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Kathleen Joann Determann, 57

Sept. 20, 1940 - May 14, 1998

HARLAN - Kathleen Joann Determann, daughter of Elmer Louis and Myrtle (Hansen) Gosch, was born Sept. 20, 1940, in Ute. She grew up in Ute, and graduated from Ute Community School in 1958. Shortly thereafter, her parents died, and she raised her three brothers. Kathleen worked for Montgomery Ward in Denison, and later in Sioux City.

March 18, 1972, she married James Robert Determann in Sioux City. The couple lived in Blair, NE, for a short time, moving to Harlan in 1975. In April, 1976, she began working for Variety Distributors in Harlan, and was still employed there at the time of her death. James died Jan. 31, 1991, in Harlan. She was a member of Peace Lutheran Church in Harlan. She died May 14, 1998, at Myrtue Memorial Hospital at age 57 years, seven months and 24 days.

Preceding Kathleen in death were her parents; her husband, James; one sister, Sandra Carlson; and two brothers, Dale Gosch and Elmer Gosch. She is survived by one son, Jamie (Wendi) Determann of Oklahoma City, OK; one brother, Terry Gosch, and his fiancée, Rosemary Nettleman of Ida Grove; one brother-in-law, Norman Carlson of Ute; two sisters-in-law, Harla Gosch and Terry Sue Gosch, both of Sioux City; one niece; five nephews; her best friend, Cindy Murphy of Harlan, and other relatives.

Funeral services were held May 18, 1998, at Peace Lutheran Church in Harlan, with Vicar Merlene Ostebee officiating. Casket bearers were Ben Gosch, Rory Gosch, Chris Gosch, Terry Gosch, Trent Gosch and Tony Tichota. Burial was in the Harlan Cemetery. Burmeister Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.