

Lillian Mortenson, 84⁴⁻²¹⁻⁹⁹

Lillian Mortenson, 84, died Wednesday, April 21, 1999 at Beverly Healthcare Center, Groton.

Her funeral was Saturday, April 24, 1999 at Emmanuel Lutehran Church, with the Rev. Stephen Swenson officiating. Burial was in Homer Cemetery, Pierpont, with Paetznick-Garness in charge of arrangements. A prayer service was held Friday evening at the funeral chapel.

Lillian Langager was born January 13, 1915 to Carl E. and Louise (Winson) Langager on a farm near Pierpont in Union Township. She attended school in Pierpont and graduated from Pierpont High School in 1933. She worked in a restaurant in Pierpont, which was run by her mother.



She married Kenneth Mortenson January 11, 1936 in Sisseton. They made their home in Pierpont. She was a member of Bethel Lutheran Church, Pierpont, and held several offices in the Ladies Aid and taught Sunday School. They moved to Groton in 1959. She became a member of Emmanuel Lutheran Church, Groton. She became a resident of Beverly Healthcare Center, Groton, 11 years ago.

Lillian was known for her baking, and she did some catering. She was an avid bingo player.

She is survived by one son, Carlyle (Marion) Mortenson, Groton; two daughters, Martha (Clayton) Farmen, Groton, and Marjorie (Alan) Wik, Redfield; one half sister, Alvida Bartzell, Beverly Healthcare Center, Groton; 11 grandchildren, and 10 great grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her parents, her husband, one son, one brother, and one sister.

Casketbearers were her grandchildren, Jim Mortenson, Mike Mortenson, Clint Mortenson, Nick Mortenson, Tom Mortenson, Lilly Werner, Lola Bartels, Butch Farmen LeRoy Farmen, Shawn Wik and Tyrel Wik. Honorary casketbearers were the staff of Beverly Healthcare.

Soloist was Chris Aman and organist was Arlis Doeden. Ushers were Tom Woods, Jim Gerdes and Topper Tastad.