



Arlene Norris

December 29, 1930 - September 29, 2003

Interment: Rock Creek Cemetery near Ollie, Iowa

Arlene Marie Norris, age 72, of Emerson and formerly of Hedrick died Monday, September 29th, at the Red Oak Rehabilitation and Care Center in Red Oak, Iowa. She was born on December 29th, 1930 to David Ted and Ethel Shepperd Davis. A graduate of Martinsburg High School, Arlene was united in marriage to Kenneth Eugene Norris on May 15th, 1948 at the United Methodist Church in Martinsburg, Iowa.

Arlene is survived by her husband; three sons and their wives; Danny and Anita Norris of Farson, Timothy and Dixie Norris of Fremont, NE., and Kevin and Angela Norris of Emerson; ten grandchildren, seven great-grandchildren, four step-grandchildren, and six step-great-grandchildren, sister-in-law; Virginia Davis; sister-in-law Linda Davis; brother-in-law Rex and Mary Ellen Herman; brother-in-law Keith and Joan Norris; numerous aunts, nieces, nephews, cousins, and friends. She was preceded in death by her parents, and three brothers; Gene, Dale, and Leland Davis.

Arlene served on the Hedrick City Council, was Editor of the Hedrick Journal Newspaper, a member of the Hedrick American Legion Auxiliary, the Granny Cheering Squad, Cedar Creek Club, Keokuk County Conservation Board, United Methodist Women, Keokuk County Republicans, Fort Smith Players, a Cub Scout Leader, and member of the Hedrick/Martinsburg United Methodist Church. She enjoyed flowers, crafts, and being a grandmother.

Memorials may be made in her name to the Great Lakes Burn Camp in Jackson, MI.