

Mrs. Margaret Grossen

July 10, 1918 - May 16, 1985

Mrs. Robert (Margaret) Grossen, 66, Monticello, died Thursday, May 16, 1985, in St. Clare Hospital, Monroe, where she had been a patient since May 16. She had been in failing health for several months.

Born in Paoli, on July 10, 1918, she was the daughter of William and Irene Skelley Sarbacher. She was married at Dubuque, Iowa on Oct. 29, 1938, to Robert C. Grossen.

They farmed in Jordan Township until 1941 when they moved to Exeter Township where they resided for 17 years. They retired in 1980 and moved to the village of Monticello.

Services were held Sunday, May 19 in the Zwingli United Church of Christ, Monticello, where she was a member. Rev. Don Nelson, interim pastor officiated and burial was in Highland Cemetery, Monticello.

Survivors include her husband, Robert; one daughter, Mrs. Leo (Joann) Plevak, Monroe; three sons, Robert E. and James R. Grossen, both of rural Monticello, and Randy L., Monroe; three brothers, Earl Sarbacher, Browntown; Leo, Albany, and Ray, Rancho Cardova, Cal.; two sisters, Dorothy Chase, Sun Prairie, and Virginia Clark, Seneca, Mo.; 10 grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by one daughter, Ellen, in 1947; one son, Richard in 1955, and one sister, Wilma.