

ANDERSEN, Freda Florence

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## Freda F. Andersen, 81

Elk Horn — Freda Florence Andersen was born Feb. 13, 1899 near Elk Horn, daughter of Anton and Marie Larsen Petersen. She was baptized and confirmed in the Lutheran faith.

In May, 1920 she married Mads C. Lange. They farmed in Audubon and Shelby counties. In 1947 they moved to Audubon. Mads died in Nov., 1959. In 1961 she moved to Elk Horn.

In 1962 she married Axil M. Andersen. Axil died in Aug. of 1971. Freda remained in her own home in Elk Horn until the fall of 1980 when she moved to the Salem Nursing Home, where she died Thursday, Jan. 15, 1981 at age 81 years.

She was preceded in death by her parents, her husbands, two sisters, two brothers and four infant sisters and brothers. Survivors include one son, Ross Lange of Orient; four grandchildren, one sister-in-law, Mrs Alex Petersen of Elk Horn and five great grandchildren.

Funeral services were held Saturday, Jan. 17, 1981 at the Elk Horn Lutheran church with Pastor Eugene Soland, officiating. Burial was in the Elk Horn Lutheran cemetery with Elmer R. Sorensen, David Lange, Terry Sanders, Gail Lange, Darrell Fredricksen and Edmund Madsen serving as casketbearers.