



Katharine Hobbs

December 1, 1919 - November 29, 2009

Katharine Jean Hobbs (1919-2009)

CEDAR FALLS- Katharine Jean Hobbs, 89, of Cedar Falls, formerly of Iowa Falls, died Sunday, November 29, 2009 at Sartori Memorial Hospital, Cedar Falls.

She was born December 1, 1919 in Iowa Falls, the daughter of Norris L. and Emma (Huston) McMillen. She married Wesley Raymond Hobbs on August 18, 1940 in Waterloo, IA. He died July 12, 2002.

Mrs. Hobbs graduated from Iowa Falls High School in 1936 and attended Gates Business College in Waterloo. She was employed with Davidson Department Store in the 1940s and Mary Lester Fabrics in the 1960s.

Survivors include two sons, Lyle R. (Marilyn) Hobbs of Ft. Collins, CO and Michael J. (Susan) Hobbs of Brooklyn Park, MN; a daughter, Susan J. (David) Loy of Cedar Falls, IA; seven grandchildren; and five great-grandchildren.

Preceded in death by a son, Lyman, in infancy; three brothers, Howard and Langdon McMillen, and Kenneth McMillen, in infancy.

Services will be held 10:00 a.m. Thursday at the Western Home Communities

Chapel in Cedar Falls, with burial in Union Cemetery, Iowa Falls. Friends may call from 5 to 7 p.m. Wednesday at Richardson Funeral Home, and for one hour prior to services Thursday at the chapel. Family will receive friends at the First United Methodist Church in Iowa Falls, following interment in Union Cemetery.

Memorials may be directed to Western Home Communities, 420 E. 11th Street, Cedar Falls, Iowa 50613.