

LaDonna J. Grote, 65, of Decatur, a receptionist, died Monday, March 6, 2000, at Adams County Memorial Hospital. The Allen County native worked for Dr. Carla J. Grote since 1983 and was a member of Immanuel Lutheran Church. Surviving are her husband of 44 years, Allen C.; sons Richard A. of Goshen, Eugene K. of Decatur and Mark E. of Stuart, Fla.; a daughter, Carla J. Bultemeier of Decatur; 10 grandchildren; and one stepgrandchild. Services are 11 a.m. Thursday at Immanuel Lutheran Church, Decatur. Calling is from 2 to 4 and 6 to 9 p.m. today and also from 9:30 to 10:30 a.m. Thursday with a 10:30 a.m. prayer service at Haggard & Sefton Funeral Home, Decatur. Burial will be in Immanuel Lutheran Church Cemetery. Memorials are to the St. Peter Immanuel Lutheran School Building Fund. Information provided by Haggard and Sefton Funeral Home, Decatur, 1-219-724-7167.

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