

# Obituaries

## Esther Jewell Doyle, 68

Esther Jewell Doyle, 68, of Pilot Grove, died Friday, February 17, 1989, at her home. Funeral services were today at 2 p.m. at the Meisenheimer Funeral Home in Pilot Grove with Rev. Dennis Bilbruck officiating, with burial in the Peninsula Cemetery near Blackwater. Pallbearers were Bill Young, Howard Thomas, Charles Twenter, Gilbert Twenter, Jr., Scott Fenical and Loal Richerson.

Mrs. Doyle was born May 19, 1920, in Blackwater, Missouri, the daughter of Adam and Florence Ausemus Woolledge. On December 15, 1943, in Independence, Missouri, she was married to Walker F. Doyle, who preceded her in death October 3, 1981.

Mrs. Doyle was a homemaker. She lived 40 years in Kansas City and Morrisville, North Carolina.

Survivors include two daughters, Betty Joyce Doyle of the home and Linda Buschhorn of Independence; one brother, William Woolledge of Morrisville, North Carolina; and four sisters: Mildred Parker of Mesquite, Texas; Leona Taylor of Kansas City, Missouri; Mary Wilson of Pilot Grove and Laura Jane Dull of El Dorado Springs, Missouri; and one grandson.

## Amy Christine Townsend, 75

Amy Christine Townsend, 75, of Sedalia, Missouri, died Saturday, February 18, 1989, at the Bothwell Regional Health Center in Sedalia. Funeral services will be held Tuesday at 2 p.m. at the Meisenheimer Funeral Home in Pilot Grove with Rev. Albert Bunch officiating. Visitation will be this afternoon after 3:30 p.m. with the family receiving friends from 7 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. tonight at the funeral home.

Burial will be in Peninsula Cemetery near Blackwater. Pall bearers will be James Edward Ballenger, Jr., Charles Kirby, Roy R. Kirby, Darrel Slaughter, Tom Newton and Don Simpson.

Amy Christine Townsend was born September 5, 1913, in Pettis County near Postal, Missouri, the daughter of Orville and Beulah Yeager Cornine. On July 20, 1935, she was married to Charles Henry Stone, who died December 4, 1982.

On September 8, 1984, she married to Ben Townsend, who survives of the home.

Mrs. Townsend was a member of the Hopewell Baptist Church in Sedalia.

She was a homemaker.

Other survivors include two daughters, Betty Kirby of Sedalia and Virginia DeWitt of Marshall; three brothers: Lee Cornine, A. B. Cornine and Archie Cornine, all of Marshall, Missouri; one sister, Ova Marie Parlsely of Marshall; 13 grandchildren and 16 great-grandchildren.

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