

## Lavon Jacobsen Clark, 64

*April 15, 1943 - Sept. 17, 2007*

**KIMBALLTON** - Lavon Rae Frederiksen was born April 15, 1943, to Elmer and Helen (Mercer) Frederiksen in Kimballton. She was baptized and confirmed at Immanuel Lutheran Church in Kimballton. She attended grade school in Kimballton and high school in Elk Horn.

June 13, 1964, Lavon married Ronald Jacobsen. Four children were born to this union: Terry, Leslie, Matt, and Ron, Jr. They lived in Harlan, until Ron's death in 1968. She then returned to the Kimballton area to raise her family. She made wooden crafts and also had a collection of porcelain dolls and was active in the Kimballton Dinner Theater.



Lavon married Donald Clark May 26, 1990, at the First Christian Church in Harlan. She worked at the Kimballton Café, Dania Sko, and the Salem Lutheran Home in Elk Horn. She became a resident of the Salem Lutheran Home in July of 2007 and it was there that she died Sept. 17, 2007, at age 64 years, five months, and two days.

Lavon was preceded in death by her parents; her sister, Nancy; her first husband, Ron Jacobsen; her husband, Don Clark; stepmother, Annabelle Frederiksen; and stepbrother, Wayne Hald. She is survived by her children, Terry Jacobsen (Karlene) of Harlan, and their children, Nate, Molly and Shelby; Leslie (Richard) Vonnahme of Carroll, and their children, Jenny, Andrew and Kari; Matt Jacobsen (Mindy) of Atlantic, and their children, Ashley, Holleigh, Destiny and Allyiah; and Ron Jacobsen (LaVonne) of Harlan, and their children, Brandon, Kara, Markis and Gavin; and Becky Pike; sister, Sarah Kunik of Kimballton; stepsisters, Margaret (Barry) Beck of Sioux City, and Eileen (Harold) Honeck of Grimes; nieces, nephews, and other relatives.

A funeral service was held Sept. 20, 2007, with Pastor Tony Ede officiating at Pauley Jones Funeral Home. Honorary casket bearers were Markis Schones, Andrew Vonnahme, Nate Jacobsen, and Brandon Jacobsen. Casket bearers were Cameron Kunik, Shawn Underwood, Jack Underwood, Jim Moreland, Don Palijo, and Jeff Moreland. Burial was in the Harlan Cemetery.