

BUCKSTEAD, Helen R. (Mellegard)

April 7, 1932
Turner County
February 5, 1988
Yankton

Viborg Enterprise - February 11, 1988

Services Held For Helen Buckstead

Funeral service for Helen Buckstead was held Monday, February 8, 1988; at the First Baptist Church in Viborg, South Dakota, with Dr. David

Lydecker and Pastor Ed Rafferty officiating. Organist was Mrs. Kathy Olsen and special music was provided by Robert Sanborn. Pallbearers were Mark Christensen, Tony Christensen, Steve Jorgensen, Stan Mellegard, Jim Larsen, Mike Flyger, Doug Mellegard, and Gordon Luden. Interment was in Bethania Cemetery, Viborg. Arrangements were handled by Grace W. Gaddis.

Helen R. Buckstead was born April 7, 1932, Turner County, South Dakota. She was the daughter of Romey K. Mellegard and Esther Mellegard.

She was united in marriage to Dennis Buckstead January 17, 1957, at Parker, South Dakota. They farmed in the Hurley area. Helen passed away at Sacred Heart Hospital, Yankton, SD, Friday, February 5, 1988; she had reached the age of 55.

She is survived by her husband, Dennis; two sons, Tim, and his wife, Stephanie, Hurley, SD, and Todd, and his wife, Lisa, Sioux Falls, SD; four sisters, Mrs. Homer (Ethel) Larsen, Viborg, Mary Flyger, Hurley, Mrs. Kenneth (Marge) Jorgensen, Viborg, Mrs. Skip (Jean) Christensen, Humboldt, Iowa; two brothers, Norman, Sioux Falls, and James, Hurley. There are also many nieces and nephews, other relatives and friends.

Helen was preceded in death by her parents, two brothers and one sister, and one daughter-in-law, Barb.