



## Evelyn Byers

August 27, 1915 - November 7, 2009

Fremont, Iowa

Visitation: Open after 10:00 AM with family present between the hours of 5:00 and 8:00 PM November 09, 2009 at Fremont Funeral Chapel

Funeral Service: 10:30 AM November 10, 2009 at Fremont Funeral Chapel

Interment: Cedar Township Memorial Cemetery in Fremont.

Evelyn Elizabeth Byers, 94, of Fremont died Saturday, November 7, 2009, at her home in Fremont. She was born August 27, 1915, near Ollie, Iowa the daughter of George and Laura Hardin Wonderlich. She graduated from the Ollie High School with the class of 1933. Early in her adult life she worked on C.C.C. projects. On August 9, 1939, she was united in marriage to Raymond H. Byers at Sigourney, Iowa, and he died January 5, 1995. Evelyn was a homemaker, and was a very faithful supporter of her husband in his professional career in education and on the farm. They lived in Farson from

1939 until moving to Fremont in 1949. Evelyn was very active in the Fremont and Farson Schools and was proud of her role as the "School Mom" gladly taking on all tasks from washing ball uniforms to organizing school trips. Evelyn's greatest joy in life was her children and grandchildren of whom she was very proud. She also enjoyed hand stitching, and was a devoted Iowa Hawkeye Sports Booster. Her, from scratch, Angel Food Cake, and homemade sweet pickles were her trademarks from the kitchen. She also enjoyed fresh veggies from the garden. Evelyn took a very active role in helping raise funds for community service projects in Fremont. She was an active member of the Fremont United Methodist Church; she served as an officer for several years in the United Methodist Women, Church Circle, and the 60+ Club.

Her family includes her son and his wife, Robert and Nancy Byers of Ollie; a daughter and her husband, Susan and Randy Sieren of Fremont; four grandchildren, Kelli and Josh Clark, Dr. Jennifer Byers, Elizabeth and Jed Roe, and Andrew Sieren; and several nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by her husband; parents; two brothers, Raymond and Lloyd Wonderlich; and a sister, Thelma Stanbrough.

Memorials may be made in her name to either the Fremont United Methodist Church or Iowa Hospice.