

Beulah Gertrude Miller

Feb. 18, 1909 — Jan. 12, 1991

ELK HORN – Beulah Gertrude Miller, daughter of George and Gertrude (Smithers) Brown was born Feb. 18, 1909, in Grove twp. in Shelby county. She died Jan. 12, 1991, at Myrtue Memorial Hospital in Harlan, at age 81 years, 10 months and 25 days. She attended school near Dunlap and Dow City, and grew to adulthood in that area.

Oct. 6, 1931, she married Urban G. Miller at Earling. They were the parents of two daughters, Evelyn and Nadeen. After their marriage, they made their home in the Earling area for nine years. They then lived at Harlan, Oakland, and Walnut before moving to their home in Elk Horn. After the death of Urban Jan. 24, 1972, she continued to reside in Elk Horn and Nov. 16, 1983, she became a resident of the Salem Lutheran Home in Elk Horn. This has been her home since that time.

In addition to her parents and husband, she was preceded in death by three sisters, Lula Schmitz, Annette Ransom, and Hazel Miller; and three brothers, Louie, Otto and Fred. Survivors include her daughters, Evelyn (Gerald) Elmquist and Nadeen (Douglas) Palmer, both of Elk Horn; two grandsons; one sister, Lorrean Woolsoncroft of Columbia, S.C.; and two brothers, Ervin Brown of Conoga Park, CA., and Merlyn Brown of rural Harlan; nieces and nephews and other relatives.

Funeral services were held Jan. 16, 1991 at Pauley Funeral Home with Chaplain LeVern S. Nielsen of the Salem Lutheran Home in Elk Horn, officiating. Burial was in the Pleasant Hill cemetery in Dunlap with Gary Brown, Darrell Ohl, John F. Miller, Richard Brown, Leonard Miller, and Eugene A. Miller serving as casket bearers. Pauley Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.