

IN MEMORY OF
Lorraine D. Galvin

May 7, 1929  December 30, 2008

Memorial Service

Friday, January 2, 2009 at 11:00 a.m.
Fratzke & Jensen Funeral Home
Storm Lake, Iowa

Clergy

High Priest Francis Harper
Elder Dale Jensen
Seventy Royl Roden
Elder Ralph Merideth

Pianist

Deanna Larson

Soloist

Larry Hecht

“Softly and Tenderly”

“Precious Lord, Take My Hand”

Interment

Private Family Graveside Services



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The Lord is my shepherd; I shall not want.
He maketh me to lie down in green pastures;
He leadeth me beside still waters.
He restoreth my soul; He leadeth me in the paths of
righteousness for His name's sake.
Yea, though I walk through the valley of the shadow of
death, I will fear no evil, for Thou art with me;
Thy rod and Thy staff, they comfort me;
Thou preparest a table before me in the presence of
mine enemies; Thou anointest my head with oil,
my cup runneth over.
Surely goodness and mercy
shall follow me all the days of my life;
And I will dwell in the house
of the Lord forever.

— Psalm 23



Lorraine D. Galvin, age 79, of Alta, Iowa, died on Tuesday, December 30, 2008, at Buena Vista Regional Medical Center in Storm Lake, Iowa.

Lorraine Darlene Merideth was born May 7, 1929 in Sundance, Wyoming, the daughter of Ralph and Bessie (Aldrich) Meredith.

Lorraine attended Spring Center country school near Peterson, Iowa for four years, then went on to Larabee Consolidated School in Larrabee, Iowa, from which she graduated in 1947.

Lorraine was employed at the J. C. Penney store in Cherokee, Iowa shortly after she graduated. She then worked at the Cherokee Mental Health Hospital as a secretary in the business office. She was employed at Farmers National Bank for a time, and then at Mello-Dent Seed Company north of Alta until she retired.

Lorraine was married to Paul B. Galvin on October 14, 1950 in Cherokee. The couple was blessed with two children: a son, Terry, and a daughter, Tangy.

Lorraine is a baptized member of the Church of Jesus Christ, Restored Cherokee branch. Lorraine enjoyed working in the church.

She was an animal lover, and she enjoyed gardening and canning the bounty she grew. She held a deep appreciation for all the beauty of God's creation.

Her children, grandchildren, and great-grandchildren held a special place in Lorraine's heart. Her kind and caring ways will be deeply missed by all those who knew and loved her.

Lorraine is survived by her son, Terry Galvin of Alta; her daughter, Tangy Mack, and her husband, Bill, of Storm Lake; three grandchildren: Mandy Rydberg, Kelly Rydberg and Nicole Jewell; three great-grandchildren: Jady, Mackenzie and Bryson; her sister, Maxine Magnussen; her brother, Ralph Merideth and his wife, Arbie; many nieces, nephews, extended family, and a host of friends.

Lorraine was preceded in death by her parents, her husband, and three sisters.

Maybe Love

Put Sunshine

In Your Heart

Maybe love put sunshine in your heart,

Using light to leaven your long day.

Maybe it was hard, but from the start,

'Twi'xt blight and bloom the sunshine had its way.

Sing, then, of mother's love, and your delight

Descended down to me, that I might be

Alive with sunshine, bountiful and bright,

Yet yearning still for what you gave to me.

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We wish to express our sincere gratitude for the many kindnesses evidenced in thought and deed, and for your attendance at this service. Please join us for a refreshments and a time of fellowship at the funeral home following the memorial service.



Lorraine's Family

In Loving Memory



Lorraine D. Galvin

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