

AKEY, ESTHER C.

Birth

March 02, 1933 in Commerce,
Polk Co., Iowa

Death

August 21, 2011, Urbandale,
Polk Co., Iowa



Cause of Death

Cemetery Lot

Row 22, Space 11 in the New Addition

Maiden Name

Squires

Father

Earl Leland Squires

Mother

Gertrude Dorothy Lash

Marriage

Esther C. Squires to Theodore D. "Steve" Akey

Funeral Home

McLaren's

Census

1940 –

Obituary

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Esther C. Akey

WindsorHeights

Esther C. Akey, 78, passed away Sunday, August 21, 2011. Funeral services will be held 11 a.m. Wednesday at McLaren's Chapel with burial at PleasantRidgeCemetery in Orilla, Iowa.

Esther was born March 2, 1933 in Commerce, Iowa, graduated from ValleyHigh School in 1951, and lived all her married life in WindsorHeights.

She was a devoted wife and mother.

Esther is survived by her daughter, Sheila (Frank) Wilcox of West Des Moines; sister, Marjorie Main of Des Moines; four grandchildren, Jason (Amanda) Hall of Ankeny, Rebecca Hall of Ankeny, Daniel (Heidi) Hall of Granger and Bradley (Malorie) Hall of Bennington, NE; and a cousin, Charlotte Dennis of Des Moines. She was preceded in death by her husband of 52 years, Theodore D. Akey and a son, Steven W. Akey.

Visitation will be from 10 to 11 a.m. Wednesday prior to the service at McLaren's. Memorial contributions may be given to Hospice of Central Iowa.

From the Memorial Card

In Memory of

Esther C. Akey

Born: March 2, 1933
Commerce, Iowa

Died: August 21, 2011
Urbandale, Iowa

Funeral Service

11:00 a. m. Wednesday, August 24, 2011
McLaren's Chapel

Officiating
Pastor Rick Miller

Music Selections
"Grandpa" (Tell Me 'Bout the Good Old Days)
"Sweet Hour of Prayer"
"Blessings"

Pallbearers
Frank Wilcox, Daniel Hall, Jeff Promo

Jason Hall, Bradley Hall, and Don Lash

Interment
Pleasant Ridge Cemetery
Orilla, Iowa

Verse

God hath not promised
Skies always blue,
Flower-strewn pathways
All our lives through;
God hath not promised
Sun without rain,
Joy without sorrow,
Peace without pain.

But God hath promised
Strength for the day,
Rest for the labor,
Light for the way.
Grace for the trials,
Help from above,
Unfailing sympathy
Undying love.....

Her obit was also on back of the Memorial Card
Services Entrusted to McLaren's Chapel