

Julia Knapp, 76 48-99

Julia Knapp, 76, Groton, died Tuesday, March 30, 1999 at Avera St. Luke's Hospital, Aberdeen.

Her funeral was Saturday, April 3, 1999 at St. John's Lutheran Church, Groton, with the Rev. Crag Grams officiating. A committal service will be in Sunset Memorial Gardens at a later date. Paetznick-Garness Funeral Chapel, Groton, is in charge of arrangements.

Julia Louise Bahr was born April 26, 1922 to Ernest and Emma (Stange) Bahr, Ferney. She grew up in the Ferney area and attended school in Ferney. She worked as a housekeeper for many years.

She married Robert Gabert in 1940. He died in 1945. She moved to Groton.

She married Alvin Knapp, January 20, 1951 in Webster. They lived in California, while he was in the armed services. They then returned to Groton, where they made their home.

Julia was a member of St. John's Lutheran Church, Groton. She loved doing jigsaw puzzles, crocheting and reading.

She is survived by one daughter, Arlene (Ivan) Kent, Corona, Calif.; two brothers, Arthur Bahr, Ferney, and Alvin Bahr, Turton; one sister, Lydia Nowak, Fargo, ND; and two grandsons, Paul Jay Kent and Gregory Scott Kent, both of Los Angeles, Calif.

She was preceded in death by her parents, both husbands, one brother, and one sister.

Casketbearers were Dean Bahr, Marvin Bahr, LeRoy Bahr, Michael Fey, Ron Hanson and Henry Nowak.

Organist was Alvera Neuman and soloist was the Rev. Bill Duncan. Ushers were Ben Schaller and Doug Ehrenberg.

