

Mary G. Noble, 91

Mrs. Mary G. Noble, 91, of Brooklyn, died Sunday, February 6, 2005, at Grinnell Regional Medical Center, Grinnell.

Funeral services for Mary Noble were held at 10:30 a.m., Thursday, Feb. 10, 2005, at St. Patrick's Catholic Church, Brooklyn. The Rev. Brian Shepley officiated, and the musician was Marilyn Kriegel. Casket-bearers were Dean Lacaceyse, Carl Lacaceyse, Paul Lacaceyse, Gene Lacaceyse, Dave Collum, Virgil Heishman, Steve Plants, Ron Plants, Dennis Plants and Jim Nervig. Interment was in Calvary Cemetery, Brooklyn.

A Scripture service was held at 6:45 p.m. Wednesday at the Nevenhoven Funeral Home, Brooklyn. A memorial fund has been established.



Mary G. (Lacaceyse) Noble was born August 20, 1913, on the family farm near Belle Plaine. Her parents were John Lacaceyse and Irma (Heirbrandt) Lacaceyse.

Mary grew up south of Brooklyn and attended rural school and then Brooklyn High School, graduating in 1933. She married Raymond Joseph Noble on May 30, 1938, at St. Patrick's Catholic Church, Brooklyn. They were the parents of two daughters, Jo and Linda.

Mrs. Noble taught in a rural school south of Brooklyn for four years, and for two years at the Calderwood rural school north of Brooklyn. She and Ray owned and operated Nobles Dry Goods in Brooklyn from 1956 to 1971. Mr. Noble died October 18, 1980. Mrs. Noble was a resident of Brooklyn Community Estates.

Mrs. Noble was a member of St. Patrick's Catholic Church, Altar and Rosary Society, and the Catholic Order of Foresters. She loved to take her grandchildren and great-grandchildren fishing and enjoyed playing cards and traveling.

Surviving are her children, Jo Young and husband, Douglas of Iowa City, and Linda Noble of Iowa City; five grandchildren, Tracy VandenBergh and husband, Thatcher, Angie Young, Justin Young and wife, Kathy, all of Denver, Colo., Scott Gritsch and wife, Erin of Williamsburg, and David Gritsch and wife, Michelle of Iowa Falls; and six grandchildren, Morgan and Myles Gritsch, Quinn and Della Gritsch, Emerson VandenBergh, and Charlotte Young.

Preceding Mrs. Noble in death were her parents; husband; three brothers, Fred, Gus, and Bert Lacaceyse; two sisters, Margaret Akery and Clara Peterson; and one great-granddaughter, Isabel Gritsch.

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