



Dorothy Hertel

May 28, 1914 - March 19, 2008

Dorothy Eleanor Fannie (Bonk) Hertel, age 93, of Alhambra, IL., died Wednesday, March 19, 2008, at Hitz Memorial Home in Alhambra, IL.

She was born May 28, 1914, in Emery, SD., the daughter of Everett and Minnie (Willaredt) Bonk.

On September 1, 1936, she married Louis W. Hertel (died 6/15/1955) , who passed away June 15, 1955.

She was a member of Salem United Church of Christ, Alhambra, IL.

She was also a member of Salem UCC Women\'s Guild Madison County Farm Bureau.

Dorothy was born in South Dakota. Her family moved to Granite City, IL where she graduated from Granite City High School. She and her husband farmed north of Alhambra. She continued to farm with her brother Otto after her husband died in 1955. She farmed until October 1993. She enjoyed crotcheting and quilting.

Survivors include Daughter-Vivian L. (James) Mayer of Alhambra, Ill., Grandson-Paul J. (Teresa) Mayer of Alhambra, Ill., Granddaughter-Susan E.

(Scott) Graf of Nutley, N.J., G-Grandchild-Megan E. Graf, G-Grandchild-Sarah E. Graf, G-Grandchild-Isabelle M. Mayer

She was preceeded in death by Father-Everett Bonk, Mother-Minnie (nee Willaredt) Bonk, Husband-Louis W. Hertel (died 6/15/1955), Brother-Otto Bonk, Sister-Wilma McMichael, Brother-Orville Bonk.