



Ann Eddy

October 25, 1921 - October 4, 2013

Ann Eddy, 91, of Sioux Falls, died Friday, October 4, 2013 at Trail Ridge Assisted Living. Ann Alvina Smit was born on October 25, 1921 on a farm near Centerville, South Dakota, the daughter of George A. and Helen (Hyronimus) Smit. She grew up attending Ash Grove District #26 rural school. On October 9, 1942 she was united in marriage to Otis Eddy at San Diego Community Church. Ann worked at an aircraft factory during World War II. After Otis' discharge from Naval service, the couple returned to South Dakota, where they farmed near Beresford for the next 20 years. They then moved to the family farmstead south of Lennox. Otis died on June 7, 1995. Ann moved into Lennox in 1998 and to Sioux Falls in 2007. Ann was an active and faithful lifelong member of Delaware Reformed Church and was active in the ladies group. She belonged to the birthday club. She enjoyed flower and vegetable gardening. She was talented in needle work and crocheting. Ann loved children and especially enjoyed her time with grandchildren and great-grandchildren. Besides her parents and husband, Ann was preceded in death by three brothers: Albert Smit, Raymond Smit and George L. "Tommy" Smit; sister, Grace Anderson, granddaughter, Kelly Olsen and parent-in-laws, Guy and Lucy Eddy. Grateful for having shared her life are her children Ordean (Ellyn) Eddy, Mitchell and Cheryl (Arlyn) Olsen, Sioux Falls; five grandchildren Erin Eddy, Chrystal Fleharty, Megan Bergan. Melissa Smizinski and Eric Olsen; six great-grandchildren; siblings: Clarice Krome, Arley (Dorothy) Smit both of Sioux Falls and Eldon (Charlotte) Smit, Centerville; many nieces and

nephews, as well as other relatives and a host of friends. Memorial services will begin at 11:00 a.m. Monday, Oct. 7 at Delaware Reformed Church, rural Lennox. Private burial will precede the service. Visitation will begin Sunday at 4 p.m. with the family present from 4 to 6 p.m. at Dindot-Klusmann Funeral Home, Lennox.

Tribute Wall

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“ So sorry to hear of your mother's death. My sympathy to your family

Linda Pankratz - October 06, 2013 at 12:00 AM

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“ My sincere sympathy to Ann's family. I had the honor of knowing Ann, when she and Otis would come to the Gibson picnics in Brookings. She was a lovely lady, and a pleasure to know. She will be forever in your heart through your memories.

Peggy I. Gibson

Peggy Gibson - October 06, 2013 at 12:00 AM