

LANGENFELD, Ludvina Elizabeth

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THE LIFE STORY OF —

**Ludvina
Langenfeld, 81**

Earling — Ludvina Elizabeth Langenfeld, daughter of John and Eva Herbst Kohles was born on March 16, 1899, near Earling. She was baptized and confirmed at St. Joseph's church in Earling and also attended the country school there. She helped at home until she married William Fred Langenfeld in St. Joseph's church on April 5, 1921. Ten children were born to this union. They made their home near Earling until Dec. of 1945, when they moved into

Earling. After Mr Langenfeld's death on Feb. 7, 1973, Mrs Langenfeld continued to make her home in Earling.

She enjoyed traveling and was a member of the Golden Circle. She was a lifetime member of St. Joseph's church as well as a former member of the Catholic Daughters of America, St. Katherines Court No. 266 of Earling. She died at Myrtue Memorial hospital in Harlan, on Tuesday, Nov. 11, 1980 at age 81 years, 7 months and 25 days.

In addition to her husband and parents, she was preceded in death by one daughter, Rita Schechinger; two sons, Gerald and Joseph Langenfeld; six brothers, Carl, Fred, Henry, Mike, George and Paul and two sisters, Rita and Mary. Survivors include three sons, Mello of Imperial, Neb.; Joseph of Onawa and Robert of Co. Bluffs; four daughters, Marie (Mrs Francis) Graeve of Earling, Delores (Mrs Joseph) Jacoby of Waterloo, June (Mrs Art) Assmann of Alta, and Gladys (Mrs Emmel) Dolan of Palm Desert, Calif., 53 grandchildren and 31 great grandchildren; five brothers, John Kohles of Earling, Peter Kohles of Bloomfield, Neb., Matt Kohles of Los Angeles, Calif., Joe Kohles of Maxwell, Calif., and Henry Kohles of Denison, and one sister, Sylvia Kobold of Harlan and other relatives.

A Concelebrated Mass of Christian Burial was celebrated at St. Joseph's church in Earling on Friday, Nov. 14, 1980, with Rev. Jon Kautzky as celebrant and Rev. LaVerne Wingert and Deacon Albert Kohles as concelebrants. Burial was in St. Joseph's cemetery with Rick Jacoby, Don Graeve, Dean Assmann, Gary Langenfeld, Dan Schechinger and Tom Langenfeld serving as pallbearers.

Pauley Funeral Home, Harlan, handled the arrangements.