LARSEN, Olive Mae (Kier)

September 12, 1885
Hurley, South Dakota
November 6, 1955
Viborg

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FUNERAL SERVICES FOR MRS. JOE LARSEN HELD ON TUESDAY

Funeral services for Mrs. Joe Larson, who passed away on Sunday, Nov. 6th, were held on Tuesday, Nov. 8th, at the Seventh Day Adventist Church in Hurley with Pastor D. A. Copsey officiating. Pallbearers were Leslie Flyger, Arden Flyger, Keith Flyger, Russell Flyger, Oliver Anderson and Ellsworth Jenter. Interment was in the Evergreen cemetery.

Olive Mae Kier Larson was born September 12, 1885, at Hurley, S. Dak., and passed away November 6, 1955, at Viborg, S. Dak., at the age of 70 years.

She was joined in holy matrimony on March 11, 1908, to Joseph C. Larson of Viborg. Their new hme was set up in the vicinity of Viborg and she spent most of the rest of her life in this community where she was loved and respected as a christian mother and wife.

In her youth she attended Elk Point Academy at Elk Point, S. D., and worked as a seamstress in the Chamberlain Sanitarium at Chamberlain. S. Dak.

On July 9, 1898, at the age of 13 she was buried withh her Lord in baptism and became an active member of the Swan Lake Seventh Day Adventist church. She remained faithful to the master all her life and rests confidently in the blessed hope of hearing the voice of the master calling her to the reward of the righteous in the day when He shall appear in the clouds of Heaven. One of her favorite passages from the Word of God was the 23rd Psalm.

She was preceded in death by her father, Nels C. Kier, and her mother, Minnie D. Goodhope Kier.

She leaves to mourn her passing, her husband, Joseph C. Larson of Viborg, three daughters, Mrs. Genette Johnson of Washta, Ia., Mrs. Evelyn Vannorsdel of Viborg, and Mrs. Iona Brown of Tacoma Park, Md., one son, Homer Larson of Viborg, and four grandchildren, Joell and Evonne Johnson and Merlyn and Allen Vannorsdel, four sisters, Mrs. Alice Goodrich of Susanville, Calif., Mrs. Clara Madsen of Eugene, Ore., Mrs. Vesta Rasmussen of Milton, Wis., and Mrs. Florence Bresee of Grants Pass, Ore., and one brother, Elvin Kier of Florence, Miss.