

Luella Pauline Downing

March 6, 1921-September 30, 1999

Funeral services for Luella Pauline Downing 78, were held Saturday, October 2, 1999, at 10 a.m. at the Trinity Lutheran Church in Wheatland, with Reverend David L. Anderson officiating. Interment was in the Wheatland Cemetery.

Mrs. Downing died Thursday, September 30, 1999, at the Platte County Memorial Hospital in Wheatland.

Luella was born March 6, 1921, in Millerville, Minn., the daughter of William and Ella (Proehl) Glebe.

She was reared and educated in Millerville and on June 7, 1942, she married Edwin Emil Downing in Millerville. Luella and Edwin farmed in Miltna, Minn. for 21 years. They moved to Littleton, Colo. in 1963 and Luella worked for the Littleton School District in food service. In 1980 they moved to Wheatland to retire.

Luella was a member of Trinity Lutheran Church and the Lutheran Women's Missionary League. She enjoyed handwork, card parties, quilting and

flower gardening.

She is survived by three sons, Ron Downing of Arvada, Colo., Virgil Downing of Loveland, Colo. and Larry Downing of Croton-On-Hudson, N.Y.; a brother, Lloyd Glebe of New Lisbon, Wis.; and three grandchildren.

Luella was preceded in death by her parents; husband, Edwin on February 24, 1986; two sisters Dellora Potratz; and two brothers, Vernon Glebe and Raymond Glebe.

Serving as pallbearers were Jim Bohl, Don Sherard, John Maxson, John Skoog, Ed Sorge and John Atterbury. Honorary pallbearers were all of her many friends.

Memorials to Trinity Lutheran Church, P.O. Box 216, Wheatland, Wyo. 82201 or to the American Cancer Society, in care of Lois Thompson, 1605 - 16th Street, Apt. 7C, Wheatland, Wyo. 82201 would be appreciated by the family.

Platte Funeral Chapel of Wheatland was in charge of the arrangements.