

## **Olga Christina Kiesel, 82**

**Oct. 2, 1908 — March 30, 1991**

**SHELBY** — Olga Christina Kiesel was born Oct. 2, 1908 at Persia. She was the daughter of Henry and Minnie Boge Oloff. She was one of nine children in the family. She was baptized in the Lutheran Faith when a small child and later was confirmed at the Trinity Lutheran Church in Persia.

She lived with her parents on a farm near Persia until Dec. 6, 1939, when she married Walter Kiesel. She transferred her church membership to the United Lutheran Church in Shelby. They lived on various farms in the Avoca, Minden, Persia and Neola areas until their retirement when they moved to their home in Shelby. Walt died April 23, 1989. She died at her home in Shelby March 30, 1991 of an apparent heart attack at age 82 years, 5 months and 28 days.

She was preceded in death by her parents; her husband, Walter; three brothers, Harry, Carl in infancy and William Oloff; one sister, Edna Whitmore, who died in Dec. of 1990. Survivors include two sisters, Anna Thoms and Emma Oloff, both of Harlan; two brothers, Vern Oloff (Lois) of Persia; and George Oloff (Annie) of Wittmann, AZ.; nieces, nephews and other relatives.

Funeral services were held April 2, 1991 at the United Lutheran Church in Shelby with Pastor Stan Nielsen, officiating. Burial was in the Shelby cemetery. Casketbearers were Melvin Boll, Robert Buck, Donald Heilig, Paul Messerschmidt, Harry Ausdemore and Verne Redinbaugh, Jr. Knutson