

Dorothy Lavone Jacobs Storey

October 24, 1916 – October 4, 1996

Graveside funeral services were held Tuesday, October 8, 1996, at Prairie Lawn Cemetery, Cody, Nebraska., for Dorothy Lavone (Jacobs) Storey, 79, of Martin, S.D. Reverend Nix of Sioux Falls officiated.

Dorothy was born at Oshkosh, Nebraska, October 24, 1916, to John and Blanche (Henessey) Jacobs. When she was one and one-half years old, the family moved to Bennett County in a covered wagon and settled in the Tuthill area. When Dorothy was nine, she began attending the South Dakota School for the Deaf in Sioux Falls, S.D. She played on the girls' basketball team and graduated in 1917.

Through a school acquaintance, she secured a defense plant job in Michigan where she met Roscoe Storey. They were married December 29, 1945, and made their home in Pontiac, Michigan, until Roscoe's death in December 1974.

Dorothy moved to Rapid City, S.D. and lived there for 18 years. She participated in many activities for the hearing-impaired and was a member of Calvary Lutheran Church, Rapid City, S.D..

She loved music, dancing, walking, bowling, baseball, traveling and her terrier dogs.

Dorothy was a people lover and spent many hours shopping and people watching in the mall. In spite of her handicap and losing her father and a brother when she was about four years old, she was strong and persevered.

She was preceded in death by her husband; parents; a brother, Jack Morris Jacobs; and a sister, Louise Dee Key.

Survivors include one sister, Lillian farmer, Tuthill; one brother, Leland Jacobs, Martin; nephews and nieces.

Ziegler Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.



1937-38 Girl Basketball Sextet

The Girls' 1937-38 Sextet in winning five of its eight games, has made the best record to date. Shown in the picture are:

Majorie Wells, Tyndall; Berneta Borghorst, Reliance; Mildred Catron, Camp Crook; Sirley Erdman, Corsica; Lavone Jacobs, Tuthill; Ida Schwartzkopt, Iroquois; Della Mae Getting, Sioux Falls; Flora Van Dyk, Sioux Falls; and Coach May Curtis.

