BOE, Ardis L. (Wek)

May 16, 1927
rural Freeman
October 28, 2003
Yankton

Ardis L. Boe



Ardis L. Boe, age 76, of Yankton, South Dakota died Tuesday, October 28, 2003, at her home after a 2 1/2 year battle with cancer.

Funeral services were held Saturday, November 1, 2003, at Trinity Lutheran Church, Yankton with Reverend David Wildermuth officiating. Burial was in the Garden of Memories Cemetery, Yankton.

Pallbearers were Joel Boelhke, Duane Brue, Harlen Greckel, Brian Wek, Rodney Wek, and Lee Wrigg. Honorary pallbearers were the Mary Circle.

Ardis was born May 16, 1927 at the family home in rural Freeman, South Dakota to Theodore and Margaret (Jensen) Wek. She was baptized and confirmed at Bang Lutheran Church in rural Freeman, South Dakota. She attended Viborg High School for three years and then graduated from Augustana Academy in Canton, South Dakota in 1945. She received an Associate Degree in Education at Augustana College. During her teaching career, she taught at Hospers, Iowa, Beresford, South Dakota, rural Mayfield School, Irene and Viborg. On June 4, 1950, she married Robert E. Boe at Bang Lutheran Church at rural Freeman. Continuing her education, she earned a Bachelor of Arts Degree in Education from Yankton College in 1969. In 1989, she retired having taught 25 years at Viborg Public School. Before retirement, Bob and Ardis moved to Yankton where they have continued to live. Ardis was an active member of Trinity Lutheran Church. She will always be remembered as a loving wife, mother, grandmother and sister who treasured and cared for her family.

Grateful for having shared her life are her husband, Robert Boe of Yankton; six children, Robert (Kim) Boe of Lennox, Marcia Boe of Yankton, Mark Boe of Sioux Falls, Randy Boe of Viborg, Greg Boe of Irene, and David Boe of Yankton; two grandchildren, Holly and Donelle Boe of Lennox; two sisters and spouses, Vivian and Leo Gauvin of San Jose, California and Marjorie and James Roning of Hills, Minnesota; and many relatives and friends.

She is preceded in death by her parents.

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