

## Julia Betty <sup>8/22/84</sup>

Services for Mrs. Jim (Julia) Betty, 82, Groton, were held at 10:30 a.m., Friday, Aug. 17, at St. John's the Baptist Catholic Church, Groton, with the Rev. Leonard Fox officiating.

Burial was in the church cemetery under the direction of the Paetznick-Garness Funeral Chapel, Groton.

She died Wednesday, Aug. 15, at the Bethesda Home in Aberdeen.

Casketbearers were Randy Ries, Greg Lemburg, Rick Mielke, Jeff Mielke, Troy Engelhart and Tim Hixon. Organist was Mrs. Ben Anderson with Diane Weishaar as soloist.

Julia Blanchette was born December 16, 1901, at Clark. She married Jim Betty May 2, 1925, at Aberdeen. They lived in Aberdeen for a time before moving to Groton, where they have lived since. She has been in nursing homes for the past three years.

Survivors include her husband; three daughters, Mrs. Clarence (Helen) Mielke, Rapid City; Mrs. Hiran (Rosemary) Kolbo, Aberdeen; and Mrs. Don (Fern) Ries, Groton; two brothers, Fred Blanchette, Concord, Calif.; and Leo Blanchette, Howard Lake, Minn.; two sisters, Mrs. Stella Cunningham, Aberdeen; and Mrs. Carl (Eva) Kumpf, Aberdeen; 14 grandchildren and 14 great-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her parents, one brother, one grandchild and two great-grandchildren.