

Carole Zoellner

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Carole Zoellner, 67, Groton, died May 31, 1998 at her farm home rural Groton. The funeral will be at the First Presbyterian Church of Groton, at 10:30 a.m. on Thursday, June 4, with the Rev. Gerald Rife officiating. Burial will be in Groton Union Cemetery.

Carole Mae Swanson was born May 20, 1931 at the Britton hospital to Arthur O. and Mabel (Slettengreen) Swanson. She grew up at Langford attending school in Langford and graduated a valediction from Langford High School in 1948. She attended Presentation College where she received her Registered Nurses Degree. She worked at St. Luke's Hospital and also at the Ipswich Hospital. She married Robert O. Zoellner on March 4, 1951 at Langford. They made their home on a farm near Groton.



Carole was active in the farm operation raising cattle and grain. Her husband died in October of 1993. She continued to manage the farm until her recent illness.

She was a member of the First Presbyterian Church in Groton, the Presbyterian Women, the American Legion Auxiliary and the Henry Benefit. She assisted with 4-H and volunteered at the Brown County Fair. She enjoyed gardening.

She is survived by two sons, Arthur Zoellner, Aberdeen, and Arnold Zoellner, Groton; two daughters, Karen Zoellner, Aberdeen, and Roberta (Kyle) Starkey, Bloomington, Ind.

She was preceded in death by her husband, an infant son, her parents and one brother.

The casketbearers will be Delbert Leonhardt, Jack McKiver, Ed Phillips, Charles Robinson, Steve Swanson and Gene Zoellner.

Marie Sternhagen will be the organist.