



Anna L. Hogrefe

February 28, 1918 - September 9, 2013

Anna L. Hogrefe, age 95, of Storm Lake, Iowa died September 9, 2013 at the Buena Vista Regional Medical Center in Storm Lake. Anna Louise Lullmann was born February 28, 1918 in Storm Lake, Iowa the daughter of John and Martha (Sievers) Lullmann. She was baptized on March 17, 1918 at the Zion Lutheran Church in rural Storm Lake where she was later confirmed on March 20, 1932. Growing up, she attended school at Zion Lutheran School in rural Storm Lake through the eighth grade. On January 16, 1941, Anna was united in marriage to Martin Edward Hogrefe at the Zion Lutheran Church. Together, they were blessed with five children: Vernon, Robert, Norman, Myrna and Arlo. Anna was a lifelong member of the Zion Lutheran Church where she was very involved in many church activities. She was a member of Farm Bureau Women, Exhibitor for the Buena Vista County Fair winning mostly blue ribbons, a strong supporter of Zion and Concordia Lutheran Parochial Schools, and a member of the local Seward Guild of Concordia College of Seward, Nebraska. In her spare time, Anna enjoyed quilting, sewing, crocheting, and tatting. She loved gardening and canning her vegetables from her garden. Anna had a passion for music, especially playing the piano and organ. She was also anxiously awaiting the publication of a book called *Saturday Night Baths & Sunday Dinners*, published by Hometown Memories. The book included an article she wrote about the good ole days. It will be released in October. Family was the most important part of Anna's life and she treasured the time she was able to spend with them, especially her 21

great-grandchildren, who she called her "little sweethearts". She will be deeply missed by all who knew and loved her. Those left to cherish her memory include her children and grandchildren: Bob (Rose) Hogrefe of Eagle Grove, Iowa; Chad (Amy), Tate and Maya Hogrefe of LeMars, Iowa; Jeremy (Jennifer), Elizabeth and Zachary Hogrefe of Eagle Grove, Iowa; Myrna (Roger) Lorenzen of Storm Lake, Iowa; Jaden (Heather), Gavin and Keatyn Lorenzen of Larchwood, Iowa; Cory (Keri), Mason and Carson Lorenzen of Cannon Falls, Minnesota; Arlo Hogrefe of Storm Lake, Iowa; Hollie (Matt) and Joseph Sewick of Lake City, Iowa; Cody Hogrefe of Storm Lake, Iowa; daughter-in-law, Lynn Hogrefe of Storm Lake, Iowa; Troy (Andrea), Elli, Madelyn, Drew, and Bryce Hogrefe of Storm Lake, Iowa; Melissa (Nathan), Tristan Bainum, Makayli, Makenzie, and Ashton Snyder of Alta, Iowa; Derek (Barb), Loggan, Addyson, and Morgann Hogrefe of Storm Lake, Iowa; Tiffany (Dave) and Ava Stern of Storm Lake, Iowa; sisters and brothers-in-law: Norma (Arnold) Otto of Albert City, Iowa; Edna Rebhuhn of Albert City, Iowa; extended family and friends. Anna was preceded in death by her parents, John and Martha Lullmann; her husband, Martin E. Hogrefe in 1992; infant son, Vernon Hogrefe; son, Norman Hogrefe; grandchildren in infancy: John and Lisa Hogrefe (children of Bob and Rose Hogrefe); Wendy Hogrefe (daughter of Norm and Lynn Hogrefe); sisters and brothers-in-law: Hilda and Albert Hogrefe; Tillie and Vic Bartels; Lea and Fred Kreutz; brother and sister-in-law, John and Alura Lullmann; parents-in-law, Charles and Anna Hogrefe; and brother-in-law, Ray Rebhuhn.