

HANSEN, Mariane (Nielsen)

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Mariane Nielson was born at Helm Sogn, Venaswood, Denmark, on April 25, 1854. After being confirmed at the age of 14, she joined the utheran church, of which she was a faithful member until the time of her death.

She came to America at the age of 18, and lived in Sebanes, Indiana. She was united in marriage Oct. 3, 1873 to P. A. Hansen. They resided in Indiana and Illinois until 1886, when they moved to South Dakota, where she has since made her home.

To this union were born eight children, seven of whom are living. The children are: Hans K. Hansen and Nels P. Hansen, of Stockholm, South Dakota, (Carrie), Mrs. Henry Johnson, of Saskatchewan, Canada, (Daisy), Mrs. William Schroedermeier of Lennox, South Dakota and Maggie Otto, and Carl, at home in Spring Valley.

Those who have preceded her in death are: her husband, Peter O. Hansen, deceased May 25, 1912; their daughter, Cora, who died at the age of 7; one brother and two sisters, died in infancy; and two other sisters, Mrs. Lars Peterson, of Spring Valley and Mrs. S. C. Johnson of Spruce Lake, Canada.

The deceased was stricken with illness in 1931 and has failed in health gradually since that time. The last five months she was confined to her bed. During her intense suffering, which she bore so patiently, she awaited the call of her Saviour to take her to her heavenly home.

She was called Friday, April 28th, at 6:00 P. M. at the age of 79 years and 3 days.

Left to mourn her departure are her seven children, 17 grand-children and 4 great grandchildren and her sister, Mrs. P. C. Peterson, of Saskatchewan, Canada.

Funeral services was held on Monday, May 1st. Rev. N. P. Nielsen of Spring Valley Lutheran church was in charge. Services was held at Vi-

borg, North Lutheran church at 3:00 o'clock. A solo was sung by Mrs. Lutz, a grandchild of Mrs. Hansen, and a duet by Mrs. Lutz and Alfred Christensen.

The body was laid to rest beside that of Mr. Hansen at Bethany cemetery.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank our friends and neighbors who have given flowers and have so kindly assisted in every way possible during our mother's illness and death.

We wish to thank also for the use of the church, and to thank the ministers and for their kind services.

May God reward each of you according to his infinite riches in Christ.

Maggie Hansen
Daisy Schroedermeier
Carrie Johnson
H. K. Hansen
Nels P. Hansen
Otto Hansen
Carl Hansen