



## Rosella "Rose" Fokken

April 22, 1917 - March 25, 2016

Rosella "Rose" Fokken, 98, Lennox, died, Friday, March 25, 2016 at the Lennox Good Samaritan Center. Rosella Mae Mader was born on April 22, 1917, at Sioux Falls, SD, the daughter of Forest and Minnie (Timmerman) Mader. She grew up on a farm near Montrose, SD attending Orland country school. On April 3, 1937 she was united in marriage to Richard Fokken at the Germantown parsonage, rural Chancellor, SD. Following their marriage they farmed in the Montrose, Humbolt and Lennox areas. They moved into Lennox in 1951 and to Sioux Falls in 1998. Richard died on June 13, 2004. Rose was an active and faithful member of the Lennox Ebenezer Presbyterian Church where she was a member of the Women's Circle. Besides her parents and husband, Rose was preceded in death by son, Roger Fokken in 2003 and daughter, Norma Pool in 2015; son-in-law, Steve Pool and daughter-in-law, Pat Fokken; three grandsons and one great-grandson; siblings: Lawrence Mader, Clarence Mader, Vern "Buddy" Mader, Hazel Hetland and Violet Grayson. Grateful for having shared her life are her children: Daryl (Linda Bartsch) Fokken, Apache Junction, AZ, Ronald (Betty) Fokken, Sioux Falls, Wayne (Lana) Fokken, Sioux Falls and David Fokken, Yankton; ten grandchildren, 13 great-grandchildren and seven great-great grandchildren; one brother, Dale Mader, Colton as well as many other relatives and friends. Services will begin at 10:30 a.m. Tuesday, March 29 at Lennox Ebenezer Presbyterian Church with burial to follow in the Lennox Cemetery. Visitation will be from 6 to 8 p.m Monday, with the family present at Dindot-Klusmann

Funeral Home, Lennox.

# Tribute Wall

DP

“ *Daryl and family I'm so sorry to see that your Mom passed away. It's been 5 yrs for Dad & 2 for Mom, time goes by so fast but all the great memories are with us forever! Hold onto those & take comfort in them. You are in our thoughts & prayers. Debbie(Buskohl) Price*

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**Debbie (Buskohl) Price** - April 01, 2016 at 12:00 AM

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“ *May the loving God of the Holy Bible give you comfort at this difficult time from John 5:28,29.*

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**M.H.** - March 31, 2016 at 12:00 AM

AL

“ *Our sympathy to the Fokken family.*

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**Arlo Vonnie Larson** - March 31, 2016 at 12:00 AM

HJ

“ *Please except our sincere condolences.  
Herman & Joni Janssen*

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**Herman Janssen** - March 28, 2016 at 12:00 AM

DB

“ *Dear Family  
You have my thoughts and sincere sympathy in the loss of your special loved one. Prayers, Dr Janell Beck*

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**Dr Janell Beck** - March 28, 2016 at 12:00 AM

JP

“ Ron, my sympathy on the loss of your Mother Rose. I always enjoyed visiting with your Mother at Good Sam when my Mother was there in 2011-12 and many times after that when I visited other relatives. She was always so cheerful and proud of her age!

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**Jan Poppenga** - March 27, 2016 at 12:00 AM