

God's Garden

God looked around his garden
And found an empty place,
He then looked down upon the earth
And saw your tired face.
He put his arms around you
And lifted you to rest.
God's garden must be beautiful
He always takes the best.
He knew that you were suffering
He knew you were in pain.
He knew that you would never
Get well on earth again.
He saw the road was getting rough
And the hills were hard to climb.
So he closed your weary eyelids
And whispered, 'Peace be thine'.
It broke our hearts to lose you
But you didn't go alone,
For part of us went with you
The day God called you home.



*In Loving
Memory*

Celebration of Life Gathering
Shenandoah Eagles Club
Shenandoah, Iowa
Wednesday, July 5, 2023
2:00 p.m.



Joyce Lucille Brantner
1937-2023

Private Family Inurnment
Rose Hill Cemetery
Shenandoah, Iowa

Lucille Brantner

Joyce Lucille Brantner was born on September 5, 1937 in Browning, Missouri, to Erman and Lavenia (Linhart) Brantner. She was welcomed into the family by her older brother Richard. Lucille entered into eternal peace on Thursday, June 29, 2023 at her home in Shenandoah, Iowa with her loving son by her side.

Lucille was raised in the Browning community. She was a graduate of Linn County High School, and later went on to business school. She played on a traveling women's basketball team in her younger days. During her working years she held positions at the Amvets Club, Lakes Nurseries and was a dedicated office manager for UBC for over 35 years. Many customers can still remember her answering the phone "UBC, Lucille." A sweet memory indeed!

One of Lucille's greatest accomplishments would be in raising her son, Jon Eric. She taught him the value of hard work and persistence. He has lovingly cared for her in his home for the past two years. She enjoyed putting together puzzles, playing solitaire and working in her yard. Lucille was also a founding member of the Shenandoah Eagles #3849. Lucille will forever be remembered for the quiet and simple life she lived.

She was preceded in death by her parents and brother Richard. Those left to honor her memory include her son Jon Eric Brantner; special friend Raymond Eastman; nephews Roger and Michael Brantner; niece Debbie Brantner; other relatives and friends.