

March 23, 1983

Luella Abeln

Funeral services for Luella M. Abeln, 82, Groton, were held Tuesday afternoon, March 22, at St. John the Baptist Church in Groton with the Rev. Leonard Fox officiating. Burial was in St. John's Catholic Cemetery in Groton under the direction of the Paetznick - Garness Funeral Home of Groton.

Casket bearers were Doug Abeln and Neal Abeln, Carl Howard Jr., Hollace Krueger, Lawrence Rohwer and Elmer Messing. Mrs. Robert Groeblichhoff was the organist and Omer Nelson and George Trembl were the ushers.

Luella Abeln was born May 3, 1900, in Bancroft, Iowa, and moved to the Groton area at the age of seven. She attended grade school in Riverside Township, graduated from Groton High School and attended Northern Normal in Aberdeen. She never married.

She was a member of St. John the Baptist Catholic Church, the Altar Society, Three R Study Club and the Handicraft Club, all of Groton.

Survivors include one brother, Clarence Hagerstown, Md., and several nieces and nephews.