



Mary Louise Brand

May 21, 1911 - December 20, 2008

Oskaloosa, Iowa

Visitation: Open visitation beginning at 10:00 am until 4:00 pm December 23, 2008 at Fremont Funeral Chapel

Funeral Service: 10:30 am December 24, 2008 at Fremont Funeral Chapel

Interment: Cedar Township Memorial South Cemetery, Fremont, Iowa.

Mary was born May 21, 1911 in Kirksville, Iowa to William Boyd and Mary Elizabeth Walker Nash. She graduated from Fremont High School in 1929 where she held the honor of being Valedictorian a title she maintained for several years.

She was united in marriage to Carl Anderson May 21, 1930 in Eddyville, Iowa. He passed away in 1952. In 1952 Mary started working at the telephone company in Fremont as a switchboard operator and was employed there until

retiring when the business was closed. She also helped at the Fremont Funeral Chapel for many years. She was united in marriage to Vernal Brand in 1964. He passed away in 1983.

Mary enjoyed gardening, building doll houses, raising fowl, reading, word puzzles, current events and college basketball especially the Cyclones. She never missed attending the Fremont School Alumni Banquets until her health prevented her from going.

She is survived by her sons; Rex (& Dee) Anderson of Rose Hill, Iowa, and Clair Anderson of Albany, Oregon, 12 grandchildren, 23 great-grandchildren and 5 great-great grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her parents, both of her husbands, a son; William Charles Anderson, a daughter, Joy Lee Anderson, and two grandsons, Allen & William Todd Anderson.

Memorials may be made in her name to the Fremont Fire and Rescue.