



Ellen Bjorklund

May 12, 1907 - December 11, 2006

Ellen was born May 12, 1907, in Harcourt, Iowa, the daughter of Victor and Hulda (Johnson) Larson. She married Rudolph C. Bjorklund on September 23, 1925, in Harcourt, Iowa. He died in 1988. Ellen was employed by the University of Northern Iowa for 36 years, retiring in 1972.

She is survived by two daughters, Loretta (Bruce) Youngberg of Cedar Falls, and Lorraine (Donald) Doty of Tulsa, OK; a son, Lorimer (Marilyn) Bjorklund of St. Cloud, MN; ten grandchildren, Michael, Steven, Rodney, and Debra Doty, Kurt Bjorklund, Brenda Bjorklund-Dhein, Terri Gugenberger, Kelli Schramel, Kathi Krey, and Angela Konieczny; and 27 great-grandchildren.

Ellen died Monday, December 11, 2006, at Cedar Falls Lutheran Home. She was preceded in death by her parents; husband; one son in infancy, Vernon; three brothers, Chester, Richard, and Martin Larson; seven sisters, Minnie Samuelson, Daisy Lindstrom, Gertrude Peterson, Ethel Murphy, Delia Peterson, and Rena Giddings.

Tribute Wall



“ I'd like to add my condolences as you have said good-by to your dear mother. I remember her first of all from the days that we lived on the Hearst farm, and I believe your dad did some part-time work there. Then in later years, when I would see her, she was always interested to hear about my family, the Bunnells. And now recently I have said good-by to my mother also. We will have many good memories, won't we?

Sincerely, Alice Janssen

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