

JORGENSEN, Vivian Elizabeth (Christensen)

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Viborg Enterprise
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Vivian Jorgensen

Vivian Elizabeth Christensen was born on October 8, 1919 on a farm west of Hurley to Soren and Esther (Williamson) Christensen. She grew up in Turner County and graduated from Hurley High School in 1938.

Vivian was united in marriage to Donald Eugene Jorgensen on October 10, 1940 at Luverne, MN. The couple made their home on a farm near Hurley until they retired and moved into Hurley in 1994. She had been a resident of the Pioneer Memorial Nursing Home in Viborg from June 2002 until her death on May 7, 2003.

The joys of her life were her family, friends, baking, and gardening. Vivian was a lifelong member of Bethany Lutheran Church in Hurley. She was also an active member of the Legion Auxiliary, Swan Lake Extension Club, and Bethany Ladies Aide.

Grateful for having shared her life are three sons, Glen and his wife Patricia, Keith and his wife Jeanne, and Duane and his wife Betty, all of Hurley; 10 grandchildren and 11 great grandchildren; three sisters, Florence Christopherson, Hurley, Ruth Wilcox, Jacksonville, FL, and Avis Jurgens, Parker; and three brothers, Maurice Christensen, Viborg, Virgil Christensen, Hurley, and Lloyd Christensen, Scottsdale, AZ.

She was preceded in death by her parents, her husband Donald in 1996, a brother and sister in infancy, a grandson, and a great granddaughter.

Funeral Services were held on Saturday, May 10, 2003 at Bethany Lutheran Church, Hurley with Rev. Larry Jerke officiating. Susann Woodward was the organist and music by Leasa and Laura Woodward.

The casket bearers were Kelly Jorgensen, Craig Bowes, George Osterloo, Jessie Jorgensen, Andrew Jorgensen, Tony Ciampa, Tim Koehler and T.J. Jorgensen. Interment was in the Hurley Cemetery.
