood in the Anita, Exira and Brayton areas, attending a school for the blind in Vinton, from 1930-31. She then lived at Glenwood until 1964, when she became a resident of the Salem Lutheran Nursing Home in Elk Horn. She died there on Saturday, Jan. 10, 1981 at age 57 years, 7 months and 13 days.

She was preceded in death by her mother, Hazel, on Feb. 23, 1934. She is survived by her father, Gerald of Conway, Mo., and one brother, Lloyd of Omaha, Neb.

Funeral services were held at Hansen Memorial Chapel of the Salem Lutheran Retirement Home in Elk Horn on Monday, Jan. 12, 1981 with Rev. J. Harry Thomsen, officiating. Burial was in Exira cemetery, with John Leistad, Howard Hansen, Clarence Klein, Lester J. Petersen and Lamont L. Christensen serving as casketbearers.

Pauley Funeral Home, Harlan, handled the arrangements.