Hazel K. Klein

July 11, 1920 - February 12, 2004

Funeral services for Hazel K. Klein, 83, will be held Tuesday, February 17, 2004 at 2:00 P.M. at the Wheatland Bible Church with Pastor Denzil G. Mauk officiating. Inurnment will be in the Wheatland Cemetery.

Mrs. Klein died Thursday, February 12, 2004 at the Platte County Memorial Hospital in Wheatland, Wyoming.

She was born July 11, 1920 in Wheatland, Wyoming the daughter of Martin and Laura (McGuire) Jessen. She was reared and educated in Wheatland, graduating from the Wheatland High School in 1938. She then attended beauty school for one year in Hastings, Nebraska. She met her husband to be, William Herman Klein, in Hastings. They were married in Douglas, Wyoming on December 19, 1940. Mr. Klein served in World War II, so Hazel returned to Wheatland to reside until he was discharged. In 1945 they started farming southwest of Wheatland, built their home to raise three children. They resided there until the time of each of

their deaths. She enjoyed gardening, sewing, quilting, and spending time with her family.

She is survived by her children, Laura Banta of Denver, Colorado and Dale Klein of Wheatland; daughters-in-law, Judy Klein and Charlotte Klein both of Wheatland; son-in-law, Michael Banta of Denver; sisters, Ella Burzlaff and Leslie Juschka both of Wheatland; six grandsons; one grand-daughter; and eight great grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her father, Martin, on December 10, 1967; her mother, Laura, on May 9, 1964; her husband, Bill, on June 7, 1998; her son, Troy Martin Klein, on January 18, 1999; her brothers, Alvin Jessen and Glenn Jessen; and her sisters, Mabel Miller and Elizabeth Bohl.

Serving as honorary pallbearers will be her grandchildren and all of her many friends.

A memorial to the Wheatland Bible Church, P.O. Box 685, Wheatland, Wyoming 82201 would be appreciated by the family.

Gorman Funeral Homes - Platte Chapel is in charge of the arrangements.