Evelyn C. Mertz, 69

WALNUT - Evelyn C. Mertz, was born in Germantown, lowa and the family later moved to Avoca where she attended three years of high school.

She graduated from the Walnut High School in 1937.

She married George Mertz Sept. 11, 1944. They made their home in

Walnut. She was a member of the First Presbyterian Church, American Legion Auxiliary and the Armets Auxiliary all in Walnut.

She is survived by her husband, George; four sons, Kennard of Avoca, Dennis of Omaha, NE., Randy and Greg, both of Walnut; 9 grandchildren; 2 great-grandchildren; one sister, Mrs Charles (Lavonne) Bower of Lincoln, NE., and one brother, Alfred Oldehoff of Sioux Falls, S.D.

Funeral services were held Aug. 1, 1991 at the First Presbyterian Church in Walnut. Burial was in the Walnut cemetery. Rev. Ray Molander, Interim Pastor of Church, officiated. Knutson Funeral Home in Walnut in charge of arrangements.