

Marie Karlen

Mrs. Marie H. Karlen, 81, 2425 Seventh St., died Saturday, Aug. 1986, at Monroe Manor Nursing Home. She lived there since May 2.

Born Sept. 27, 1904 in Sylvester Township, she was the daughter of August and Minnie (Miltz) Feldt.

Her marriage to Fred C. Karlen Jr. took place Nov. 12, 1925. She farmed with her husband in Adams Township until moving to Monroe in 1947. He died Dec. 14, 1956.

She is survived by a son, Roland E. Karlen, Monroe; a daughter, Mrs. Calvin (Virginia) Drafahl, Monticello; a sister, Mrs. Carl (Ella) Siedschlag, Monroe; 12 grandchildren and 17 great-grandchildren.

Besides her husband, she was preceded in death by her father in 1934, her mother in 1946, a son, Ralph, in 1975, two brothers, Otto and Harry Feldt, and three sisters, Annie Wild, Martha Wild and Minnie Chryst.

Funeral services will be held at 10 am. Tuesday at Shriner-Neushwander Funeral Home with the Rev. Carol Adams, associate pastor of St. John's United Church of Christ officiating. Burial will be in Greenwood Cemetery, Monroe.

Visitation will be from 5-8 pm. today at the funeral home.

Memorials may be made to Apostolate to the Handicapped.

The family will greet friends and relatives at Fellowship Hall of St John's church following the funeral Tuesday.