Mrs. Martha Lichthardt (Elgin)

Mrs. Martha Lichthardt, 71, of 619 Prospect St., died Saturday night in St, Joseph's Hospital following a short illness. Born Aug. 16, 1888 in Schaumburg Township, she lived on a farm in that area for 30 years, moving to Elgin in 1941. She was married Nov. 4, 1909 to William Lichthardt and on Nov 4, 1959, they celebrated their Golden Wedding. She was a member of St. John's Lutheran Church of Elgin and was preceded in death by four sisters. Surviving are the widower; three sons, Wilbert, Elgin, Harvey, Milwaukee, Wis., and Melvin, Medinah; a brother, Henry Kruse, Elgin; three sisters, Mrs. Amanda Moehling, Arlington Heights, Mrs. Erna Volkening, Elgin and Mrs. Ella Thies, Plato Center; two grandsons and several nieces and nephews. Services will be held at 1:30 pm Tuesday in the Schmidt Funeral Home with Dr. A.H. Werfelmann, pastor of St. John's Lutheran Church officiating. Friends may call at the funeral home.

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