

Mary S. Neumann

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Mary S. Neumann, 95, Groton, died Sunday, Feb. 9, 1997, at Colonial Manor in Groton. Her funeral will be Thursday, Feb. 13, at 11 a.m. at St. John's Lutheran Church in Groton with the Rev. Craig Grams officiating. Burial will be in Groton Union Cemetery.

Mary Stange was born January 20, 1902 at Lomira, Wis., Her parents were John and Emilie (Maske) Stange. She moved with her parents to South Dakota in 1905 to a farm southwest of Groton. She attended elementary school in Henry Township. As a young woman she did house work for neighbors. She married Walter Paeth at Groton on September 14, 1923. They lived on the Paeth farm. She helped with the farm work and always had an abundant garden. She always had new potatoes and peas and spring chicken for the fourth of July. She still did house cleaning for many years. Her husband died in 1955 and she moved to Groton. She married Erich Neumann on September 12, 1958 at Groton. They lived in Groton and Erich had a shoe repair shop and Mary helped him in his business. They spent time at their cottage at Pickerel Lake where they enjoyed fishing. He died in 1977 and Mary continued to live at their home in Groton until August of 1995 when she became a resident at Colonial Manor.



She is survived by one step daughter, Clarice (Larry) Nupin, Aberdeen; two sisters, Mrs. Emil (Lillian) Rose, Groton, and Elda Stange, Groton; three step grandsons and nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by both husbands, her parents, four sisters and two brothers.

The casketbearers will be Alvin Bahr, Arthur Bahr, Duane Neumann, Clarence Rose, Ben Schaller, and Walter Schaller.

The organist will be Alvera Neuman. Eugene Neuman will be the usher.