

Pola Peters, 84

April 29, 1931 - July 28, 2015

COUNCIL BLUFFS — Pola Ann Peters, the daughter of the late Allen and Annie (Ohms) Ericksen was born on April 29, 1931 on a farm in rural Jacksonville. She graduated from Harlan High School in 1949. After high school Pola worked as a clerk at the County Treasurer's office in Harlan for 2 years.

Pola met Richard Peters of rural Tennant at a Shelby County Rural Youth Party. On May 12, 1951 they were married in Jacksonville. Richard and Pola lived on the Peters Family farm after they were married. In 1970 they moved to a newly built home on a farm northeast of Shelby that they purchased. They were members of the United Lutheran Church in Shelby where Pola was active in LCW, church circle and the quilting group. Richard passed away on August 31, 2005 and Pola remained on the farm for several years before moving to Harmony Court Independent Living in Council Bluffs in May of 2010. Pola joined Saint John Lutheran Church after moving to Council Bluffs and was involved in Mary Circle and assisting with the quilting group. Pola passed away July 28, 2015 at Bethany Lutheran Home in Council Bluffs at age 84.

In addition to her parents and husband, Pola was preceded in death by her sister, Mae Petersen and brother, Jim Erickson. Pola is survived by her daughters, Carol Brigandi and Judy Peters both of Omaha, Becky (Richard) Udron of Little Rock, AR, Rita (Kevin) Epperson of Council Bluffs; son, Steven (Joyce) Peters of Humboldt; 10 grandchildren, Kyla (Chris) Frehse of Ames, Dylan Peters, Sarah Peters and Kelsey Peters of Humboldt, Katie Udron and Sara Udron of Little Rock, AR, Heath (Kristin) Epperson of Omaha, Brett Epperson of Lincoln, NE, Ryan Epperson and Amy Epperson of Council Bluffs; 2 great grandchildren, Allison and Luke Epperson of Omaha; brothers, Nick (Pat) Ericksen of Cincinnati, OH, Eldon Ericksen of Lewis; sister-in-law, Shirley Erickson of Council Bluffs; brothers-in-law, Harold Peters and Eugene (Naomi) Peters both of Tennant, Merlyn (Jeanette) Knudsen of Elk Horn; many nieces, nephews, cousins, neighbors and friends.

Visitation with the family will be Friday, July 31, 2015 from 5-7 p.m. with a prayer service at 7:00 p.m. at Cutler-O'Neill-Meyer-Woodring Bayliss Park Chapel. Funeral service will be Saturday, August 1, 2015, at 11:00 a.m. at Saint John Lutheran Church, 633 Willow Ave. in Council Bluffs. A lunch will immediately follow the service in the Life and Faith Center at Saint John Lutheran Church. Interment in the Shelby Cemetery. Memorials are suggested to Saint John Lutheran Church or the United Lutheran Church in Shelby.



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