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Hazel Odland, 86

Hazel Odland, 86, died Tuesday, Feb. 1, 1994 at the Bethesda Home, Aberdeen.

Her funeral was Monday, Feb. 7, 1994 at the United Methodist Church, Claremont, with the Rev. James Cissell officiating. Burial was in the Groton Union Cemetery, with Paetznick-Garness Funeral Chapel in charge of arrangements. Rites were given by Eastern Star Adah Chapter of Claremont, Sunday evening.

Hazel Christensen was born September 15, 1907 in Turner County, South Dakota, to Soren and Sena (Jensen) Christensen. She grew up in Turner County and graduated from Hurley High School in 1924. She went to Minneapolis and attended a school where she took beauty school training. She worked in Minneapolis in a beauty shop until her marriage.

She married Elmer F. Odland, March 16, 1926. They lived on several different farms until they moved to Claremont, where they farmed for many years. She was a member of the United Methodist Church, United Methodist Women, and the church choir for many years. She was a member of the Adah Chapter Order of the Eastern Star of Claremont.

She is survived by two sons, Gary Odland, York, Penn., and Randall Odland, Banning, Calif.; two sisters, Mrs. Mrytle Christensen, Viborg, S.D., and Mrs. Violet Friman, Hurley, S.D.; seven grandchildren and 17 great grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her parents, her husband, one son, four brothers and three sisters.

Casketbearers were Dillon Kolbo, Dustin Kolbo, Monte Kolbo, John McCranie, Dirk Odland and Garth Odland.

Organist was Joan Thompson and pianist was Yvonne Gibbs. Soloist was the Rev. Bill Duncan, and ushers were Roger Schuller and Charles Berg.