

HJELM, Loretta (Hofman)

MAY 19, 1934
Sigel, Illinois
November 3, 2002
Yankton

Viborg Enterprise
November 7, 2002

Loretta Hjelm

Loretta Hjelm was born May 19, 1934 at Sigel, IL. Her parents were Anthony and Agnes Hofman.

She married Donovan Hjelm on July 27, 1954. They lived in Viborg where she worked for various cafes and the Viborg School Cafeteria. They had also had the Food Basket Grocery Store for a period of time. Donovan passed away on June 22, 2001. Loretta was a skilled seamstress and enjoyed doing needle and fancy-work.

Loretta passed away on November 3, 2002 at Avera Sacred Heart Hospital in Yankton. She had attained the age of 68.

She was preceded in death by her parents, her husband and one sister.

Loretta is survived by two sons Donnie and wife Jocelyn of Yankton and Darin and wife Laura of Viborg; four grandchildren Jared, Jordan, Dylan and Beth; four brothers Jack of Lodi, CA, Harold of Beresford, Charles of Rapid City, and Ray of Vermillion; one sister Mariann Lee of Viborg; special friends Ed and Joann Gratzfeld, and many other relatives and friends.

Services were held on November 6, 2002 at Bethany Lutheran Church, Viborg with Pastor Mindy Ehrke officiating. Karen Freier was the organist and special music was provided by Alan, Gary and Ethel Ward.

Pallbearers were Lydell Hofman, Randy Hofman, Hal Hofman, Steve hofman, Cindy Wockenfuss, Justin Hofman, Lisa Brock, Travis Lee, Troy Lee, Alex Hofman, Ariel Hofman, Steve Gratzfeld, Terri Schurman, and Deb Ellingson.
