

October 27, 1982

## Myrtle Morey

Services for Mrs. Chancy (Myrtle) Morey, 73, Groton, were held at 10 a.m., Monday at St. John's Lutheran Church in Groton with the Rev. Larry Johnson officiating.

Burial was at 3:30 p.m., Monday at Bethania Cemetery in Colton. The Paetznick-Garness Funeral Chapel of Groton was in charge of arrangements.

Mrs. Morey died Friday, Oct. 22, at her home.

Casketbearers, all grandsons, were Richard Morey, Anton Weststein, Kerry Mertz, Randy Bonn, Andre' Bonn and Timothy Thurston. All of her friends were considered honorary casketbearers. Mrs. Eugene Neuman was the organist and the congregation sang "What A Friend We Have In Jesus", "Nearer My God To Thee" and "Rock Of Ages".

Myrtle Valland was born November 7, 1908, at Colton. She married Chancy Morey at Colton March 7, 1929. They farmed in the Verdon area from 1944 to 1970 when they moved into Groton.

Survivors include her husband; one son, Kenneth, Minneapolis, Minn.; five daughters, Mrs. Russell (Dolores) Swanson, Ironton, Minn.; Mrs. James (Kay) Wolner, Healdsburg, Calif.; Mrs. Robert (Ruth) Mertz, Aberdeen; Mrs. Roger (Helen) Munger, Milbank; and Mrs. Steven (Verna) Thurston, Groton; two brothers, Orville Valland, Sioux Falls; and Ernest Valland, Colton; one sister, Mrs. Irene Rentschler, Dell Rapids; 18 grandchildren and 11 great-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by two sons, one brother, two sisters and one great-granddaughter.