

KARP, Elaine LaFaye (Christensen)

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Elaine L. Karp

Elaine LaFaye Karp was born April 17, 1925 at Viborg. Her parents were Peter C. and Esther (Hansen) Christensen.

She graduated from Viborg High School and Nettleton Business College in Sioux Falls. She married Omar C. Karp on July 15, 1951 at Viborg. They farmed in the Viborg area until his death in April of 1975. Elaine moved to Sioux Falls where she worked for Dr. Howard Shreves for many years and then at Opthamology Ltd. until her retirement in 1989.

Elaine passed away on June 9, 1996 at the Centennial Hospice Cottage in Sioux Falls. She had attained the age of 71.

She was preceded in death by her parents, her husband, and 2 brothers Emerall and Warren Christensen.

Elaine is survived by 2 brothers Herbert Christensen of Redmond, WA and Merritt Christensen of Eau Claire, WI; 2 sisters Carolyn Thogersen of Azvza, CA and Jean Braa of Minneapolis; 5 nephews; 9 nieces; special friend Dr. Howard Shreves; and many other relatives and friends.

Funeral Services were held Thursday, June 13, 1996 at United Methodist Church, Viborg with Pastor Bill Hoffman and Pastor LeeRoy Eikanger officiating.

Pallbearers were Kermit Holm, James Holm, Roger Christiansen, Ellsworth Christensen, Walter Knudsen, Michael Milligan. Interment was at Baptist Cemetery, Viborg.