

OBITUARY

Bessie M. Bryan, 97

Mrs. Bessie M. Bryan, 97, Zearing, passed away Thursday, Dec. 11 at the Colonial Manor Nursing Home in Zearing. She had been a resident there for the past five years.

Services were held Wednesday, Dec. 17 at the Zearing Christian Church with burial following in the Lincoln Township Cemetery in Zearing.

Bessie was born Feb. 23, 1906 in Ames, the daughter of Charlie M. and Cordelia D. (Burnett) Nelson. She married Louis B. Bryan on Jan. 20, 1934 in Unionville, MO. She was a farm wife and helped farm from 1940 to 1969 in Zearing.

She was a member of the Zearing Christian Church and a

member of the Christian Women's Fellowship, C.W.F.

She is survived by her two daughters, Louise (Mrs. Ed) Brown of Windsor, CO; and Marilyn Jane Bryan of Evans, CO. Also six grandchildren, nine great grandchildren, one great great grandson, two brothers, Cecil Nelson of Sturgis, SD, and Milo Nelson of Houston, TX.

She was preceded in death by her parents, her husband Louis in 1988, five brothers and a sister.

Memorials may be directed to her daughter, Mrs. Louise Brown, 1019 Indian Trail Dr., Windsor, CO 80550.

Fredregill Funeral Home of Zearing was in charge of arrangements.