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Lois Greve, 80

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IRWIN – Lois Irene Greve, the daughter of Henry and Martha (Frank) Greve was born July 14, 1911, at Kirkman. She attended Kirkman Consolidated School, graduating from high school in the class of 1928. She then attended Van Sant Business College in Omaha, NE., after which she became employed at the Omaha Golf and Country Club, and then Sidles Co., both in Omaha. Her work schedule was interrupted by a short marriage of four years which ended in divorce.

In March of 1944, she enlisted in the U.S. Navy, serving her country during WW II as a Yeoman Third Class. After her honorable discharge Feb. 8, 1946, she moved to Phoenix, AZ. Shortly thereafter, she moved to Tucson, AZ., where she was employed at Valley Bank. Later she became employed as a secretary at the University of Arizona at Tucson, from which she retired in 1973.

While in Tucson, she established her home by building a house which she lived in for several years. In later years, she sold her home and purchased a mobile home. She, along with her sister, Leta, traveled considerably during the middle years of her life. Their travel took them through the European Continent, South America, and to many places in the U.S. In Oct. of 1984, she moved to Des Moines from Tucson and in Feb. of 1985. she became a resident of the Wesley Acres Nursing Home. It was there that she died Nov. 7, 1991, at age 80 years, 3 months and 24 days. She was a member of Grace Methodist Church in Des Moines.

In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by her sister, Leta and her brother. Otto. Surviving her is her brother, Leslie (Clovis) Greve of Des Moines; two nieces, Barbara (Mrs Gene) Bonofiglo of Grand Rapids, Ml., and Joyce Hansen of Colton, CA.; cousins, and other relatives.

Funeral services were held Nov. 9, 1991 at the Pauley Funeral Home with Pastor Walter Bernard of the Kirkman United Methodist Church, officiating. Burial was held Nov. 13, 1991 at the Oak Hill cemetery in Irwin with Rev. Janne A. Clinton of First United Methodist Church in Harlan, officiating. Pauley Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.