



## Helen Goetsch

Helen was born August 8, 1912, in Charles City, Iowa, the daughter of Archie and Bertha P. (Hobert) Lines. She married Harold G. Dann in Charles City in 1929. He died in November of 1958. She then married Henry Goetsch November 27, 1964 in LaPorte City. He died October 24, 1988. She joined First Congregational Church in Nashua on the 13th of April 1941 and publicly confessed Jesus Christ as Lord and Savior. She lived many years in Nashua before moving to Grinnell from 1954-58. Following Harold's death, she moved to Charles City and worked at a hardware store for 5 years. She then moved to Cedar Falls and worked for 13 ? years as clerk/bookkeeper for Pete and Vans Western Auto Store from 1964 until her retirement in 1978. She was a 50 year member of the Rebekah Lodge in Nashua. She started bowling in Charles City in 1963 and bowled in mixed and senior leagues at Valley Park Lanes in Cedar Falls for 40 years.

Helen is survived by three daughters, Dorothy VanBlair of Hampton, IA, Arlene Mueller of Sarasota, FL and Marlys VanEvery-Larsen of Cedar Falls; ten grandchildren; nineteen great grandchildren; seven great-great grandchildren; brothers, Guy Lines of Charles City and Kenneth Lines of Ionia and sister, Beldyne Ferch of Waterloo.

Helen died Friday, April 16, 2004, at Sartori Memorial Hospital in Cedar Falls. She was preceded in death by her parents, both husbands and brothers, Volna and Clifford Lines and Russell Bean.