

## Lorene Andersen July 3, 1924 - December 10, 2020

The Lord's work for Lorene Wilma Andersen ended December 10, 2020 and she has joined her beloved husband, Alvin.

Lorene was born July 3, 1924 to Wilhelm and Elsie Logemann. Lorene, her parents and two older brothers lived on a farm on the SW corner of Ida and 156th Streets south of Bennington. She was baptized and confirmed at Zion Lutheran Church. She graduated from Bennington High School and then attended one year of college in Wichita KS. She taught school for two years at a rural school near Wichita. Alvin and Lorene were married Sept. 12, 1945 and made their home on the Andersen farm NW of Washington NE. There they raised four sons.

After her marriage she became a lifelong active member of St. John's Lutheran Church in Bennington NE, teaching Sunday School, helping with lunch for innumerable funerals, enjoying the church's Couple's Club and working with the quilters. She was talented quilter, making many beautiful and treasured quilts as wedding and birthday gifts for her grandchildren. She was an active member of the Washington County Extension Club and WOW (Women of Washington). Alvin and Lorene took advantage of retirement to travel across this country (including a car trip to Alaska) and internationally.

Lorene (like her mother) was always busy and on the move. She made sure everyone was taken care of before she thought of herself. Lorene's Father once told Alvin that Lorene, like his wife Elsie, "made him tired just watching her."

Lorene was lovingly attentive to all of her family. She was the sole survivor of her generation in the Logemann and Andersen families. Preceding her in death were her husband Alvin, her brothers and their wives Russell and Margaret and Lester and Dorothy and her dear sister's-in-law, Clarice Andersen and Verda Heger Swanson. She is survived by her sons and daughters-in-law: Glen and Carleen, Wayne and Wendy, Marvin and Pam and Wesley and Pam. (She said that she finally got her daughters when her sons married). She is also survived by her grandchildren and their spouses, Darin and Dawn, Emily Andersen and Geoffrey DeOld, Brian and Nichole, Kevin and Jessica, Maggie and Geoff Peterson, Virginia and Eric Nost and Kathy and Nathan Benes; and by her great grandchildren; Tyler, Makayla, Hope, Ella, Tate, Evelyn and Elsie.

A funeral service for close family will be held Thursday, December 17th at 10:00 am at St.

John's Lutheran Church in Bennington. Out of COVID concerns social distancing and masking will be expected. The service will be live-streamed and then following the service at noon there will be a Zoom session which all are encouraged to attend. Please go to campbellaman.com for links to the Zoom session and the live-stream.

It is suggested that any memorials be given to either the Memorial Fund or the Quilters at St. John's Lutheran Church.

Following are links for the service and Zoom meeting following the service. If you have any difficult with watching the service or zoom please contact St. John's church office at: (402)238-2483

YouTube:

https://www.youtube.com/user/StJohnsBennington

Zoom visit session:

St John's Lutheran Church is inviting you to a scheduled Zoom meeting.

Topic: Lorene Andersen Funeral

Time: Dec 17, 2020 12:00 PM Central Time (US and Canada)

Join Zoom Meeting

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## **Events**

Hwy 31 and County Road 38 Kennard, NE, 68034 **DEC** Service

10:00AM

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St. John's Lutheran Church

322 N Molley Street, Bennington, NE, US, 68007

## **Comments**



A webcast video has been added.



Campbell - Aman Funeral Home - December 15, 2020 at 01:08 PM



We celebrate Lorene! What a special twinkle in her eye, and what a warm and endearing smile. The footprints she has left at St. John's Lutheran Church are too numerous to count - she was faithful in attending worship and served in most of the ministries of this church. The imprints she left on our hearts will last forever and into generations to come. What a legacy of faith, love, joy and Christian service we knew through her. Thanks be to God for Alvin and Lorene and the entire Andersen family.

- Ken and Miriam Sukraw

Miriam Sukraw - December 17, 2020 at 11:45 AM



**66** Thank you, Miriam, for the kind words. Your father, you and your family were a huge part of her spiritual journey. Marvin

Marvin Andersen - December 17, 2020 at 10:03 PM



Loved growing up with the Andersen family - Lorene was like a second Mom. She was one of the happiest people I knew and was always there to lend a helping hand with 4-H, Washington school activities or at St. John's. All my sympathy. ~ Nila Holstein Nielsen

Nila Nielsen - December 16, 2020 at 01:42 PM



Good to hear from you Nila. Did you know that during elementary school I always had you on a pedestal?

Marvin Andersen - December 17, 2020 at 10:06 PM



**66** Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Lorene Andersen.



December 16, 2020 at 09:32 AM



1 file added to the album Lorene Andersen



Wayne Andersen - December 14, 2020 at 09:27 AM



66 A very special lady. Always admired her. When I was a little girl, I told her, "I want to be just like you". She will have left many wonderful memories for all that knew her. Condolences to the family.

Alyce Wrich Watts - December 15, 2020 at 11:33 PM



What a flood of flashbacks!

Gosh, your mom absolutely made the BEST brownies.

Here's to a life well lived. She and Alvin positively influenced many, many more people than just you kids. Here is a happy face to celebrate all of those great, growing up memories.

Curt Holstein - December 13, 2020 at 11:19 PM



66 Thanks Curt -- always best buds!

Wayne Andersen - December 15, 2020 at 12:20 PM





66 I loved this lady. She was always so sweet.. I know she will be missed greatly.





66 Serene Retreat was purchased for the family of Lorene Andersen.



December 11, 2020 at 04:09 PM