



Ethel Marie Stagemeyer, age 92, of Beaver City, Nebraska, passed away Friday, January 13, 2017 at Beaver City Manor, of Beaver City, Nebraska. She was born on March 2, 1924 at Hendley, Nebraska to Floyd L. & Hazel V. (Boop) Hyke.

She attended her first 3 years of school at country school northwest of Hendley. In 1930 she moved with her family southeast of Beaver City and in 1933, the family moved to Arapahoe, Nebraska. She graduated from Arapahoe High School with the Class of 1943.

She married Harold Stagemeyer on March 25, 1944 at Norton, Kansas. To this union 9 children were born; Carol, Waunda, Larry, Janet, Sandra, Randy, Jerry, Susie, and Peggy. They made their home at Holbrook, Nebraska on the farm and then in 1954 moved to Hendley. In 1967, they moved to Wilsonville, Nebraska and would then move in Beaver City in 1972. She worked at the Beaver City Manor with the Kitchen Department and then would work with residents as a Med Nurse until July of 1999 when she would retire. She was a member of Trinity Lutheran Church of Arapahoe, Nebraska. She was a very loving mother and enjoyed baking for her family and grandchildren, and was always ready to lend a helping hand. She enjoyed working with her garden and flowers.

She is preceded in death by her parents, husband Harold, sons Larry Harold & Jerry Lee, daughters Janet Faye Stagemeyer & Sueann Forbes, granddaughter Katrina Trenchard and infant grandson Robert Lee Jr., brothers Floren & Robert Hyke, sister Maxine Shaw, Sisters-in-law Joy and Shirley Hyke, brother-in-law Ed Shaw, Brothers & Sisters-in-law Walt & Alice Niemeier, George & Velma Foster, Gladys & Dick Beachum, Doris Mae Lee, and Lucille Story.

Survivors include daughters: Carol & husband Robert Lee of Norton, Kansas

Waunda & husband B.J. Morris of Stamford, Nebraska

Sandi & husband Gary Martin of Beaver City, Nebraska

Peggy Jo & husband Jason Nagy of Oxford, Nebraska

Son: Randy & wife Mo Stagemeyer of Hendley, Nebraska

11 Grandchildren, 13 Great Grandchildren. 4 Great-Great Grandchildren

Numerous nieces and nephews, relatives and friends.

Condolences or personal reflections can be left at wenburguneralhome.com

Viewing and visitation will be Tuesday, January 17, 2017 from 10 AM till 8 PM at Wenburg Funeral Home in Beaver City, Nebraska with family present from 4 PM till 6 PM. Funeral services will be Wednesday, January 18, 2017 at 10:30 AM at Trinity Lutheran Church in Arapahoe, Nebraska with Rev. Brett Hinrichs, officiating. Interment will follow at the St. Matthews Cemetery at Arapahoe, Nebraska. Wenburg Funeral Home, of Beaver City, Nebraska is in charge of the arrangements.