



JoAnn Sorensen, 64

July 22, 1927 — June 10, 1992

HARLAN — JoAnn Marie Sorensen, daughter of John and Ruby (Green) Christensen was born July 22, 1927, in Cass Twp., Shelby county. She died June 10, 1992, at Jennie Edmundson Hospital in Co. Bluffs, at age 64 years, 10 months and 19 days. She attended school in Tennant for four years before completing her schooling and graduating from Harlan High School in 1945. after

high school, she became a bookkeeper at Graham's Department Store in Harlan.

Jan. 12, 1947, she married Robert W. Sorensen at the Lutheran Church in Harlan. Three sons were born to this union. After their marriage, she worked as a clerk at Pexton's Drug Store for the next ten years. They then became the proprietors of Bob's Spark and Brake. In July of 1972, they opened a photography business in their home entitled, Bob 'N Jo's Candid's. They celebrated their 45th wedding anniversary in Jan. of this year. In addition to being a member of the Immanuel Lutheran Church in Harlan, she was a member of the Zenobia Rebekah Lodge #286 of Harlan; the V.F.W. Auxiliary, the Lioness; and Danish Brotherhood.

Preceding her in death were her parents and one son, Basil D. Sorensen. Surviving is her husband, Robert W. Sorensen of Harlan; two sons, Wade (Donna) Sorensen and Eric Sorensen, all of Harlan; 8 grandchildren; two great-grandchildren and other relatives.

Funeral services were held June 12, 1992 at the Immanuel Lutheran Church in Harlan with Pastor Otto A. Zwanziger, officiating. Burial was in the Harlan cemetery with Ron Block, Joe Sondag, Wayne Olson, Dale Graeve, Clay Gubbels, Leo Kleffman, Roger Thomsen, and Jim Schechinger casketbearers. Pauley Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.