

CHRISTENSEN, Esther Johanna (Hansen)

July 26, 1895

Clay County, South Dakota

November 19, 1986

Viborg

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Services Held For Esther Christensen

Funeral services were held for Esther Christensen at the United Methodist Church in Viborg on November 22, 1986. She died November 19, 1986. Officiating at the services was Rev. Gene Kroger; organist, Mrs. Alphonse Peterson; special music by Alan and Gary Ward and Mrs. Ethel Ward. Pallbearers were Michael Millegar, Roger Christensen, Virgil Christensen, Dale Christensen, Russell Christensen and Ellsworth Christensen.

Internment was in Rosehill Cemetery, Viborg, South Dakota.

Esther Johanna Hansen was born July 26, 1895 in Clay County, South Dakota. Her parents were Christian and Carolina Hansen. She grew up in the Viborg area. On November 11, 1915 she married Peter C. Christensen in Viborg and she has lived in Viborg all of her life. Peter passed away February 16, 1953.

Esther passed away at the Pioneer Memorial Nursing Home, Wednesday, November 19, 1986, she was 91 years of age. She had lived in her own home until just a few weeks ago when she was hospitalized.

She leaves as survivors, four sons: Emerall of Port Angeles, Washington; Herbert, Seattle, Washington; Warren, Glendale, California; Merritt, Eau Claire, Wisconsin; and three daughters: Carolyn Thorers, Azusa, California; Elaine Karp, Sioux Falls, South Dakota; and Jean Braa, Minneapolis, Minnesota; two brothers: Andrew Hansen, Viborg, South Dakota; and Harvey Hansen, Seattle, Washington; fourteen grandchildren, and seven great-grandchildren, other relatives and friends.