

Gladys D. Johnson, 77 *1988*

KIMBALLTON - Gladys Dortehea Johnson was born Feb. 14, 1911 in Audubon county. Her parents were Hans and Ollie (Christensen) Johnson. She spent her early life in Audubon county. As a young woman she worked in Des Moines.

In 1929 she married Frank Miller. Together they owned and operated a cafe in Madrid. On Aug. 19, 1946, she was married to Chester Johnson who was in the implement business with his brother, Alvin in Kimballton. They adopted a son, Ronnie at the age of ten months on July 4, 1948. She has not been well for a number of years. She died in the Audubon County Memorial Hospital on June 28, 1988 at age 77 years.

Preceding her in death were her parents. She is survived by her husband, Chester of Kimballton; one son and daughter-in-law, Ronald Lee and Birgid Johnson of Grand Rapids, MI; four grandchildren and one brother, Edward Johnson of Exira.

Funeral services were July 1, 1988 at the Immanuel Lutheran Church in Kimballton with Pastor Stephen Gronseth officiating. Burial was in the Immanuel Lutheran cemetery, Kimballton with Donald Hopp, Richard Klitgaard, James Larsen, Warren Ladd, Layland Larsen and Richard Petersen as casket bearers. Kalltoft Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.