

Agnes Lola Hitt

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Funeral services for Agnes Lola Hitt, 78, were held Thursday, April 16, 1992 at 1 p.m. at the Platte Funeral Chapel in Wheatland with Dan Barcus, minister of the First Christian Church of Gillette, Wyo., officiating. Interment followed in the Wheatland Cemetery.

Mrs. Hitt died Monday, April 13 at the Platte County Memorial Hospital following a long illness.

She was born Aug. 30, 1913 in Alva, Okla., the daughter of early Platte County homesteaders Earl Newton and Tessie (Houston) Romig. In 1913 she settled with her parents in the Antelope Gap community east of Wheatland. She attended rural schools and graduated from Wheatland High School with the class of 1931.

She received her Normal Training to be a school teacher, and then taught at several rural schools in Platte and Albany counties.

She was married to Burdette Wilbur Hitt of Slater, Wyo., on Oct. 5, 1936, in Gering, Neb. They made their home on a wheat farm in the Slater area. She was a charter member of the Slater Women's Club. She moved into Wheatland in the fall of 1978, where she resided until the time of her death. She was an avid reader, liked to sew, gardening and she had a keen sense of humor.

She is survived by two daughters, Janice Hitt and Karen Marshall, both of Wheatland. Four grandchildren, Susan Rothbaum, of Phoenix, Ariz., Lori Whitaker of Lubbock, Tex., Troy Marshall of Ft. Collins, Colo., and Toby Marshall of Laramie, Wyo., and two great-grandchildren, Justin Rothbaum of Phoenix and William Whitaker of Lubbock, also remain.

She was preceded in death by her parents, her husband on Aug. 31, 1978, a brother, Roger Romig, and one great-grandson.

Serving as pallbearers were Gregor Goertz, Benny Wilson, Jimmy Wilson, Jack McQuisten, Tony Weber and Bill Russell. A donation to the "Skilled Care Section" at Platte County Memorial Hospital would be equally appreciated by the family.

The Platte Funeral Chapel was in charge of arrangements.