

## **Margaret Johnson, 77**

**WALNUT** - Margaret Mae Johnson was born in Pottawattamie County, May 30, 1912. She was the daughter of Jessie and Minnie Sapingfield Stevens and one of eight children born to this union. She attended country schools in the Oakland area.

She married Willie (Bill) Johnson on March 1, 1933 at Co. Bluffs. They farmed in the Oakland, Lewis and Hancock areas. They were the parents of one daughter, Barbara. They retired from farming and moved to Walnut in the mid 1960's. After moving to Walnut, she worked at the Peace Haven Home and the Colonial Motor Inn.

She died Jan. 28, 1990 at the Atlantic Care Center in Atlantic, where she had been a resident since last Dec., at age 77 years.

She was preceded in death by her parents; three sisters, Cora Winslow, Olive Copeland and Laura Thompson; three brothers, Guy Stevens, Willard Stevens and Emery Stevens. Survivors include her husband, Willie, a resident of the Atlantic Care Center; their daughter, Barbara (Richard) Johnson of Bella Vista, AR.; one grandson; one sister, Doris (Clark) Brindley of Richmond; one brother, Max Stevens of Barstow, CA.; nieces, nephews and other relatives.

Services were held Jan. 30, 1990 at Knutson Funeral Home with Pastor Reinhold Dohrmann, officiating. Burial was at the Walnut cemetery with Jay Johnson, Gary Stevens, Dean Stucker, Dell Winslow, Gayle Stevens and Earlin Fenn serving as casketbearers.