

Ethel M. Prescott, age 94, of Omaha, Nebraska and formerly of Storm Lake, Iowa, died Saturday, November 12, 2005 at Comfort Care in Omaha.

Ethel Marie Rupert was born on November 7, 1911, in Bloomfield, Nebraska to William J. and Elizabeth (Semliar) Rupert. She lived with her family in Bloomfield, Nebraska where she attended and graduated from Bloomfield High School in 1929. Her education was furthered at Iowa State University in Ames, receiving her degree in Home Economics in 1933.

On February 15, 1936, Ethel was united in marriage to Dr. Kenneth Prescott in Rockport, Missouri. To this union, two sons were born, Steven and Charles. The Prescott family lived in Los Angeles, California, before moving to Rockport, Missouri and to Mountain Home, Tennessee. In 1947, Ethel and Kenneth settled in Storm Lake, Iowa. She was a loving mother and proud homemaker.

Ethel was a member of the Storm Lake United Methodist Church. She loved gardening and spending time outdoors. Her passion for the outdoors was evident by the love she had for the birds and squirrels. Spending time with her family as a mother and grandmother was especially important to Ethel. Homemaking was a true talent of Ethel's, as she was a wonderful cook and hostess.

Left to cherish her memory are her children Steven Prescott of Las Cruces, New Mexico and Charles Prescott and his wife Wanda of Omaha, Nebraska; two grandchildren, Christine Jacobsen and Nicholas Prescott and two great grandchildren, Hannah Jacobsen and Elise Prescott, all of Omaha, Nebraska; and extended family and friends.

Ethel was preceded in death by her parents and her husband, Dr. Kenneth Prescott (1992).

We wish to express our gratitude for the kindness evidenced in thought and deed, and for your attendance at this service.

— The Prescott Family

Memorial tributes may be donated to
Iowa State University.



In Loving Memory



Ethel M. Prescott



1911—2005

I'm Free

Don't grieve for me, for now I'm free
I'm following the path God laid for me.
I took His hand when I heard Him call
I turned my back and left it all.

I could not stay another day
To laugh, to love, to work or play.
Tasks left undone must stay that way.
I've found that peace at the close of day.

If my parting has left a void
Then fill it with remembered joy.
A friendship shared, a laugh, a kiss.
Oh yes, these things I too will miss.

Be not burdened with times of sorrow.
I wish you the sunshine of tomorrow.
My life's been full, I savored much,
Good friends, good times, a loved one's touch.

Perhaps my time seemed all too brief.
Don't lengthen it now with undue grief.
Lift up your heart and share with me.
God wanted me now, He set me free.

--author unknown

Afterglow

I'd like a memory of me to be a happy one,
I'd like to leave an afterglow of smiles when life is done.
I'd like to leave an echo whispering softly down the ways,
Of happy times and laughing times and bright and sunny days.
I'd like the tears of those who grieve, to dry before the sun
Of happy memories that I leave when life on earth is done.

—Author Unknown—

IN MEMORY OF

Ethel M. Prescott

November 7, 1911 — November 12, 2005



MEMORIAL SERVICE

Tuesday, November 15, 2005

11:30 a.m.

*United Methodist Church
Storm Lake, Iowa*

CLERGY

Reverend Dr. Beverlee Bell

MUSIC

Deanna Larson, Organist

*Congregational Hymns
"How Great Thou Art"
"The Old Rugged Cross"*

INURNMENT

*Buena Vista Memorial Park Cemetery
Storm Lake, Iowa*



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