Ilvina Kerns

Funeral services for Alvina Kerns, 82, were held Friday, April 24, 1992 at 10 a.m. at the First Baptist Church in Wheatland, with Pastor Marlin Driskell officiating. Interment followed in the Wheatland Cemetery.

Mrs. Kerns died Tuesday, April 21 at the Platte County Memorial Hospital Nursing Home in Wheatland following a long illness.

She was born June 2, 1909 in Waterloo, Iowa, the daughter of Harvey and Margaret (Eastman) Foulk. She was reared and educated in Iowa, and came to Wyoming in 1923.

She was married to James Willis Kerns on May 1, 1927 at the First Baptist Church in Wheatland, and she worked at various restaurants in Wheatland during her working career. She was a charter member of the First Baptist Church, where she was active throughout the years.

She and Willis celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary on May 1, 1977.

She has been a resident of Platte County Memorial Nursing Home since Aug. 23, 1988.

She was an active churchgoer, loved to read and cook, and did a lot of different types of craft projects.

She is survived by her three brothers, Claude Foulk of Wheatland, Ira Foulk of Three Forks, Mont., and Herbert Foulk of Greybull, Wyo. Numerous nieces and nephews also remain.

She was preceded in death by her parents, Her husband on Jan. 1, 1980, and three sisters, Ida Norris, Belva Rice and Blanche Parker.

Serving as pallbearers were Orval Earle, Larry Snook, Keith Reich, Keith Foulk, Herb Snyder and Craig Baker.

A memorial to the Platte County Memorial Nursing Home would be equally appreciated by the family.

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

