

Marion Bartelson, 66

April 26, 1937 - Sept. 26, 2003

MANNING – Marion Carol Bartelson, the daughter of Louis and Elsie (Sinow) Hargens, was born April 26, 1937, in Manning. She attended school in Manning and graduated with the class of 1955. She then attended St. Anthony School of Nursing in Carroll, and graduated Aug. 21, 1958, as a registered nurse.

Marion married Junior Billie Bartelson Aug. 3, 1958, at the Redline Church of Christ. To this union three children were born, William, Enid and Wesley. After their marriage, they farmed for 28 years when the family then moved to the Fiscus area. Junior drove a school bus for the Irwin, Kirkman, Manilla school district while Marion worked at the doctor's clinic in Harlan, as a registered nurse for Dr. William A. Markham. Marion died Sept. 26, 2003, at her home in Manning, at age 66 years and five months.

Her father, Louis; her husband, Junior; and her daughter, Enid, all preceded her in death. She is survived by her sons, William Bartelson (Mary) of Earlham and Wesley Bartelson of Harlan; her mother, Elsie Hargens of Manning; two grandchildren, Joshua and Megan Bartelson; brothers and sisters, Marlene (Leo) Zimmerman of Griswold; Alan Hargens of California; Arden Hargens (Gloria) of Manilla; Lila (Dennis) Forke of Cedar Rapids; Jerry Hargens (Debbie) of Glidden; and Lori (Darrel) Voege of Cairo, NE; and other relatives.

Funeral services were held Sept. 30, 2003, at Pauley Jones Funeral Home with Rev. Ted Sieck officiating. Burial was in the Redline Cemetery in rural Irwin, with Denny Forke, Kevin McConnell, Dwain Boell, Chris Schieffler, Joshua Bartelson and Marlin Petersen casket bearers.