

HANSEN, Violet E. (Johnson)

April 22, 1900
rural Viborg (Swan Lake)
May 22, 1989
Knoxville, Tennessee

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Funeral Held For Violet E. Hansen

Funeral service for Violet Hansen was held May 25, 1989, at Hurley United Methodist Church with Pastor Randy Spahr officiating. Organist was Mrs. Virgil Christensen and special music was provided by Mr. Arden Flyger. Ushers were Bob Christopherson and Richard Jensen, Jr. and pallbearers were Gordon Farrar, Ross Benson, Lee Peterson, Max Rayburn, Richard Jensen, Jr. and Virgil Christensen. Burial was in Rosehill Cemetery in Viborg, South Dakota.

Violet E. (Johnson) Hansen passed away May 22, 1989, at Park West Hospital in Knoxville, Tennessee.

She was born on April 22, 1900, at Swan Lake, Viborg, South Dakota, the first of six children born to Julius A. and Millie Johnson. She graduated from Viborg High School in 1919, after which she earned a teaching certificate from Dakota Wesleyan College and taught school in Turner County for four years. She was a member of the Methodist Church in Viborg and Hurley, Library board in Viborg and Hurley, also a member of Eastern Star since 1926, where she served as Treasurer for 26 years. Violet was married to Joseph Hansen on February 18, 1925, and they lived in Viborg until 1943 when they moved to Hurley where Joe was a mail carrier. They lived in Hurley until 1982, then moved to Viborg where Joe passed away October 30, 1984. Violet divided her time between Viborg, and her two sons, Joe at Knoxville, Tenn., and Jim at Orange, Calif.

Violet was preceded by her husband, sisters, Odelia Rasmussen and Alvina Ruden, and a brother, Roger Johnson.