

HANSEN, Dorothy J. (Friman)

July 1, 1923  
Hurley  
September 26, 2006  
Viborg

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**Dorothy J. Hansen**



Dorothy J. Hansen was born July 1, 1923 at Hurley. Her parents were Eldo and Gladys (Benson) Friman. She attended School District #22 and graduated from Hurley High School in 1942. She attended Sioux Falls College and then taught school in Lincoln and Turner Counties. She married Lester Hansen on September 25, 1946. Dorothy enjoyed gardening, yard work, playing cards, dominos, and bingo, and spending time with her grandchildren and great-grandchildren.

Dorothy passed away on September 26, 2006 at Pioneer Memorial Nursing Home in Viborg. She had attained the age of 83.

She was preceded in death by her parents, a daughter Debra Magnuson, 3 brothers Eugene, Kenneth "Jim", and Richard and 1 sister Francis Gossel.

Dorothy is survived by her husband Lester of Viborg; 2 sons Dennis "Buzz" (Betty) of Cherokee, IA, and Dale "Ole" (Barb) of Yankton, 2 daughters Karen (David) Schooley of Casper, WY and Mary (Richard) Rauk of Beaver Creek, MN, 11 grandchildren; 7 great-grandchildren; a son-in-law, Arvid Magnuson of Parker; 10 sisters Geraldine Lechner of Madison, Vivian Friman of Yankton, Marian Straw of Mitchell, Edith (Donald) Moe of Letcher, Doris (Vic) Cordell of Huron, Audrey (George) Sample of Flandreau, Margaret Adel of Lake Andes, Eleanor Bjerkaas of Irene, Genette (Kenny) Rusk of Flandreau, and Carolyn McMahon of Flandreau, and many other relatives and friends.

Services were held on Saturday, September 30, 2006 at 1:30 p.m. at the Spring Valley Lutheran Church in Viborg with Pastor Steve Unzicker officiating. Marilyn Sletten was the organist with Bonnie Rauk as the soloist. Honorary Pallbearers were Michelle Parrott, Laura Adels, Nicole McSateer, Misty Magnuson, Emily Hansen, 6 great-granddaughters and 1 great-grandson. Pallbearers were Jason Rauk, Chad Rauk, Adam Hansen, Eric Schooley, Aaron Magnuson, and Angie Hansen. Interment was in the Hurley Cemetery.