

Obituary
Margaret M. Glaser

Margaret Mildred Glaser was born near Beaver Crossing, Nebraska on January 1, 1912 to Sherman and Lessie (Barrett) Marcum, youngest child of nine children and died at the Friend Manor in Friend, Neb. on Wednesday, November 28, 2007 at the age of 95 years 10 months and 27 days. As a young girl she attended elementary schools in Colorado and Nebraska and the 9th grade in High School in Carthage, Missouri, then moved to Friend, Nebraska with her family where she attended Friend High School and graduated with the class of 1929. She furthered her education by attending college for two years, earning a teaching certificate. Margaret taught rural schools for three years and then attended summer sessions at the University of Nebraska Lincoln. She was later employed by the Lincoln Telephone and Telegraph Company in Friend. Margaret was united in marriage to Albert Glaser on June 12, 1942 in Salinas, Calif., and to this union a son, Barry, and a daughter, Gloria were born. They celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary, June 7, 1992.

Together, Al and Margaret made their home at Salinas AFB in California until Albert was sent overseas. Margaret then returned to Nebraska and lived briefly in Crete before making their home in Friend. On March 29, 1950, Margaret was baptized and made a commitment to the Lord at the Friend Bible Church. She enjoyed working in the garden and raising flowers. She loved nature in all forms and "it brought her closely in touch with God", she would say. Her grandchildren gave her many joys and she cherished their visits together. Margaret is a life-member the DAV Auxiliary, Robert Flansburg Chapter 7 in Lincoln, and a former member of the Missionary Fellowship of the Berean Church in Friend.

Margaret is survived by her son and daughter-in-law, Barry and Arlene Glaser, Gretna, daughter and son-in-law, Gloria and David Tschudi, Marion, Iowa, seven grandchildren and spouses, Nina and David Mohr, Gretna, Brian Glaser, Blair, Michael and Tammi Tschudi, Marion, Iowa, Mark and Laura Tschudi, Cudahy, Wis., Mary and Jeff Vanderlinben, Marion, Iowa, Marty Tschudi, Germany, Michelle Tschudi, Marion, Iowa, 10 great-grandchildren, numerous nieces, nephews and a host of other relatives and friends.

She was preceded in death by her parents, her husband Albert in 2003, brothers, Lloyd, Glen, Dick and Sherman "Babe" Marcum, sisters, Ruth Marcum, Bessie Clark, Gladys Gilliam, and Grace Hulse.

A Funeral Service was held at 10:00 a.m. on Monday, December 3, 2007 at Lauber-Moore Funeral Home, Friend with Chaplain Jerry Scheffler officiating. Interment was in the Utica Cemetery. Visitation was on Sunday from 3:00 p.m.-9:00 p.m. at Lauber-Moore Funeral Home and until service time on Monday. Memorials have been established to Aseracare Hospice. Shirley Milton, organist, accompanied Randy Kaliff, soloist, as he sang "In The Garden", "It Took A Miracle" and "Great Is Thy Faithfulness". Pallbearers were Brian Glaser, David Tschudi, and Raymond Hulse. Arrangements are entrusted to the care of Lauber-Moore Funeral Home, Friend. Condolences may be sent to the family at laubermoore.com.