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Lola Knudtson, 81

Feb. 26, 1921- March 22, 2002

WALNUT – Lola Marie Knudtson was born near Neola, Feb. 26, 1921, daughter of Chris and Dora Schnoor Dorscher. She was one of four children of this family. The family moved to North Dakota in 1936.

Lola married Woodrow Knudtson Aug. 19, 1939, in Minot, ND. They were the parents of four sons, Vernon, Walter, Glen and Dale. Dec. 13, 1950, Woodrow was killed in a car accident. Lola and her children moved to Walnut in 1951. She had lived in Atlantic, and Grove, OK for a time. In 1977, she moved to Peace Haven. She died at Clarkson Hospital in Omaha, NE, March 22, 2002, at age 81 years and 24 days.

She was preceded in death by her parents; her husband, Woodrow; her sons, Vernon, Dale and Glen Knudtson; and her brothers, Jack and Kenneth Dorscher. She is survived by her son, Walter Knudtson (Beverly) of Walnut; eight grandchildren; several great grandchildren; her sister, Mabel Jacobsen of Avoca; her sister-in-law, Frances Dorscher of Jamestown, ND; nieces, nephews and other relatives.

Funeral services were held March 26, 2002, at the Knutson Funeral Chapel with Pastor Allen Hellwege officiating. Burial was in the Walnut Cemetery. Casket bearers were Bill Knudtson, Chris Knudtson, Duane Knudtson, Shanon Knudtson, Rick Skuya and Doug Engle.