

Agneta Jensen, 81

Aug. 21, 1914 - Nov. 11, 1995

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Walnut - Agneta Elise Jensen, daughter of Nels and Anna (Laugesen) Olsen was born Aug. 21, 1914 in Shelby County. She attended Lincoln #4 School in Shelby County and grew to adulthood helping on the family farm as well as helping other families. She was baptized May 13, 1917 into the Lutheran faith and confirmed April 28, 1929 in the Immanuel Church in Harlan.

Sept. 15, 1935 she married Harvey Jensen in Harlan. They became the parents of two sons, Gary and Dennis, and one daughter, Dorothy. After their marriage, they farmed until 1976, when they retired from farming and in 1977 they moved into Elk Horn. She made her home in Elk Horn until 1991, when she became a resident of the Peace Haven Retirement Home in Walnut. She had recently become a resident of the Salem Lutheran Home in Elk Horn and it was there that she died Nov. 11, 1995 at age 81 years, two months and 21 days. She was a member of the Elk Horn Lutheran Church. They were privileged to have celebrated their 60th wedding anniversary in Sept. of this year.

In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by a daughter, Dorothy Jensen; a grandson, Michael Jensen; a brother, Helmer Olsen; a sister, Mary Jane Olsen and two brothers-in-law, Bill Boeck and Dale Christensen. She is survived by her husband, Harvey Jensen of Walnut; her sons, Gary (Linda) Jensen of El Cajon, CA; Dennis (Connie) Jensen of Avoca; five grandchildren; one great grandchild; four sisters, Ruby Christensen of Chariton; Betty Boeck of Harlan; Darlene (Robert) Saltmarsh of Lakefield, MN and Erma Lee (Marvin) Roenfeld of Scottsdale, AZ; nieces, nephews and other relatives.

Funeral services were held Nov. 15, 1995 at the Elk Horn Lutheran Church in Elk Horn with Rev. Mike Williams officiating. Burial was in the Elk Horn Cemetery with Tim Fredericksen, Louie Troll, LaVern Fredericksen, Stanley Johannsen, Duane Rich and Norman W. Christensen honorary casket bearers. Casket bearers were Garry Hockel, Dick Christensen, Terry Boeck, Robert W. Saltmarsh, Victor Jensen and Ronald Christensen. Pauley Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.