GRUDT, Lavaun Margret (Overgard)

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Lavaun Grudt

Lavaun Margret Grudt was born in Yankton County on July 12, 1915 to Henry and Hulda (Mellegard) Overgard.

She attended Yankton County rural school #58. Lavaun worked in various family homes as a housekeeper and as a clerk at the Yankton County Courthouse. She married Ole Grudt on September 29, 1942 in Hartington, NE. They farmed in rural southeast SD in various communities and later moved to Sioux Falls where she cooked at the Senior Citizens Center. She retired and moved to Center Point in 1991. Ole passed away in 1995. Lavaun moved to Viborg shortly following Ole's death. She enjoyed cooking, sewing, canning garden produce, making dolls, knitting and spending time with family.

Lavaun is preceded in death by her parents, her husband Ole, 2 sons Gordon and Harlan, 6 sisters and 1 brother.

She is survived by one son Morris of Belgrade, MN; 2 daughters Mary (Warren) White of Yankton, Darlene (Bob) Steenholdt of Madison; 7 grandchildren; 2 great grandchildren; 2 brothers Earl (Carol) Overgard of Sioux Falls and Charles (Lurline) Overgard of Sioux Falls, and many other relatives and friends.

Lavaun passed away on September 6, 2008. Services were held on Wednesday, September 10 at Spring Valley Lutheran Church in Viborg. Interment followed at Meldal Cemetery in Viborg.