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## **Dorothy Boll, 88**

**April 26, 1909 - June 1, 1997 ✓**

**Elk Horn** - Dorothy Ruth Boll, daughter of William and Lydia Stude Nicolai, was born April 26, 1909 near Avoca. As a small child she moved with her family to Gregory, SD and then moved to Shelby on a farm where she grew up.

She married Wallace LaGrand Boll and they farmed at Shelby, Minden and Walnut before buying their farm at Griswold in 1956. They built a new home and moved into Griswold in February 1973. Wallace died in November of 1973. She lived in her home until February 1992 when she moved to Peace Haven Retirement Home in Walnut. In August 1996 she moved to Salem Lutheran Homes in Elk Horn. She died June 1, 1997 at Cass County Memorial Hospital.

Preceding her in death were her parents; her husband Wallace; son Eugene; brothers Glen and Delbert Nicolai; sisters Marie Wehland and Goldie Gress and a son-in-law Ralph Maassen. Surviving her are two daughters, Betty Maassen of Walnut and Vicky Brodale of Cherokee; son-in-law Franklin Brodale of Cherokee, grandsons Jimmy Maassen of Omaha and Matthew Brodale of Cherokee and two great-granddaughters Jennifer and Kathey Maassen of Lincoln, NE.

A private funeral service will be held at a later date with inurnment at the Shelby cemetery. Knutson Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.