



Beth Elaine Slobe

July 1, 1917 - December 7, 2005

Beth Elaine Slobe: Beth passed away at the Hospice House of Wapello County on Wednesday evening, Dec. 7, 2005 at the age of 88 years, 5 months and 6 days.

Beth is survived by her son, Jerald ""Jerry"" (Christine) Slobe of Oskaloosa; seven grandchildren: Julie (Eric) Brown of Fargo, ND; Amy Slobe of Oskaloosa; Jeffrey Slobe of Oskaloosa; Julie (Joe) Kielman of Clarksville, IA; Tara and Brandon Slobe of Oskaloosa and Rocky Slobe; and five great grandchildren: Jacob and Jackson Slobe; Donnie and Gracie Kielman; and McKinley Brown.

Beth Elaine Slobe, daughter of Albert and Ethel Cubit Jones, was born July 1, 1917 in Albia, Iowa. She was a 1934 graduate of Oskaloosa High School and attended William Penn College for one year, before attending Chillicothe Business College in Chillicothe, Missouri. There she earned a degree in Cost Accounting. Beth worked briefly in Tulsa OK, before moving back to Oskaloosa. She married William J. Slobe on November 24, 1938 at the Central United Methodist Church in Oskaloosa. While her children, Ronald and Jerald were young, she was a homemaker; she eventually went back to work at William Penn College as the business manager, a position she held for 15 years. Beth concluded her working career as the city clerk for

Oskaloosa, a position she held for 6 years.

Beth is a member of Central United Methodist Church in Oskaloosa and P.E.O. Chapter I.O. She enjoyed music, especially playing her organ, traveling, collecting antique dishes and spending time with her family. She had been living in Ottumwa at Pennsylvania Place since 2000.

Beth was preceded in death by her parents; her husband, William; one son, Ronald and three brothers: Rolland, Robert and Beryl Jones.

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“ *Beth Elaine Slobe*

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