



Eloise Faith Foxhoven, 70

May 17, 1920 — May 1, 1991

SHENANDOAH — Eloise Faith Foxhoven, daughter of Samuel and Daisy Rippey Lewis, was born May 17, 1920, on a farm near Riverton. She was raised in the Riverton area and attended school there.

Feb. 9, 1952, she married Bernard Foxhoven in Nebraska City, NE. After their marriage, they lived in Portsmouth, moving to Blanchard for a short time, then to Braddyville until 1956, when they moved to Shenandoah. She was one of the founders of the West Page Improvement Inc., later becoming a director in 1978, a position she held

until her death. She had the original idea for Nishna Productions Inc., bringing the idea before the West Page Board. She also started the Meals On Wheels program. She was a member of St. Mary's Catholic Church and its Guild, the past president of the local chapter of the former Iowa Council of Churches, represented the Des Moines Diocese at "A call action to the social justice", and was a delegate for five year plans to National Catholic meetings. She was a member of the V.F.W. Women's Auxiliary, co-chairman of the YMCA in Shenandoah, chairperson of the Page County Democratic party committee and District of Governor Ray's Traffic Safety Council in Area XIII. She had also started the shelter workshop where volunteers train the mentally retarded in specific job skills and has received various awards, including the Congressional Community Award, Ernie Fluette Award and recently the Advocate of the Poor Award from the Legal Aid Society. She died May 1, 1991.

She was preceded in death by her parents and two brothers, Guy and T.J. Lewis. Survivors include her husband, Bernard of Shenandoah; one brother, Dawson Lewis of Farragut; five sisters, Opal Smith of Shenandoah, Ruth Jorgensen, Daisy Hummel and Mary Forbes of Sidney and Hilda Peterson of Mission Viejo, CA.; several nieces and nephews and other relatives.

Funeral services were held May 4, 1991 at St. Mary's Catholic Church in Shenandoah with Rev. Wayne Gubbels, celebrant. Burial was in the Rose Hill cemetery.