

Vera Radke-Bradley, age 90, of Albert City, Iowa and formerly of Storm Lake, Iowa, died Monday, September 15, 2008 at the Pleasant View Nursing & Rehab Center in Albert City.

Vera Irene Harjes was born on September 2, 1918 in Alta, Iowa, the daughter of Fred and Matilda (Meyer) Harjes. She attended country school and graduated from Storm Lake High School.

Vera was baptized in June 1933 and later confirmed at St. John Lutheran Church in Storm Lake. On December 29, 1940, Vera was united in marriage to Harold Radke at St. John Lutheran Church in Storm Lake, Iowa. The couple was blessed with four children: Joanne, Larry, Mary and Rick. She later married Ralph Bradley on November 25, 1982 at Grace Lutheran Church in Storm Lake.

In 1992, Vera became a member of Lakeside Presbyterian Church in Storm Lake where she taught Sunday School for several years. She found great enjoyment teaching the youth of the church, as she was a faithful servant of the Lord. She also enjoyed playing cards and painting.

Left to cherish Vera's memory are two sons: Larry Radke and his wife Mary Ann of Lake City, Florida and Rick Radke and his wife Donna of Sandy, Oregon; six grandchildren: Trevor Garrels, Vaughn Radke, Zachary Radke, Claudia Radke, Jennifer (Radke) Morgan and her husband, Keef and Justin Radke and his wife, Meredith; one great granddaughter, Ava; one brother, Don Harjes and his wife, Bev of Victoria, Texas; two sisters: Helen Hoffman and her husband, Kenneth of Spencer, Iowa and Donna Mae Francis and her husband, George of Bloomfield, Iowa; nieces, nephews, extended family and friends.

Vera was preceded in death by her parents; two husbands, Harold Radke and Ralph Bradley; infant daughter, Joanne Marie; daughter, Mary Garrels; one brother, Harold Harjes; and one sister, Ardelle Swanson.

IN LOVING MEMORY



VERA I. RADKE- BRADLEY
SEPTEMBER 2, 1918 – SEPTEMBER 15, 2008



ROMANS 8: 38-39

FOR I AM CONVINCED
THAT NEITHER DEATH NOR LIFE,
NEITHER ANGELS NOR DEMONS,
NEITHER THE PRESENT NOR THE FUTURE,
NOR ANY POWERS,
NEITHER HEIGHT NOR DEPTH,
NOR ANYTHING ELSE IN ALL CREATION,
WILL BE ABLE TO SEPARATE US
FROM THE LOVE OF GOD
THAT IS IN CHRIST JESUS OUR LORD.

We wish to express our sincere gratitude for the many kindnesses shown to our family and for taking the time to celebrate Vera's life with us. You are invited to join us for lunch and a time of fellowship at the funeral home following the service.

Vera's Family

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MEMORIAL SERVICE

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 25, 2008

2:00 P.M.

FRATZKE & JENSEN FUNERAL HOME
STORM LAKE, IOWA

CLERGY

PASTOR DAVID KOEHLER

PIANIST

LINDA BAIER

SOLOIST

AL BUCKINGHAM

“HOW GREAT THOU ART”

“BECAUSE HE LIVES”

HONORARY BEARERS

VERA'S CAREGIVERS AT PLEASANT VIEW HOME

INURNMENT

BUENA VISTA MEMORIAL PARK CEMETERY
STORM LAKE, IOWA

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