## ELVA M. TRYON January 8, 1909 - May 21, 199

Elva M. Tryon, age 88 died Wednesday, May 21, 1997, at the Monroe Clinic Hospital.

She was born January 8, 1909 in Mt. Pleasant Township, Green County, daughter of Fred and Mary (Kuehni) Babler.

On December 31, 1937, she was united in marriage to Walter Tryon at the Reformed Church Parsonage, Monticello.

Elva was a graduate of Monticello High School and attended Green County Norman School, Monroe. Elva and Walter farmed in Mt. Pleasant Township before moving to Monticello in 1979. She was a member of the Zwingli United Church of Christ, Monticello, where she was a member of the Adult Fellowship and taught Sunday School for 15 years.

Survivors include a daughter, Mary Jean (David) Blum, Monroe; a foster daughter, Joan (Nicholas) Leutenegger, Monroe; 2 step-grandchildren and 2 foster grandchildren; and a sister, Edna Babler, Monticello.

She was preceded in death by her parents, her husband Walter on December 18, 1986; and a sister, Nona Babler.

Funeral services were held Saturday, May 24 at the Zwingli United Church of Christ, Monticello with the Rev. Lawrence Balleine officiating. Burial was at the Highland Cemetery.