



Agnes L. Freese

August 27, 1931 - October 21, 2019

Agnes Lorraine Freese passed away peacefully on Monday, October 21, 2019, at the Western Home Communities Elizabeth E. Martin Health Center in Cedar Falls. After 32 years following the death of “the Love of her life”, she will be reunited with LeRoy.

Agnes was born at Satori Hospital in Cedar Falls on August 27th, 1931, the daughter of Chris and Hilda Christensen. LeRoy and Agnes were “third” grandparents to many of their friends and neighbors’ children. Agnes was a wonderful person, good to everyone and will be sincerely missed by all who knew her.

On November 12, 1956, she was united in marriage to LeRoy Freese at the Fredsville Lutheran Church. LeRoy passed away 32 years ago. They resided in Cedar Falls, Iowa for the duration of their married life. Agnes worked at Viking Pump for 14-1/2 years, followed by 14 years of driving cars for Avis Car Rental.

Agnes was preceded in death by her husband, LeRoy Freese, and her parents, Chris and Hilda Christensen, as well as her favorite little furry friend, “Sadie”, for whom she provided daycare for a few years and loved it. They had a mutual admiration for each other. At her request, Sadie’s ashes are now forever with her.

She is survived by several nieces and nephews, as well as many friends, who dearly loved her, and many four legged friends who thought she was the “greatest”. Agnes loved Oreo, one of her furry friends, who came to visit her at

the nursing home on a very regular basis.

Services will be held 10:30 a.m. Thursday, Oct. 24th at Fredsville Lutheran Church, rural Cedar Falls, with burial in the church cemetery. Visitation for one hour prior to the service at the church.

Memorials may be directed to Fredsville Lutheran Church or the Cedar Bend Humane Society.

Cemetery Details

Fredsville Lutheran Church Cemetery

Cedar Falls, IA 50613

Previous Events

Visitation

OCT **24**. 9:30 AM - 10:30 AM (CT)

Fredsville Lutheran Church
32756 150th Street
Cedar Falls, IA 50613

Funeral Service

OCT **24**. 10:30 AM (CT)

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Tribute Wall

MF

“ I am thankful that I got to reconnect with my Aunt Agnes a few years ago and that she remembered me. Both her and Leroy will always be missed.

Mark Freese

Mark Freese - October 30, 2019 at 08:45 PM

BG

“ I worked with Agnes many years ago at Viking Pump. I was a new employee and not really trained to be a typist but Agnes went out of her way to encourage me that I was going to do all right and I did.
Betty Goodrich

Betty Goodrich - October 26, 2019 at 10:13 AM

SG

“ I got to know Agnes through the Fredsville Lutheran Church as we would sometimes sit together. Agnes lived a couple blocks from Holmes Jr. High where I taught. I would often see her sitting in her garage. If I was on my bicycle and I had the time, I would stop to get a visit in with her. Agnes loved petting the neighborhood dogs!

Sue Green - October 23, 2019 at 04:33 PM

SL

Agnes & LeRoy introduced my mom & dad to each other. Remember hanging out and cruising Fords on Cedar Falls Main street. I would stop and visit Agnes if she was sitting outside. She would always have dog treats in the garage for the neighbors dogs. Will miss you Agnes.
Love Suzanne Lechtenberg

Suzanne Lechtenberg - October 23, 2019 at 05:15 PM

CG

Agnes also drove for us at National Car Rental. I remember we first bonded over stuffed dogs, Henry and Henrietta. They gave them out many years ago at Waterloo Savings Bank. I don't remember how we got talking about them, but she was thrilled I still had mine that I got as a gift when I was two. She told me she still had her pair as well. She was a very kind lady and I loved hearing her stories. My thoughts and prayers go out to her family!

Carla Graves - October 24, 2019 at 09:33 AM

MC

My mother, Mildred Gutknecht was Agnes's neighbor for the last several years that Agnes lived in her home. They were good friends who watched out for each other and made sure their curtains were pulled each morning so they knew they were alright. They visited most days and shared trips to eat together. Agnes was a kind person who will be missed. Mom missed Agnes when they both entered nursing homes. Prayers are with your family.

G

Marilyn mae Christie - October 25, 2019 at 12:43 PM

