



Caroline (Lena) Leinen, 87

Jan. 23, 1906 — May 18, 1993

PORTSMOUTH — Caroline Josephine (Lena) Leinen, daughter of Casper and Agnes (Nowatzke) Stinn was born Jan. 23, 1906 in Earling. She died May 18, 1993, at the Mercy Hospital in Co. Bluffs, at age 87 years, 3 months and 25 days. She was baptized, received her First Communion and was con-

firmed at St. Joseph's Catholic Church in Earling. She attended St. Joseph's School in Earling.

Jan. 13, 1925, she married Joseph P. Leinen at St. Joseph's Catholic Church in Earling. Five children were born to this union. After their marriage, they farmed near Portsmouth. After the death of her husband June 29, 1993, she remained on the family farm with her son Don. She was a member of St. Mary's Catholic Church in Portsmouth; and the Catholic Daughters of America, St. Katherine's Court #266 of Earling.

In addition to her parents and husband, she was preceded in death by a sister, Mrs M.D. (Flora) Leinen; and 3 brothers, William, Joe, and Frank Stinn. She is survived by her children, Donald Leinen of Portsmouth; Virginia (Bob) Reinig of Portsmouth; Bernard (Helen) Leinen of Panama; Richard (Alma) Leinen of Portsmouth; and Joe (Jeanette) Leinen of Co. Bluffs; 21 grandchildren; and 54 great-grandchildren; and other relatives.

A Mass of Christian Burial was concelebrated May 21, 1993 at St. Mary's Catholic Church in Portsmouth with Rev. Mike McLaughlin, celebrant and Msgr. Edward Kelly, concelebrating. Burial was in St. Mary's cemetery in Portsmouth with Tim Leinen, Larry Reinig, Rick Leinen, Gary Leinen, Duane Reinig and Steve Leinen casketbearers. Pauley Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.