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# Kathryn E. Chambers, 79

Feb. 6, 1917 - Dec. 6, 1996

**HARLAN** - Kathryn Elizabeth Chambers, daughter of LuVern and Ellen Kerr Dryden was born Feb. 6, 1917, in Harlan. She attended school in Harlan, graduating from the Harlan High School with the class of 1935.

She married Lawrence Johnson June 18, 1941, in Omaha. She helped him in managing the Earl May Store in Harlan prior to his death July 6, 1955.

Nov. 26, 1960, she married Floyd Chambers in Harlan. They made their home on a farm near Harlan before retiring to Harlan in 1982. She was a member of the First Baptist Church in Harlan and a member of Lebanon Chapter No. 8, Order of Eastern Star in Harlan. She died Dec. 6, 1996, at Myrtue Memorial Hospital at age 79 years and ten months.

In addition to her parents and first husband, she was preceded in death by her brother, Jack, in March of 1996, and her grandson, Greg Mathiasen in 1990. Surviving are her husband, Floyd Chambers of Harlan; her stepdaughters, Ann (Norman) Snuttjer of Co. Bluffs and Linda (Ron) Goetzinger of Shelby; five grandchildren and other relatives.

Funeral services were held Dec. 9, 1996, at Pauley Funeral Home with Rev. John E. Hester of the First Baptist Church officiating. Burial was in the Harlan Cemetery with Gene Rosman, Henry A. Pauley and Thomas Schmitz honorary casket bearers. Casket bearers were Tom Snuttjer, Kevin Goshorn, Floyd Feser, Wendell Knauss, Curt Mathiasen and Larry Ohlinger.