

# *Cheryl Narigon*

*Born*                      *Died*  
*October 2, 1942 - October 28, 2001*

## *AFTER GLOW*

*I'd like the memory of me  
    To be a happy one.  
I'd like to leave an after glow of smiles  
    When life is done.  
I'd like to leave an echo whispering  
    Softly down the ways,  
Of happy times and laughing times and  
    Bright and sunny days.  
I'd like the tears of those who grieve,  
    To dry before the sun  
Of happy memories that I leave  
    When life is done.*

## *-SERVICES-*

Wednesday, October 31, 2001  
3:00 PM  
United Methodist Church  
Nodaway, Iowa

## *-MUSIC-*

Anabelle White, Organist  
Chris and Barb Nelson, Vocalists  
"In The Garden"

## *-CASKET BEARERS-*

David Narigon - Dan Narigon  
Doug Narigon - Randy Johnson  
Mark Hanke - David Hanke  
Matthew Hanke - Craig Johnson  
Kathy Palmer - Becky Kuehner  
Angie Hytrek - Lisa Thomas  
Michelle Thomas

## *-INTERMENT-*

Nodaway Cemetery  
Nodaway, Iowa



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### **Eugene M. Narigon**

Final rites for Eugene Milton Narigon, 67, of Nodaway, were conducted at the Nodaway Cemetery in Nodaway Saturday, Sept. 10. Graveside rites were led by Joe Cook.

Casket bearers were Deane Brees, Bud Hethcote, Donald Smart, Glen Figgins, Dan Schneider and Harold Walter. Military graveside rites were conducted by Ourcq Post 117, American Legion of Corning.

Mr. Narigon was born April 9, 1921, in Saint Joseph, Mo., the son of John Milton Narigon and Florence M. Curry Narigon. He died from injuries sustained in an auto accident Sept. 1. At the time of his death, he was a patient in Saint Joseph Hospital in Omaha, Neb., Sept. 8, 1988.

He lived in Nodaway until moving to Prescott in 1959. He returned to Nodaway in 1982. Mr. Narigon was a farmer and construction worker. He served with the U.S. Navy in World War II, 1942 to 1945. He was a member of the American Legion Post in Prescott.

Survivors include two daughters, Mrs. Gayle Snell and husband, Dave of Harlan, and Ardith Narigon of Harlan; one son, John M. Narigon of Ames; three grandchildren; and his children's mother, Ardith G. Narigon.

Memorials may be directed to the Prescott Public Library.



Adams County Free Press  
April 3, 1986.

### **Florence M. Narigon**

Florence M. Narigon, the daughter of Joseph and Lizzie Johnson Curry, was born April 23, 1898, in Lincoln Township of Adams County, Iowa, and entered into rest at the Greater Community Hospital in Creston, Iowa, March 26, 1986, at the age of 88 years, 3 months and 11 days.

She grew to womanhood in the Carbon community. She was united in marriage in 1927 to John M. Narigon. This marriage was blessed with the birth of one son, Eugene.

John and Florence farmed in the Nodaway area from the time of their marriage until his death Jan. 13, 1963. She continued to make her home there until entering the nursing home in Corning five years ago. She was the last surviving member of her family, having been preceded in death by her parents and eight brothers and sisters.

Those surviving to honor her memory are her son, Eugene Narigon of Prescott, Iowa; her daughter-in-law, Ardith Narigon of Prescott; three grandchildren, Gayle Snell and husband Dave of Harlan, Iowa, Ardith Narigon of Omaha, Neb., and John Narigon of Ames; three great-grandchildren, Stephen, Everett and Tina Snell; and many nieces and nephews.

Graveside services were held at the Nodaway Cemetery, Nodaway, Iowa, March 28 at 3:00 p.m. with Rev. Elmer West officiating.

Casket bearers were Bud Hethcote, Harold Walter, Edward Hoyt, Charles Willett, Deane Breese and Don Narigon.



## 'A Special Man'

- A man who had a smile on his  
face and a joke to tell.  
A man who fought . . . fought for  
what he believed in.  
A man who dedicated himself to  
others and his community.  
A man who always had time . . .  
A man who taught his children  
how to live, love and grow.  
A man who gave his wife 53  
years true love and happiness.  
A man who was a friend to all  
he touched.  
A man who made the word  
"Dad" have special meaning.

We honor him and his memory.  
Husband, Dad, Grandpa -  
We love you!



*taken from a poem  
by Tammy Ronfeldt*

In Memory of

## JOHN B. NARIGON

May 9, 1908      September 22, 1988

### Services

1:30 p.m., Saturday, September 24, 1988  
Roland-Lindsay Golden Rule Funeral Home  
Reverend Kenneth Rummer, Officiating

### Music

Mrs. Kathleen Cook, Organist

"Under His Wings"

"He Touched Me"

### Honorary Casket Bearers

Lori Jo Bayles	Jessica Narigon	Lonnie Bayles
John B. Narigon III	Donald Zak	Michael Zak
Patrick Zak	Joe Cook	Lee Elliott
Ken Foster	Charles Homan	Ted Turner
	Carl Zimmerman	

### Active Casket Bearers

Robert DeVore	Edward Drake	Robert Drake
Millard Johnston	Harry "Dive" McMorran	Ray Thomas

### Interment

Forest Hill Cemetery  
Mt. Etna, Iowa



Adams County Free Press.  
Sept 29, 1988.

### **John B. Narigon**

Final rites for John B. Narigon, 80, of Prescott were held Saturday, Sept. 24, at the Roland-Lindsay Golden Rule Funeral Home in Corning. The Rev. Kenneth Rummer officiated. Burial was in the Forest Hill Cemetery in Mount Etna.

Casket bearers were Robert DeVore, Millard Johnston, Edward Drake, Harry (Dive) McMorrان, Robert Drake and Ray Thomas. Honorary bearers were Lori Jo Bayles, John B. Narigon III, Patrick Zak, Ken Foster, Jessica Narigon, Donald Zak, Joe Cook, Charles Homan, Carl Zimmerman, Lonnie Bayles, Michael Zak, Lee Elliott and Ted Turner.

Mr. Narigon was born May 9, 1908, in Adams County, the son of Jacob Oscar Narigon and Effie May Bixler Narigon. He died Sept. 22, 1988, at the Good Samaritan Nursing Home in Villisca.

He was a farmer and livestock producer who moved to his rural Prescott home in 1940. He was named an Iowa Master Swine Producer in the 1960s. Mr. Narigon continued to raise livestock until June 16, 1988, when he suffered a stroke.

He served for many years on the Corning Farmers Co-op Board and as an Adams County rural school director. He was a longtime member of the American Baptist Church in Corning and held many offices including deacon and trustee.

On Oct. 9, 1935, he married Maxene V. Madison in Corning. Preceding Mr. Narigon in death were his parents and one son, John Narigon in 1982.

He is survived by his wife; two daughters, Mrs. June Zak and husband Daniel of Bellevue, Neb., and Mrs. Joyce Bayles and husband, Larry of Corning; daughter-in-law, Magelle Narigon of Dell Rapids, S.D.; seven grandchildren, Donald, Michael and Patrick Zak, Lori Jo and Lonnie Bayles and John III and Jessica Narigon; one sister, Ethel Dann of Lansing, Mich., and one brother, Virgil Narigon of Nodaway.

A memorial is being published in Mr. Narigon's



*About the Place where I now live  
There is so much to tell.  
It is calm and Peaceful here,  
God reigns supreme and all is well.  
I am with loved ones and with friends,  
Who settled here some time ago.  
And all the joys with them share,  
I'm sure you will be glad to know.  
We have no racial Problems here,  
No one is lonely or alone.  
And how I wish that you could only see,  
The stately mansion that I own.  
There is no sickness, grief, or death,  
To mar the beauty of this place.  
And lights that are brighter than the sun,  
Shine from the Blessed Mother's face.  
So do not grieve for me my dears,  
But rather when you kneel to Pray,  
Thank God for my arrival home,  
Where free from Pain I am today.  
Keep Christmas and birthdays too,  
That to us were very dear,  
With love to keep your memories green,  
As I shall always keep them here.  
The time has come for me to close,  
And there isn't much more I can say,  
Except don't think of me as gone,  
I'm only a prayer away. †*

In Memory of

## MAXENE V. NARIGON

January 4, 1915

August 31, 1989

### Services

1:30 p.m., Saturday, September 2, 1989  
Roland-Lindsay Golden Rule Funeral Home  
Corning, Iowa

### Officiating

Reverend Kenneth D. Rummer  
1st Presbyterian Church, Corning

Reverend Telfer Epp  
Mid American Baptist Churches, DesMoines

### Music

Kathleen Cook, Organist  
"Because He Lives"  
"The Family of God"

### Honorary Casket Bearers

Lori Jo Bayles	Lonnie Bayles
Jessica Narigon	John B. Narigon III
Patrick Zak	Donald Zak
	Michael Zak

### Active Casket Bearers

Lee Elliott	Millard Johnston
Harry "Dive" McMorran	Ray Thomas
Robert DeVore	Carl Zimmerman

### Interment

Forest Hill Cemetery, Mt. Etna, Iowa



Adams County Free Press.  
Sept 7, 1989.

### **Maxene Vivian Narigon**

Maxene Vivian Narigon, 74, daughter of John F. and Vira Lawrence Madison, was born Jan. 14, 1915, at Corning and died Sept. 22, 1989, at Mercy Hospital in Corning.

She married John B. Narigon Oct. 9, 1935, in Corning. He preceded her in death in 1988. She lived all of her life around Corning moving to her present farm home at rural route, Prescott, in 1940. She was a farm wife and assisted in raising livestock.

She was a long-time member of the American Baptist Church in Corning until it closed. She then attended the First Presbyterian Church in Corning. She held many local and state offices in the church.

She was preceded in death by her parents; a son, John in 1982, and a sister, Millie DeVore. She is survived by two daughters, June Zak and husband Daniel of Bellevue, Neb., and Joyce Bayles and her husband Larry of Corning; a daughter-in-law, Magelle Narigon of Dell Rapids, S.D.; two sisters, Gladys Homan and Ileathie Chase, both of Corning; and seven grandchildren.

Services were held Sept. 2 at the Roland-Lindsay Golden Rule Funeral Home in Corning with the Revs. Kenneth Rummer and Telfer Epp officiating. Casket bearers were Robert DeVore, Millard Johnston, Harry "Dive" McMorran, Ray Thomas, Carl Zimmerman and Lee Elliott. Honorary bearers were her grandchildren Patrick, Donald and Michael Zak, Lori Jo and Lonnie Bayles, and Jessica and John B. Narigon III. Burial was in Forest Hill Cemetery at Mount Etna.



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Aug 3 V 1995

### **Virgil O. Narigon**

Virgil Oscar Narigon, 92, Corning, was born June 8, 1903, near Highland in Adams County to Oscar and Effie Bixler Narigon. He died in Corning July 27, 1995.

He was a lifetime resident of Adams County and graduated from Corning High School in 1922 where he was a member of their winning track team. In his senior year he ran on a mile relay team that had the second fastest time in the state. After graduation he worked for area farmers for several years and also followed the wheat harvest in Iowa and South Dakota.

On Jan. 27, 1927, he married Flossie Brown at the Methodist Parsonage in Omaha, Neb. They began farming in Nodaway and later moved to the Brown family farm north of Nodaway where they lived for many years. After retiring the couple moved to the house on his family farm.

Mr. Narigon was an active member of the Nodaway Methodist Church, the Adams County 4-H, and the Farm Bureau. He raised shorthorn cattle and was a member of the Shorthorn Association. He was a salesman for DeKalb Seeds and Walnut Grove Feed for several years. He used Percheron horses in his farming operation and traded two Percherons for his first Farmall tractor in 1939.

He was preceded in death by his parents his wife in 1983; and his brother John Narigon.

He is survived by his children Effie Lee (husband Jim) Boggess, Villisca, Joe (wife Fran) Narigon, Eureka Springs, Ark., Don (wife Cheryl) Narigon, Nodaway, and Elinor Newman, Littleton, Colo; 19 grandchildren; 36 great-grandchildren; two great-great-grandchildren; and sister Ethel (husband Floyd) Dann, East Lansing, Mich.

Services were held July 31 at the Methodist Church in Nodaway with Rev. Clark Finehout officiating. Burial was in the Nodaway Cemetery at Nodaway.

Casket bearers were Ed Narigon, Tom Narigon, Mike Narigon, David Narigon, Dick Boggess, and Jim Boggess. Honorary bearers were his other grandchildren.

Memorials are to the Nodaway Methodist Church Roofing Fund. Coen-Beaty Funeral Home, Corning, was in charge of arrange-



**—Pall Bearers—**

Don Harrison  
Larry Harrison  
Paul Richie  
Ronald Richie  
Edward Naven  
Hollis Naven

**—Flower Bearers—**

Mrs. Fred Stillinger  
Mrs. Albert Lund

*A door swings briefly open,  
And a loved one slips away---  
Slips from Life's dark Shadows,  
Into bright Eternal Day,  
Where earthly griefs are over,  
Where pain shall be no more,  
To Peace past understanding  
God has opened wide the door.*

**— Service For —**

MRS. ELIZABETH NAVEN

**—Born—**

On November 1, 1883

**— Entered Into Rest —**

On March 23, 1967

**— Age —**

83 years, 4 months, 22 days

**— Services —**

Saturday, March 25, 1967 at 1:30  
p. m. from the Roland Funeral  
Home in Corning, Iowa.

**—Clergyman—**

Rev. Lester Moore

**— Interment —**

Lenox Cemetery  
Lenox, Iowa



—Music By—

Mrs. Albert Lund

Mr. Harl Jackson

Pianist, Miss Vida Jackson

—Pall Bearers—

Harold Gill

Fred Miller

Roy Kapple

Otho Brown

Wilbur Fudge

Arthur Fudge

—Service For—

MRS. FRED A. NAVEN

—Born—

August 8, 1900, in Adams  
Co., Iowa.

—Entered Into Rest—

Sunday, November 6, 1949,  
at 4:45 P.M., in the Municipal  
Hospital, Clarinda, Iowa.

—Age—

49 years, 2 months, 28 days.

—Services—

Wednesday, November 9,  
1949, at 2 P. M., in  
Iveyville Church.

—Clergyman—

Rev. Don Cutler

—Interment—

Prairie Rose Cemetery

*A door swings briefly open,  
And a loved one slips away--  
Slips from Life's dark Shadows,  
Into bright Eternal Day,  
Where earthly griefs are over,  
Where pain shall be no more,  
To Peace past understanding  
God has opened wide the door.*



SADIE NAVEN

- BORN -

March 27, 1897  
Bedford, Iowa

- ENTERED TO REST -

February 18, 1979  
Corning, Iowa

- AGE -

81 Years, 10 Months, 21 Days

- SERVICES -

Wednesday, February 21, 1979  
1:30 o'clock p.m.  
Larkin-Roland Funeral Home  
Corning, Iowa

- OFFICIATING -

Rev. James W. King &  
Rev. W. Ray Thompson

- MUSIC BY -

Kathy Schafer, Organist  
Carolyn Engel, Soloist

- SELECTIONS -

"How Great Thou Art"  
"We Are Going Down The Valley"

- CASKET BEARERS -

Paul Mitchell  
Hollis Naven  
Norman Naven  
Kenneth Fudge  
Max Pool  
Paul Fishell

- INTERMENT -

Prairie Rose Cemetery  
Corning, Iowa



**—Service For—**

William C. Naven

**—Born—**

On Sept. 24, 1881

**—Entered Into Rest—**

On November 6, 1970

**—Age—**

89 Years, 1 Month, 12 Days

**—Services—**

Sunday, November 8, 1970 at 2  
p.m., from the Roland Funeral  
Home in Corning, Iowa.

**—Clergyman—**

Joe Cook

**—Interment—**

Prairie Rose Cemetery

**—Pall Bearers—**

Hollis Naven

Edward Naven

Norman Naven

Max Pool

Raymond Richie

Burdette Harrison



—Music By—  
Mrs. Max Benton  
— Pianists—  
Mrs. I. L. Donner  
Mrs. Fred Picker

—Pall Bearers—  
Samuel Neill            Allen Neill  
Thomas Lincoln        Art Hiley  
Kenneth Stuvick      Ralph Waage

—Flower Bearers—  
Mrs. Fred Kennedy  
Mrs. Ted Kennedy  
Mrs. Ray McCoy  
Mrs. Bertha Talbot

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Where pain shall be no more,  
To Peace past understanding  
God has opened wide the door.*

—Service For—

MRS. CLARISA L. NEILL

—Born—

February 4, 1894 in Adams  
County, Iowa

—Entered Into Rest—

August 22, 1950 at the Mercy  
Hospital in Council Bluffs,  
Iowa

—Age—

56 years, 6 months, 18 days

—Services—

Friday, August 25, 1950 at 1  
P.M., at the home in Malvern,  
Iowa and 3 P.M. in the Pres-  
byterian Church in Nodaway,  
Iowa

—Clergyman—

Rev. J. M. Strong

—Interment—

Nodaway Cemetery



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Jan 23 1986 .

### **Ernest J. Neill**

Ernest J. Neill, son of Nettie Ernestine Houck and Ernest Julius Neill, was born at Sunny Slope Farm, rural Nodaway, Iowa, on Oct. 5, 1917. He was the youngest of seven children born to the Neill couple.

Ernie attended high school at Nodaway Consolidated where he was the first editor of The Nodaway High School Cardinal. He graduated in 1934. His writing abilities were later demonstrated by being on the editorial staff of the Luther College College Chips newspaper where he attended school for two years. Ernie later shared the managing editor position with Paul Gauthier of Corning, of the Creighton University The Creightonian. He graduated from Creighton University in 1939.

After graduation Ernie served as news editor at several Nebraska radio stations before being drafted into the U.S. Army in 1941. In 1942 he entered the Air Corps Officer Candidate School, Miami Beach, Fla. He was released from active duty as a Captain in 1946.

Ernie served all four of the Corn Belt Farm Daily newspapers. His editorials were recognized by area farm people as he often wrote about experiences and/or people of the Adams County area. He left the post of Managing Editor of the St. Louis Daily Livestock Reporter to start his own farm weekly paper Lancaster Farming at Quarryville, Pa.

Ernie's interests grew into advertising and in 1958 he became associated with Merck Chemical Corp., editing the Merck ag publications. He later worked in advertising in Kansas City and Des Moines and finally for Arthur Towell and Associates in Madison, Wis., which became his permanent home.

Mr. Neill was a capable soloist and sang in church choirs wherever he lived. His most recent project was in developing the public relations program for the First United Methodist Church in Madison.

He had been in ill health for the last several years and passed away at his home Jan. 14, 1986, of congestive heart failure.

Ernie was preceded in death by his parents, an infant sister Marie, and his older brothers, Floyd and Harold. He is survived by three sisters: Ruby Douglass of Oskaloosa, Ruth Roche of Gowrie and Dorothy Schmitz of Lenox.

Funeral services were held Jan. 17 at 10:30 a.m. at the Gauthier Funeral Home in Corning and were conducted by the Rev. Jack Singleton of the Corning First United Methodist Church. Burial was in the Oakland Cemetery, Quincy.

Pallbearers were: Neill Wilmarth, Harold Wilmarth, Thomas Neill, Ralph Neill, Roswell Peterson and Robert McCoy. Music was provided by Kathy Schafer, organist and vocalist. Flower bearers were Earl and Ruth Goldsmith.



—Music by—

Carol Campbell  
Sharon Campbell

—Pianist—

Mrs. Casey Johnson

—Pall Bearers—

Clement Jacobs  
Clarence Strain  
Gilbert Rider  
Joe Scanlan  
Kenneth Stuvick  
Thomas E. Lincoln

—Flower Bearers—

Mrs. Fred Kennedy  
Mrs. Clement Jacobs  
Mrs. Leslie Cromwell

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And a loved one slips away---  
Slips from Life's dark Shadows,  
Into bright Eternal Day,  
Where earthly griefs are over,  
Where pain shall be no more,  
To Peace past understanding  
God has opened wide the door.*

—Service For—  
FLOYD P. NEILL

—Born—

October 13, 1897, in Douglas  
Township, Adams County, Iowa

—Entered Into Rest—

September 17, 1964 at the Lenox  
Nursing Home, Lenox, Iowa.

—Age—

66 years, 11 months, 4 days

—Services—

Sunday, September 20, 1964  
from the Presbyterian Church  
in Nodaway, Iowa at 2 p. m.

—Clergyman—

Rev. Nadim Saigley

—Interment—

Nodaway Cemetery



HAROLD NEILL

February 18, 1899 -

- February 23, 1973

74 years -

0 months -

5 days

-SERVICES-

Tuesday, February 27, 1973

2:00 o'clock p.m.

United Methodist Church  
Corning, Iowa

Rev. James King

-GRAVESIDE SERVICES-

Instruction Lodge #275, A.F. & A.M.

Kathleen Cook, Organist  
Donna Peckham, Vocalist  
Ruth Tranbarger, Vocalist

-SELECTION-  
"In the Garden"

-CASKET BEARERS-

Jack Butler  
Ralph Phillips  
Neill Wilmarth  
Deward Hoyt  
Marshall Miller  
Glen Sturdevant

-INTERMENT-

Quincy Cemetery  
Corning, Iowa



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Jan 9, 1992

### **O. Hollis Neill**

O. Hollis Neill, 86, of Oregon, was born Aug. 17, 1905, in Adams County and died Dec. 31, 1991, in Oregon City, Ore.

On Oct. 12, 1924, he married Mildred Wilson in Glenwood. She preceded him in death Aug. 3, 1988.

He farmed and did electrical work in Corning before moving to Oregon in 1953. He had been employed as an electrician for Reese Electric Co. in Portland, Ore. for 14 years before his retirement in 1967.

He was a member of the First Methodist Church of Oregon City and International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers #48.

He is survived by two daughters, Margery Duncan of Kent, Wash. and Marilyn Bourn of Waldport, Ore.; a son, Stanley Neill of Sierra Vista, Ariz.; a brother, John Neill of Red Oak; a sister, Zepha Case of Creston; 11 grandchildren; 10 great-grandchildren; and five great-great-grandchildren.

Services were held Jan. 5 at Willamette Methodist Church in West Linn, Ore. with burial in Mt. View Cemetery at Oregon City.



RALPH E. NEILL

-BORN-

May 10, 1891  
Adams County, Iowa

-ENTERED TO REST-

December 16, 1977  
Creston, Iowa

-AGE-

86 Years, 7 Months, 6 Days

-SERVICES-

Monday, December 19, 1977  
Prescott United Church  
1:30 o'clock p.m.

-OFFICIATING-

Rev. Larry Davidson  
Pastor, Prescott United Church

-MUSIC BY-

Clarice Outhier, Organist  
Helen Richie, Vocalist

-SELECTIONS-

"Beyond The Sunset"  
"The Old Rugged Cross"

-CASKET BEARERS-

Melvin Birt  
Robert Birt  
Kenneth Pashek  
Paul Winkler  
Russell Ramsey  
Bob Durn

-FLOWER BEARERS-  
Reldon & Jean Cline

-INTERMENT-

Quincy Cemetery  
Corning, Iowa



—Music by—

Mrs. Doyle Tranbarger

—Pianist—

Mrs. Joe Cook

—Pall Bearers—

J. C. Bennington      Don Routh  
Vern Wilmarth        Ira Robison  
Erle Bixler            James Hunter

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And a loved one slips away---  
Slips from Life's dark Shadows,  
Into bright Eternal Day,  
Where earthly griefs are over,  
Where pain shall be no more,  
To Peace past understanding  
God has opened wide the door.*

—Service For—

ALBIN NELSON

—Born—

December 7, 1877

—Entered Into Rest—

June 10, 1963

—Age—

85 Years, 6 Months, 3 Days

—Services—

Wednesday, June 12, 1963 at  
1:30 p. m. from the Roland Fu-  
neral Home in Corning, Iowa

—Clergyman—

Joe Cook

—Interment—

Quincy Cemetery



Adams County I. Lee Pleso.  
May 11, 1995.

### **Bessie Nelson**

Bessie Nelson, 89, Corning, was born Jan. 10, 1906, to Thaulow and Marie Hokensen Orstad in Lincoln Township, Adams County. She died May 4, 1995, at Mercy Hospital in Corning.

She was married Dec. 8, 1940, to Lester Earl Nelson at Strand Lutheran Church in Adams County. She was a homemaker and a lifetime resident of Adams County. She moved from the homestead in Lincoln Township to her home in Corning in 1969 where she was a member of the Redeemer Lutheran Church.

Mrs. Nelson was preceded in death by her parents; her husband March 7, 1978; four brothers; and three sisters.

She is survived by her sons Ed (wife Kathy) Nelson, Creston, Melvin (wife Mary) Nelson, Grand Rapids, Mich., and Bernard Nelson, Crete, Neb.; five grandchildren; brother Francis Orstad, Grant; and sister Hazel Grayson, Phoenix, Ariz.

Services were held May 8 at the Redeemer Lutheran Church with the Reverend Dave Symm officiating. Burial was in Oakland Cemetery, Quincy.

Pallbearers were Guy Brace, Harold Roush, Don Crill, Jerry Getter, Howard Anderson, Merle Jordening.

Memorials may be made to the Redeemer Lutheran Church, Corning.

Coen-Beaty Funeral Home, Corning, was in charge of arrangements.



Adams County Free Press,  
Oct 21, ✓ 1993.

### **Don O. Nelson**

Don O. Nelson, 83, of Fort Collins, Colo., died Wednesday, Oct. 13, 1993, at his home.

No services are scheduled. Cremation is planned.

Nelson was born Nov. 8, 1909, in Adams County, the son of Oscar Laroy and Leona Belle Nelson, both deceased.

He graduated from Corning High School in Corning in 1928 and attended Melsner School of Acting in Omaha for one year. He then went to Chautaukua in Canada for one year. In 1936, he graduated from Peru state Teachers College in Nebraska with a bachelor of arts degree. He graduated from the University of Northern Colorado with a master of arts degree in 1941.

On June 14, 1938, he married Haleen Gebble in Corning. The couple moved to Fort Collins in 1954.

Mr. Nelson taught in public schools for several years. He also taught at Stephens College in Columbia, Mo., and taught accounting at the University of Nebraska in Omaha, Neb. for eight years. He taught at Colorado State University in the College of Business for 18 years retiring in 1972.

Hobbies included refinishing antique furniture in his spare time, as well as traveling and dancing.

Mr. Nelson is survived by his wife of Fort Collins; two sons, Kent Nelson of Helena, Mont., and Ned Nelson of Evergreen, Colo.; his daughter Karen Dunn of Denver; a sister Leona Stuvick of Corning; seven grandchildren; and three great-grandchildren.

Memorials may be made to the Don O. Nelson Scholarship Fund at CSU College of Business or to Larimer County Hospice in care of Allnutt Funeral Service Goodrich Chapel in Fort Collins.



FANNIE MARIE NELSEN

Fannie Marie Briles, daughter of Jacob A. and Mary Ellen Grassman Briles was born at Cromwell, Iowa April 30, 1899 and entered into rest at Rosary Hospital at Corning, Iowa on June 7, 1984 at the age of 85 years, 1 month and 7 days.

In 1920 she was united in marriage with Jens Peter Nelsen at Union County, Iowa and to this union four children were born.

They farmed in Adams County, and for many years Fannie worked at Rosary Hospital. The last several years she has lived with her son Gail on the farm at Nodaway, Iowa.

She was preceded in death by her parents; her husband; one granddaughter; two brothers and one sister.

Fannie is survived by her daughters: Thelma Chilcott of Corning, Neva King and her husband Cliff of Villisca, Iowa and Rowlene Birt and her husband Duane of Prescott, Iowa; her son Gail Nelsen of Nodaway, Iowa; 8 grandchildren; 10 great-grandchildren; her sister Florence Nelsen of Corning and several nieces and nephews.

May God give comfort and strength to those who mourn.

-SERVICES-

Saturday, June 9, 1984  
10:00 o'clock a.m.  
St. Patrick Catholic Church  
Corning, Iowa

-OFFICIATING-

Father Fred Reischl  
Rev. William Briley

-CASKET BEARERS-

Gary King  
Bill Birt  
Terry King  
Don Devine  
Steve Birt  
Denny Reichardt  
Howard VanderLinden

-FLOWER BEARERS-

Mr. & Mrs. Don Scanlon  
Mr. & Mrs. Richard Crouse

-MUSIC BY-

St. Patrick Choir  
Eleanor Kelly, Organist

-SELECTIONS-

"Going Down The Valley"  
"Good Night And Good Morning"

-INTERMENT-

Cromwell Cemetery  
Cromwell, Iowa



LESTER EARL NELSON, the son of Andrew and Annie Bronner Nelson, was born in Adams County, Iowa on September 13, 1903; and entered into Heaven at the Rosary Hospital in Corning, Iowa on Tuesday morning, March 7, 1978 at the age of 74 years, 5 months, and 24 days.

On December 8, 1940 he was united in marriage to Bessie Orstad at the Strand Lutheran Church. Three children were born to bless this union: Melvin, Edward, and Bernard.

Lester and Bessie farmed for many years until retiring and moving to Corning in 1969. He was a member of the Redeemer Lutheran Church in Corning.

He was preceded in death by his father Andrew and his mother Annie.

He leaves to mourn his passing, his wife, Bessie of Corning; three sons: Melvin L. Nelson and his wife Mary of Grand Rapids, Michigan; Edward A. Nelson and his wife Kathy of Creston; and Bernard L. Nelson of Nebraska City, Nebraska. Also surviving are three grandchildren, Gerald, Raymond and Maxwell Nelson; and his brothers and sisters: Isabelle Pedersen of Elkhorn, Nebraska; Walter A. Nelson of Creston; Virgil E. Nelson of Corning; and Iva Orstad of Atlantic, Iowa; as well as other relatives and many friends.

Lester's great joy in life was farming, his love for horses; and he was known as a good friend and neighbor. He was a loving husband and father, who will be greatly missed by his family, relatives and friends.

May God comfort and give strength to those who mourn.

## SERVICES

Friday, March 10, 1978

2:00 o'clock p.m.

Redeemer Lutheran Church, Corning, Iowa

## OFFICIATING

Pastor Robert Bartel

## CASKET BEARERS

Jerry Getter

Ralph Neill

Merle Jordening

Harold Roush

Jack Morrison

Merle Suntken

## HONORARY BEARERS

Chester Nelson

Wayne Orstad

Richard Nelson

Norvell Houck

Robert Nelson

## MUSIC BY

Lois Jordening, Organist

Redeemer Lutheran Church Choir

"How Great Thou Art"

## CONGREGATIONAL SINGING

"What A Friend We Have In Jesus"

"My Hope Is Built on Nothing Less"

## FLOWER BEARERS

Mrs. Ralph Morrow

Mrs. Jerry Getter

## INTERMENT

Quincy Cemetery, Corning, Iowa



Adams County Free Press .  
Nov 7, 1991 .

### **Clyde J. Neuhardt**

Clyde Jefferson "Joe" Neuhardt, 86, son of Will and Fern Noble Neuhardt, was born July 6, 1905, at Aledo, Ill., and died at the Colonial Manor Nursing Home in Corning Oct. 23, 1991.

When he was six months old he moved with his parents to the Noble farm northeast of Lenox and attended school in Grant Township in Adams County.

In November, 1932, he married Ruth Hayes of Lenox. They were the parents of two children. She preceded him in death in May, 1951.

On Jan. 1, 1968, he married Mable Sanburn of Lenox. They continued to make their home on the farm where he resided for 57 years until ill health caused him to move to the nursing home on July 5, 1990.

He was preceded in death by his first wife, Ruth; his parents; a brother and sister.

He is survived by his wife Mable of Lenox; his children, Bill and Leila of Afton; two sisters, Reva Cline and husband Clifford of California and Leota Steele and her husband Henry of Kansas; a sister-in-law, Hallie Neuhardt of Lenox; a step-daughter Jean Moore and her husband Marty of Villisca; a step-son Earl Sanburn and his wife Jane of Sidney; five step-grandchildren and five step-great-grandchildren.

Services were held Oct. 25 at the Larkin & Johnson Funeral Home in Lenox with the Revs. Elmer West and Richard Queener officiating. Casket bearers were Reldon Cline, James Rychnovsky, Joe Maynes Jr., Roy Beck, Alford Nicholson Jr., and Roland "Butch" Miller.

Burial was in West Fairview Cemetery at Lenox.



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## FUNERAL NOTICE

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DIED—June 24, 1944, at Normandy, in France, in the service of his country.

### PVT. DONALD E. NEVIUS

AGED—22 years, 5 months and 11 days.

Funeral services will be held from the Christian Church, Corning, Ia., Sunday, September 26, 1948, 2:30 p. m., conducted by Rev. Thurman Bowen, assisted by Rev. Don Steinfart. Interment will be in Walnut Grove cemetery, Corning.

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*Nevius Pvt. Donald E.*



Adams County Free Press  
June 23, 1988.

### **Harold Nevius**

Final rites were conducted Tuesday, June 21, at the United Methodist Church in Corning for Harold Nevius, 70, of Corning. The Rev. Don Strickler officiated.

Casket bearers were Pat Paul, Steve Paul, Lannie Paul, Michael Paul, Jeff Nevius and Jamie Hogan. Honorary bearers were members of the Corning Volunteer Fire Department.

Military rites were conducted by the Ourcq Post 117 American Legion. Burial was in the Prairie Rose Cemetery near Corning.

Harold Nevius was the son of John and Bertha Gillet Nevius and was born Oct. 28, 1917, at Corning. He died June 19, 1988, at St. Joseph Hospital in Omaha, Neb.

He attended grade and high school at Corning and college at the University of South Dakota. He returned to Corning and worked as a grocery clerk and meat cutter until entering the U.S. Army in WW II.

On Sept. 29, 1940, he married Grace Paul in Corning. They celebrated their 40th wedding anniversary in 1980 with all members of their family present.

After returning from service with the U.S. Army, Mr. Nevius went back to work as a meat cutter until 1960 when he joined the postal service until his retirement in 1981.

Mr. Nevius was a member of the United Methodist Church, Ourcq Post 117 American Legion, City Council and a 40-year member of the Corning Volunteer Fire Department.

He was preceded in death by his parents; two brothers, Clifford, who died in infancy, and Donald who died in service in WW II.

Survivors include his wife; daughter, Sandra Johnston and husband, Carl; son, Donald Nevius, all of Corning; daughter, Mary Lee Brenton and husband William of Anita; four grandchildren, Debbie Hogan and husband, James, Diane Johnston and Wendy and Holly Jo Brenton; one great-granddaughter, Chelsey Hogan; brother, John Nevius and wife Jean of Corning.

Memorials may be given in his name to the American Legion Scholarship Fund and the Corning Volunteer Fire Department.



Adams County Free Press  
Dec 9, 1993.

### **Marvin L. Newman**

Marvin L. Newman, 78, was born Sept. 26, 1915, in Nodaway, Iowa. He died Nov. 16, 1993, at Deaconess Medical Center in Spokane, Wash.

In 1936 he married Dorthea Gibbons. She died in 1979. In June 1982 he married Phyllis Rea.

Mr. Newman had lived in the Tri-Cities since 1952 where he owned and operated Newman's Auto Body Repair. He worked as an automotive painter until he retired in 1982. He was a member of the Moose and Eagle lodges in Othello.

He was preceded in death by his first wife; and his daughter Delores in 1991.

Survivors include his wife Phyllis; four step-children, John of San Jose, Calif., Judy of Walla Walla, Wash., Jerry of Othello, Wash., and Jeff of St. Joseph, Mich.; his sister Shirley Underwood of Seattle, Wash; and son-in-law Kenley Carlson of Pasco; four granddaughters; 7 step-grandchildren; and 10 great-grandchildren.

Services were held Nov. 19 in the Mueller's Tri-Cities Funeral Home Chapel in Kennewick with Dr. Dallas Dobson and Dr. John Paisley officiating. Burial was at Desert Lawn Memorial Park.

Memorials may be made to the Reclamation Ranch Ministries c/o Riverview Baptist Church, 4921 W. Wernett, Pasco, Wash. 99301.



Adams County Free Press.  
June 18, 1987.

### **F.H. Nichols**

F.H. "Nick" Nichols, 84, of 1800 46th St., Des Moines died June 7, 1987, at his home. The son of Mr. and Mrs. A.P. Nichols of Corning, he was born in Adams County, Iowa.

He moved to Des Moines in 1941. He had owned and operated Nichols Trucking Service throughout Iowa. He worked for his father in Corning before moving to Des Moines, where he worked for U.S. Rubber at the Ankeny Ordinance Plant.

He was a member of Grace United Methodist Church, Waveland Park Masonic Lodge and Des Moines Consistory.

Survivors include his wife, Mary; a son, Richard of Wauwatosa, Wisc.; a daughter, Jane Carey of Des Moines; a sister, Florence Robinson of Ames; a brother, Lester of Minneapolis, Minn., and five grandchildren.

Preceding him in death were his parents; two sisters, Marjorie and Ruth and two brothers, Merrill and Daniel.

A memorial service was held at 1:30 p.m. June 9 at Westover Funeral Home in Des Moines. The body was cremated, with burial in Forest Hill Cemetery, south of Mount Etna.



**— Pall Bearers—**

Dr. C. L. Bain  
Clarence Bender  
Wm. Wheatley  
Lewis Crouse  
Walter Fuelberth  
Keith Fuelberth

*A door swings briefly open,  
And a loved one slips away---  
Slips from Life's dark Shadows,  
Into bright Eternal Day,  
Where earthly griefs are over,  
Where pain shall be no more,  
To Peace past understanding  
God has opened wide the door.*

**— Service For —**

MISS RUTH D. NICHOLS

**— Born —**

On September 2, 1909

**— Entered Into Rest —**

On August 20, 1966

**— Age —**

56 years, 11 months, 18 days

**— Services —**

Tuesday, August 23, 1966 at 1:30  
p. m. from the Roland Funeral  
Home in Corning, Iowa.

**—Clergyman—**

Rev. Paul Williams

**— Interment —**

Forest Hill Cemetery



LULU MAY NICHOLSON

-BORN-

August 16, 1896  
Lenox, Iowa

-ENTERED TO REST-

January 15, 1980  
Corning, Iowa

-AGE-

83 Years, 4 Months, 29 Days

-SERVICES-

Friday, January 18, 1980  
1:30 o'clock p.m.  
Stringtown Community Church

-OFFICIATING-

Rev. Gerald Rogers  
Pastor

-MUSIC BY-

Mabel Pine, Organist  
Gwen Maynes, Soloist

-SELECTION-

"In The Garden"

-CONGREGATIONAL HYMN-

"Wonderful, Wonderful Jesus"

-CASKET BEARERS-

Robert Rhoades  
Richard Notz  
Robert Morris  
George Nelson  
Lyle Nelson  
Roland Miller

-INTERMENT-

East Fairview Cemetery  
Lenox, Iowa





## COMFORT

Oh, deem not they are blest alone  
Whose lives a peaceful tenor keep;  
The Power who pities man has shown  
A blessing for the eyes that weep.

The light of smiles shall fill again  
The lids that overflow with tears;  
And weary hours of woe and pain  
Are promises of happier years.

For God has marked each sorrowing day,  
And numbered every secret tear,  
And heaven's long age of bliss shall pay  
For all his children suffer here.

WILLIAM CULLEN BRYANT

### Funeral Services For

JAMES W. NIX

Born Feb. 11, 1890 at Keytesville, Missouri

Entered Into Rest January 13, 1961

Age 70 Years

Services January 16, 1961 at 2 P.M. from  
The Wolfe Funeral Home

Clergyman — Rev. E. T. Bodwell

Organist — Mrs. Mabel Dunn

Singing — Miss Arloa Merritt

Miss Diana Merritt

Songs — "The Old Rugged Cross"  
"Safe in the Arms of Jesus"

#### Flower Bearers

Mrs. Hal Fulton

Mrs. Ivan Brown

#### Casket Bearers

Paul Otto  
Ivan Brown  
Art Pullen

Paul Bennett  
Dale King  
Hal Fulton

Interment — Nodaway Cemetery



Adams County Free Press.  
May 11, 1995.

### **Lucille Nolte**

Mary Lucille Nolte, 89, Corning, was born Oct. 25, 1905, to William and Anna (Morkert) Batten, at Beech, in Marion County, Iowa. She died April 30, 1995, at Colonial Manor Care Center in Corning.

She attended Beech High School and Simpson College where she received her teaching certificate. She taught one term in a rural school. She married George R. Nolte on June 25, 1927, at Knoxville. They celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary in 1977.

The Noltés farmed near Milo in Warren County until 1941 when they moved to a farm near Corning. Mrs. Nolte taught in Adams County rural schools from 1952 until the last rural school, at Lincoln Center, was closed. They remained on the farm until 1972 when they retired and moved to Massena.

After the death of her husband in 1980, Mrs. Nolte moved to a home in Corning where she lived until moving to Colonial Manor in 1994.

She was very creative, always painting, working with ceramics and leather, gardening, crocheting, and playing the piano, but her first choice was fishing.

She was preceded in death by her husband; daughter Donna Wilmarth; a grandson; and six brothers.

She is survived by her daughters, Betty Hurt, Tucson, Ariz., and Patricia Waltman, Corwith; sons, Richard Nolte, Marion, and Robert Nolte, Corning; 15 grandchildren; and 27 great-grandchildren.

Services were held May 4 at Coen-Beaty Funeral Home with Rev. Gerry Kahler officiating. Burial was in Oakland Cemetery, Quincy.

Casket bearers were David Nolte, Bill Wilmarth, Jim Wilmarth, Jeff Hurt, Brad Hurt, John Spencer Hurt, Rick Hurt, and Douglas Waltman.

Memorials are to Carbon United Methodist Women.

Coen-Beaty Funeral Home, Corning, was in charge of arrangements.



Adams County Free Press.  
Nov 3, 1994.

### **Tracy Lee Nolte**

Tracy Lee Nolte, 32, Corning, was born to Robert and Carol Gentle Nolte Dec. 7, 1961, at Omaha, Neb. He died Oct. 28, 1994, in an auto accident in rural Corning.

Mr. Nolte was a lifetime resident the Corning area and graduated from Corning High School in 1980. He was employed at Houck Supply. He was a member of the United Methodist Church.

Preceding him in death were three grandparents.

He is survived by his parents; sisters Kimberly Nolte, Corning, and Lori (husband Sam) Jones, Indianapolis, Ind.; and grandmother Lucille Nolte, Corning.

Services were held Oct. 31 at the Roland Lindsay Chapel with the Rev. Gerry Kahler officiating.

Casket bearers were Troy Wheelock, Ray Houck, Norvell Houck, Robert Miller, Rex Kinser, Denny Medders, Rich Stuhr, Jim Wilmarth, Jeremy Houck, Tom Boswell, Randy Miller, John Nicholson, Dwight Oglesbee, Randy Groves.

Burial was at Quincy Cemetery in Adams County. Memorials have been established in his name.



# Adams County Free Press .

May 12, 1988 .

## **Leta Norcross**

Services were held Monday, May 2, 1988, at the United Methodist Church in Algona for Leta Belle Chafa Norcross, 51, of Algona. The Rev. Dale Ellsworth officiated.

Casket bearers were Fred James, Jerry Russell, John Lande, Jack Mehaffey, Royal Nold and Paul Johnson. Honorary bearers were Thomas Drake, Dennis Besch, John O'Neal, Sharon Lemke, Sharon Smith, Denise Farmer, Dennis Rucker, Craig McNaughton, Beverly Manske, Elaine Powers and Ellie Payne. Burial was in the Ames Municipal Cemetery, Ames.

Memorials may be given to the Northern Iowa Medical Center in Mason City, the United Methodist Church in Algona or the American Cancer Society.

Mrs. Norcross was born March 4, 1937, at Mount Etna to Lloyd and Leah Bixler Chafa. She died April 29, 1988, at the Northern Iowa Medical Center in Mason City.

She attended rural school in Lincoln Township and graduated from Corning High School in 1955. She married Gary Lynn Norcross on Oct. 14, 1956, at the Lincoln Center Church.

After her marriage, the couple lived in Creston where she worked for the school district and First National Bank. In 1958 they moved to Van Nuys, Calif., where Mrs. Norcross worked for Sherman Oaks National Bank. In 1960 they moved to Ames where Mrs. Norcross was employed by the city of Ames. She served as treasurer of the school district after they moved to Sycamore, Ill., in 1965. In 1979, they moved to Algona where she became the principal's secretary and executive assistant for the O.B. Laing Middle School. She held this position until her health failed in September 1987.

Mrs. Norcross was a member of the First United Methodist Church and UMW.

She is survived by her husband; son, Dan of Ames; her parents, Lloyd and Leah Chafa of Corning; three brothers, Donald and Lacy Chafa of Des Moines, Delmar and Bonnie Chafa of Corning and Dennis and Sally Chafa of Independence, Mo.; her husband's parents, Loyl and Selma Norcross of Corning; brother-in-law, Russel and Gayle Norcross of Newton; nephews and nieces.



Adams County Free Press,  
Feb 17, 1994.

### **Loyl Norcross**

Loyl Dean Norcross, 86, was born April 26, 1907, at Grant, Iowa, to Russel and Jennie Ashbug Norcross. He died at Colonial Manor Nursing Home in Corning Feb. 10, 1994.

He was married March 14, 1929, to Selma Harris at Grant.

Mr. Norcross was a retired farmer. He farmed near Grant for 10 years, then moved to an uncle's farm, and bought a farm in Adams County where they lived for 43 years. They moved to Corning in 1981.

He was a member of the Methodist Church.

He was preceded in death by his parents and two brothers.

He is survived by his wife Selma of Corning; sons Russel Gene (wife Gail) Norcross of Newton; and Gary (wife Vivian) Norcross of Algona; four grandchildren; and four great-grandchildren.

Services were held Feb. 14 at the Roland Lindsay Golden Rule Funeral Chapel with the Rev. Richard Layman officiating. Burial was in Oakland Cemetery at Quincy.

Casket bearers were Larry Norcross, Dan Norcross, David Wappner, Charles Templeman, Gerald Norcross, Duane Harris.

Honorary casket bearers were Howard Cooley, Frank Davis, Arthur Kapple, Marvin Harris, Don Harris, John Ogden, Paul Odson, Edwin Harris.

Roland-Lindsay Golden Rule Funeral home in Corning was in charge of arrangements.



Adams County Free Press.  
Sept 14, 1989.

### **Paul Richard Northup**

Paul Richard Northup, 80, was born May 11, 1909, in Nodaway, the son of Ralph and Edith Palmer Northup, and died Sept. 9, 1989.

On Feb. 14, 1940, he was married to Dorothy C. Williams of Nodaway. He was a farmer, gas station attendant and a janitor for the Villisca Schools from 1965-1982. He resided in Villisca before moving to the Vista Gardens Care Center in Red Oak.

He is survived by his wife; two sons, Paul Russell and wife Rita of Mound City, Mo., and Dennis Lee and wife Reva of Springfield, Mo.; a brother, Tharold of San Diego, Calif.; three sisters, Cleao Larson of Spencer, Audrey Bryant of Battle Creek, and Leola O'Riley of Atlantic; and four grandchildren.

Services were held Sept. 9 at the United Methodist Church in Villisca with the Rev. Kevin Glesener officiating. Casket bearers were Sherman Bryant, Norman Buch, Bill O'Riley, Charlie Hicks, Kenneth Bryant and Merlin Hicks. Honorary bearers were Helmar Asklof, Charlie Shepherd, Ed Bauer, Bill Smith, Wayne Swartz and Floyd Marvick. Burial was in the Villisca Cemetery with Wolfe Funeral Home in charge of the arrangements.



Adams County Free Press.  
Jan 7, 1988.

### **Emily A. Notz**

Emily Anna Notz, 80, Lenox, died Dec. 29 at Greater Community Hospital in Creston. Services were held Dec. 31 at the Coen-Beaty Funeral Home in Lenox.

The Rev. Dick Walden, pastor of the Church of The Nazarene in Creston, officiated. Burial was in the East Fairview Cemetery in Lenox.

Casket bearers were Bob Reynolds, Mervin Shawler, Robert Rhoades, Lewis Brown, Donald Trost, Alfred Nicholson Jr. and Jeff Notz.

Mrs. Notz was born March 25, 1907, in Lenox. She was married to Paul T. Notz on March 26, 1955, in Creston. They farmed near Lenox in Adams County for many years. Mr. Notz died June 15, 1985.

Mrs. Notz was a member of The Church of The Nazarene in Creston. She is survived by two sisters-in-law, Bertha Walter of Lenox and Edith Notz of Lenox, several nieces and nephews. She was preceded in death by her parents, husband and one sister.





Vera Nowels, age 74, of Red Oak, Iowa passed away Monday, May 15, 2000 at the Montgomery County Memorial Hospital following an extended illness. Vera May Nowels was born January 25, 1926 in Adams County, near Strand, the daughter of Herman and Velma (Hoops) Peterson. Vera graduated in 1943 from Prescott, Iowa High School and following graduation she received her teaching certificate from Creston Community College and began teaching at various country schools for many years in the Villisca and Corning areas. She was united in marriage to Richard Keith Nowels on June 21, 1951, and moved to Red Oak where she worked in Union

Carbide Corporation for 22 years. She was preceded in death by her parents; three brothers: Donald Everett Peterson, Darrell Dean Peterson and Lawrence Eugene Peterson.

Vera is survived by her husband: (Richard) Keith Nowels; four children: Richard and his wife Kelly Nowels of Pleasant Hill, IA; Rodney and his wife Cecilia Nowels of Red Oak, IA; Barbara and her husband Bob Michael of Red Oak, IA; Roger and his wife Deanna Nowels of Red Oak, IA; grandchildren: Sean, Zach, Nick, Katie, Kobi, Brianna, Shaely, Aaron, Stephanie, Shawn, Shannon and Stacey; great grandchildren: Ashley, Austin, Kaliann, Kassidy, Dakota, Sheyenne; two brothers: Clark Peterson and Lawrence Peterson both of Corning, IA and sister: Darlene Russell of Lancaster, CA

## **VERA MAY NOWELS**

### **Born**

January 25, 1926  
Adams County, Iowa

### **Entered Into Rest**

May 15, 2000  
Red Oak, Iowa

### **Age**

74 years 3 months 20 days

### **Services Held At**

Nelson-Boylan Funeral Chapel  
10: 30 A.M., Thursday, May 18, 2000

### **Clergy**

Rev. Albert Baker

### **Pallbearers**

Bruce DuVal Dallas Russell Larry Peterson  
Bob Cooper Terry Russell Doug Peterson

### **Music**

Larry & Rhonda Mannasmith

### **Music Selections**

"In The Garden"  
"How Great Thou Art"  
"Beyond The Sunset"

### **Interment**

Evergreen Cemetery  
Red Oak, Iowa