

## **Agneta Syse, 85**

*July 30, 1916 - Jan. 27, 2002*

**VENTURA** – Agneta Syse was born July 30, 1916, daughter of Andrew and Sadie (Benson) Flug in Irwin. She attended school in Irwin.

She married Bert Benson Nov. 19, 1934, and they lived in the Harlan area. In 1954, they moved to Ventura.

She married Arne Syse in 1960. She attended Redeemer Lutheran Church, Ventura. She died Jan. 27, 2002, at the Muse Norris Hospice Inpatient Unit, Mason City, at age 85.

She was preceded in death by her parents; two husbands; one daughter, Bertha Peckham; granddaughter, Colleen Page; three sons-in-law, Ed Pope, Donald Page and Rick Stienlicht, Jr.; and one daughter-in-law, Judy Benson. She is survived by her six children, Ardelle Pope, Harlan; Betty Page, Albert Lea, MN; Rose Marie Gross (Russ), Aurora, MN; Gary Benson (Sibyl), Dalton, GA; Larry Benson, Clear Lake and Carol Stienlicht, Garner; 12 grandchildren; 28 great grandchildren and three great great grandchildren; one brother, Gaylord Flug (DeLois) Coquille, OR; and two sisters, Mandie Ellingson, Edina, MN and Lenora Conrad, Harlan.

Funeral services were held Jan. 29, 2002, at the Ward-Van Slyke Colonial Chapel, Clear Lake, with Rev. Daird Korth officiating. A second service was held Jan. 31, 2002, at Immanuel Lutheran Church, Harlan, with Rev. Jon Benson officiating. Burial was in the Danway Cemetery, Irwin. Honorary casket bearers were Aedella Pope, Rose Marie Gross, Norine Thompson, Kathy Schwade, Betty Page, Carol Stienlicht and Minnie Bush. Casket bearers were Gary Benson, Roy Page, Larry Gross, Larry Benson, Randy Page and Russ Latch.

