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Marianne Ronnfeldt, 80

Jan. 6, 1919 – June 20, 1999

AVOCA – Marianne Ronnfeldt was born Jan. 6, 1919, in Harlan. She was the daughter of Charles and Louise Nelson. She was one of three children born into that union. She attended school in Harlan, and graduated in 1936. She moved to Avoca and worked at Bakes Café.

She was married Carl Ronnfeldt Aug. 25, 1941. They were the parents of one son, Charles. She helped Carl in the hardware store until 1977. She also worked at Rubacks Grocery Store. Carl died Oct. 30, 1985. She died at her home in Avoca, June 20, 1999, at age 80 years, five months and 14 days.

She was preceded in death by her parents, two brothers and her husband, Carl. She is survived by her son, Charles (Sue) of Avoca; two granddaughters, Erin and Kara; special niece, Phyllis Schueman; special sister-in-law, Janice Ronnfeldt; and a very special friend, Katie Waddell; and other relatives.

Funeral services were held June 24, 1999, at the Knutson Funeral Home with Lay Assistant Wayne Paulsen officiating. Burial was in the Graceland Cemetery. Rex Eichelburger, James Schueman, Jr., Allan Ronnfeldt, John Scheffler, Jr., Harold Ronnfeldt and Bradley Ronnfeldt.