

May 25, 2006

## Obit: Isabelle Aasved

- The funeral for Isabelle G. Aasved will be 10:30 a.m. Saturday, May 27, 2006 at the Community Church of Pierpont, with Rev. Orlo Espeland officiating. Burial will be in the Homer Cemetery of Pierpont, under the direction of the Price Funeral Chapel of Britton.
- Visitation will be one hour preceding the funeral at the church on Saturday.
- Mrs. Aasved died Tuesday, May 16, 2006 at Doylestown Hospital in Doylestown PA at the age of 82.
- Isabelle Gladys Anderson was born April 23, 1924 in Aberdeen, SD to John and Katherine (Likness) Anderson. She grew up and attended school in Pierpont, SD. She graduated from Pierpont High School in 1943. She



continued her education at Macalester College in St. Paul, MN, graduating in 1947 with a Bachelor of Arts degree in English. She taught Junior High English for five years in Minnesota.

- In 1953, she began attending seminary to study Christian Education at San Francisco Theological Seminary in San Anselmo, CA.
- On June 17, 1955 she married Carlyle Aasved in Spokane, WA. They made their home in Pierpont, where they raised their two children: Ann and John. Carlyle died January 26, 1993 and Isabelle continued to make her home in Pierpont. In August of 2004, she moved to Doylestown, PA to be near her daughter Ann, and family.
- Isabelle had a great love of music, and played the piano for church and community events. She was involved in all aspects of the life of the Community Church of Pierpont. She was a member of the Order of the Eastern Star for many years. She loved her family. Her strong faith in God sustained her through the storms she faced in life.
- Grateful for having shared her life are her daughter: Ann VanRheenen and son-in-law, Paul of Doylestown, PA; and three grandchildren: Nicole, Tim and Andrew. She was preceded in death by her parents, her husband, her son, John and a sister, Harriet.
- Music for the funeral will be provided by Barbara Anderson, organist and Terry Price, soloist. Casketbearers will be Rick Sommers, Phillip Ronshaugen, Tim Ronshaugen, Bob Anderson, Rim VanRheenen and Andrew VanRheenen.