

# Leona Schuller 11-20-97

The funeral for Leona Schuller, 77, of the Bethesda Home of Aberdeen and formerly of Claremont was held Tuesday at the United Methodist Church with the Rev. Steve Olson officiating.

Burial was in the Groton Union Cemetery. Paetznick-Garness Funeral Chapel of Groton was in charge of arrangements.

She died Friday, Nov. 14, 1997, at St. Luke's Midland Regional Medical Center.

Leona Margaret Deck was born July 1, 1920, to Leo and Effie (Forbes) Deck at Butler. She grew up in the Lily/Butler area and attended school at Lily. She graduated from Lily High School in 1938. She received a two-year teaching certificate from Northern Normal and Industrial School. She taught for two years in the Claremont Public School.

She married George W. Schuller on January 24, 1942 at Aberdeen. They made their home on a farm near Claremont. She lived in the Claremont area until 1990. She became a resident of the Bethesda Nursing Home in Aberdeen.

Survivors include one son, Roger (Shirley) Schuller of Claremont; one daughter, Linda (Blair) Tremere of



Golden Valley, Minn.; one grandson, Matthew Schuller of Sioux Falls; and three sisters, Henrietta (Walter) Brendel, Marcella (Vernon) Bunsness and Virginia (Charles) Clark, all of Aberdeen.

She was preceded in death by her parents and her husband.

Casketbearers were LaVerne Swanson, Donald Tisher, Donald Miller Jr., John McCranie, Michael McCranie, Mark Hoines, Keith Cutler and Gary Lenling.