

Selma F. Bissig
Sept. 11, 1899 - Oct. 7, 1973
Mrs. Matt Bissig

Mrs. Matt Bissig, 74, Monticello, died at 3:05 p.m. Sunday, Oct. 7, in University Hospital, Madison, after a long illness. She had been hospitalized since Sept. 4.

The former Selma F. Feldman was born in Monticello Sept. 11, 1899, the daughter of Jacob and Maria Meyer Feldman. She attended the Monticello schools, and on March 21, 1917, she married Matt Bissig in Monticello. They celebrated their 56th wedding anniversary earlier this year.

Mr. Bissig was a cheesemaker in the Monroe/Monticello area for many years at the Wittenwyler, Burgy and Grinnell cheese factories. They moved to Monticello in 1959, retiring in 1964.

She attended the Zwingli United Church of Christ, Monticello, and was a charter member of the Washington Homemakers and the Foreign People's Missionary Society.

Surviving are the widower; a son, Roy, Monroe; two daughters, Mrs. Robert (Ruth) W. Kessler, Monroe, and Mrs. Wilbert (Dorothy) J. Meier, Madison; two sisters, Mrs. Alex (Marie) Stauffer, Stockton, Calif.; and Mrs. Henry (Norma) J. Washburn, Holiday, Fla.; six grandchildren, and 10 great-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her parents, a sister, Mrs. John (Ann) Wittenwyler; three brothers, Henry, Jacob and William Feldman, and one grandson.

Funeral services will be at 1:30 p.m. Wednesday in the Zwingli United Church of Christ, with the Rev. Charles G. Workman officiating. Burial is to be in Highland Cemetery.

Friends may call after 5 p.m. Tuesday in the church lounge.

Voegeli Funeral Service is in charge of arrangements.

A memorial to the Wisconsin Heart Fund or the Cancer Society has been established.