

In Memory Of

EMMA GERTRUDE NORGAARD

Born January 17, 1907

Douglas Township, Audubon County, Iowa

Died April 19, 1982

Harlan, Iowa

Services from the
First Baptist Church
Harlan, Iowa

Thursday, April 22, 1982

1:30 p.m.

Clergymen

Pastor Ron Bystrom

Pastor C. Donald Thrash

Organist

Alice Marie Stock

Vocalist

Elaine Johnson

Casket Bearers

Donald Gibson

Richard Norgaard

Herbert Nelson

Donald M. Norgaard

Leo H. Kragelund

Roland A. Petersen

Interment

Harlan Cemetery

Harlan, Iowa

An invitation is extended to the relatives
and friends to meet with the family in the
Fellowship Hall of the First Baptist Church
at the close of the services.

GERTRUDE (MRS. CARL) NORGAARD

Emma Gertrude Norgaard, daughter of Lars P. and Mary Ann (Larson) Larsen, was born January 17, 1907, in Douglas Township, Audubon County, Iowa. She attended the country school through the eighth grade and graduated from the Audubon High School in 1925. She then taught school at Mount Zion for two years.

On July 28, 1927, Gertrude was united in marriage to Carl Norgaard at Waukegan, Illinois. One son, Howard, was born to this union. After their marriage, Mr. and Mrs. Norgaard farmed for several years in Audubon County before moving to Chicago, Illinois, in 1937. This was their home until 1945, when they moved to Harlan, Iowa. There Gertrude taught in the rural area schools as well as at the New Park Grade School. After retiring in 1972, the Norgaard's continued to make their home in Harlan.

Mrs. Norgaard has been a member of the First Baptist Church in Elk Horn, Iowa for the past 15 years. She has taught Sunday School and has sung in the choir for the churches she attended as she moved with her family.

She died at Myrtue Memorial Hospital in Harlan on April 19, 1982, having attained the age of 75 years, 3 months and 2 days.

In addition to her parents, Gertrude was preceded in death by two brothers, Alfred and Arthur Larsen, and one sister, Esther Nielsen. She is survived by her husband, Carl of Harlan; her son, Howard, and his wife, Elizabeth of Madelia, Minnesota; three grandchildren, Naomi, Bruce and Phillip; two sisters, Stella (Mrs. R.A.) McBlain of Des Moines, Iowa and Myrtle (Mrs. Edward) Jensen of Harlan.