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Mildred Gearhart Mitzel

June 26, 1911, to May 7, 2001

Mildred Gearhart Mitzel, 89, a former Collins resident, died at the home of her daughter in Lee's Summit, Mo., on May 7.

She was born in Story County on June 26, 1911, to Harley and Beulah (Wick) Gearhart. She graduated from Collins High School in 1929 and later obtained a bachelor's of science degree from ISU in dietetics. She worked for the Farm Security Administration in Iowa. On May 26, 1937, she married Raymond C. Mitzel of Sedalia, Mo. Following World War II, she and her husband made their home in Bethesda, Md., moving to Sedalia, Mo., in 1971 during their retirement years.

While in Sedalia, she was a member of Wesley United Methodist Church, Church Women United, Wesley Fellowship/Couples Class, Chapter LQ of the PEO Sisterhood, NARFE and the Compass Club.

Survivors include a daughter, Sara M. (and Phil) Miller of Lee's Summit, Mo.; a son, Raymond C. (and Ginny) Mitzel II of Townsend, Mass.; four granddaughters; four step-grandchildren; and four-step great-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her father in 1952; her mother in 1963; her only brother, Harold in 1968; and her husband, Raymond, in 1979.

Funeral services were held at McLaughlin's Funeral Chapel in Sedalia, Mo., with burial in?
Sedalia, Mo.