

McDOWELL, Lucille B

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THE LIFE STORY OF —  
**Lucille B.  
McDowell, 74**

Lucille Beatrice McDowell, daughter of Raymond and Agnes Sharkey Overholt, was born July 31, 1907 in Wall, S.D. Shortly after her birth, she moved with her family to Bloomfield, Neb. There, she was baptized, received her First Communion and confirmation at St. Andrew's Catholic church. She attended school, graduating from the Bloomfield high school and then went on to Wayne State College where she

received her teaching degree. She taught in a country school near Bloomfield for several years.

On Dec. 21, 1935, she married Vernon P. McDowell at Bloomfield, Neb. After their marriage, they farmed near Bloomfield until 1938, when they moved to a farm three miles east of Kirkman. This was their home for many years. After Mr McDowell died on June 28, 1975, she continued to make her home on their farm.

She was a member of the White Ribbon Society in Kirkman. She died at Myrtue Memorial hospital in Harlan, on Saturday, May 8, 1982 at the age of 74 years.

In addition to her husband and parents, she was preceded in death by one sister, Marjorie. She is survived by her brother, Lyle Overholt of Creighton, Neb. and her sister, Evelyn (Mrs Archie) Johnson of Bloomfield, Neb.; nieces, nephews and other relatives.

Funeral services were held at Pauley Funeral Home in Harlan on Tuesday, May 11, 1982 with the Rev. Leon Wallace of the Kirkman United Methodist church officiating.

Burial was in the Rose Hill cemetery, Kirkman, with Rich Plumb, Wayne Ehlers, Dale L. Clemons, Richard Overholt, Emmert K. Andersen and LaVon A. Christensen serving as casketbearers.

Probate # 10045  
Shelby Co. Iowa

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**MCDOWELL** — Co-executors of the March 6, 1981 will of Lucille McDowell, deceased, are Lyle Overholt, Creighton, Nebr. and Terry McDowell of Kirkman.