

*In
Loving Memory*



Edna Ahrens

Born

March 21, 1910
Hampton, Nebraska

Entered Into Rest

April 21, 2003
Shenandoah, Iowa

Age

93 Years, 1 Month

Life Celebration

10:30 A.M.
Thursday, April 24, 2003
Trinity Lutheran Church
Shenandoah, Iowa

Words of Comfort

Reverend Steven Teske

Memory Register

Carmine McLaren - Lois Rolf

Caring for Flowers

Ella Mae Crawford - Karen Spears

Organist
Linda Micheel

Duet
Dean & Kris Adkins

Musical Selections
"Precious Lord Take My Hand"
"If You Could See Me Now"

Ushers
Tim Krein - Bruce Micheel

Casket Bearers
Milton Bramble - Alan Hutchison - Brad Hutchison
Jeff Malmberg - Mike Sinner - Mike White

Final Resting Place
Rose Hill Cemetery
Shenandoah, Iowa

The Twenty-Third Psalm

*The Lord is my shepherd, I shall not want.
He maketh me to lie down in green pastures:
He leadeth me beside the still waters.
He restoreth my soul. He leadeth me in the paths
of righteousness for His name's sake.
Yea, though I walk through the valley of the
shadow of death, I will fear no evil: for Thou art
with me; Thy rod and Thy staff they comfort me.
Thou preparest a table before me in the presence
of mine enemies: Thou anointest my head with oil:
my cup runneth over. Surely goodness and mercy
shall follow me all the days of my life: and I will
dwell in the house of the Lord forever.*

Edna B. Ahrens

Edna Pauline Bertha Ahrens, the daughter of Chris and Lydia Heiden, was born March 21, 1910, in Hampton, Nebraska and passed away April 21, 2003, at her home in Shenandoah, Iowa.

Edna spent the early part of her life in the Hampton area where she attended school. She later married Milton Ahrens and to this union seven children, Elva, Donis, Twila, Bob, Rexine, Colene and Pamela were born. They lived in the Hampton area when they were first married then moved to Shenandoah in 1936, where they made their home and raised their children.

During Edna's working years, she was employed by Earl May Seed and Nursery Company and the Weekly Times Newspaper. She was a devoted member of the Trinity Lutheran Church in Shenandoah. Edna enjoyed playing cards, growing her beautiful garden, was known to be an excellent cook, but most of all, she enjoyed being with her children and grandchildren.

Preceding Edna in death were her parents; husband; daughter, Colene Malmberg; two grandchildren, Kelly Lynn Jones and Christopher Deatz; and three brothers, Erwin, Walter, and Lavern Heiden.

Survivors include her son and daughter-in-law, Bob and Karen Ahrens of Shenandoah; daughters and sons-in-law, Elva and Paul Bramble of Rockport, Missouri, Donis and Harlan White of Red Oak, Iowa, Twila and Leonard Hutchison of Shenandoah, Rexine and Jerry Burroughs of Farragut, Iowa, and Pamela and Frank Malzer of Nebraska City, Nebraska. Also surviving are sisters, Alice Burke of Omaha, Nebraska and Evelyn Grudzinski and husband, Marian, of Burlington, Colorado; brothers, Melvin Heiden of Hampton, Nebraska and Arnold Heiden and wife, Colene, of Bradshaw, Nebraska; 25 grandchildren, 43 great grandchildren and 17 great-great grandchildren; plus many nieces, nephews, other relatives and many friends.

Services Entrusted to Selby Funeral Chapel, Shenandoah, Iowa



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