



Shirley A. Taylor

June 30, 1931 - September 26, 2012

Shirley Ann Taylor was born to Arthur LeRoy Rhodes and Harriet E. (Hart) Rhodes on June 30, 1931, at the family home in the West Blue Township in York County, Nebraska and passed away September 26, 2012, at Bryan LGH East Hospital in Lincoln, at the age of 81. She was one of four children in the family.

Shirley grew up on the family farm and attended school at Districts 101 and 98. She graduated from Beaver Crossing High School in 1948. On January 10, 1954, she married Daryl D. Taylor and they moved to a farm north of Exeter, and to them four children were born. In 1989, Daryl and Shirley retired from farming and moved to Cordova.

Shirley was a homemaker and was also active in the family farming operation. She enjoyed gardening, fishing, golfing, painting and spending time with her grandchildren and great-grandchildren.

Shirley was a member of the Methodist Church in Beaver Crossing, until she married Daryl, and then transferred her membership to the United Methodist Church in Exeter. She was a member of the Exeter United Methodist Women, Up-N-Atom Extension Club, West Blue Social Club and the American Legion Auxiliary Unit 359.

Shirley was preceded in death by her parents, Arthur and Harriet Rhodes of Waco; her daughter, Lynn Marie Taylor of Exeter; her sister, Mary Naber and her husband, Raymond, of Utica; and her brothers-in-law, Paul Geis of Beaver Crossing; Rex Baller of Oakland, Iowa; and Jerome Becker of Exeter.

She is survived by her husband, Daryl Taylor of Cordova; her daughters, Sherry Taylor and Cindy (Mike) Korsakas of Lincoln, and Kathy Wiemer and friend John Kessler of Gresham; her brother, Stanley (Pearle) Rhodes of Exeter and her sister, Betty Geis of Beaver Crossing and her sisters-in-law Darleene Becker of Exeter, and Donna Baller of Oakland, Iowa and by her six grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

Memorial service for Shirley will be Monday, October 1, 2012, at 11:00 a.m. at the United Methodist Church in Exeter, Nebraska. Private family inurnment will be in the Exeter Cemetery. No Visitation. Memorials are directed to the Exeter United Methodist Church or the Cordova American Legion Auxiliary in lieu of flowers.

Tribute Wall

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“ Your family is in our prayers. Hoping you can find comfort in knowing that Shirley has gone HOME and will wait for you there. God Bless.

Nancy Wood - October 04, 2012 at 02:55 PM

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“ My sincere sympathy to you at this time of loss...may God's grace hold you strong as you close this chapter in your life. Memories will become more precious everyday.

Erma Pieper Naber - October 04, 2012 at 12:29 PM

KJ

“ Shirley A. Taylor

Kent Jorgensen - October 03, 2012 at 12:31 PM

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“ Darryl and family, I was so sad to hear of your loss. I am so glad I got to see her when I was in NE in May. We had such a good visit at our lunch in Cordova. Great memories and lots of laughs! May all of you keep those good memories in the days and years ahead. Know that she was loved by many. My thoughts are with you, Eyvonne

Eyvonne Clayton - October 01, 2012 at 06:42 PM

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“ Daryl: I no longer drive outside of York, and will not attend the memorial service; but my thoughts will be with you and your family. Connie

Connie Menefee - September 30, 2012 at 11:17 AM

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“ Taylor family, Please accept our most heartfelt sympathies for your loss...our thoughts are with you and your family during this difficult time. May Shirley's memory live on through all of you. Sincerely, Janet & Ron Styskal- Friend, NE Jeremy & Tammy Styskal- York, Ne Jen & Jon Faust, Payton, Preston, Piper, & Presley Faust- St. Louis, MO

Jennifer Styskal Faust - September 28, 2012 at 06:50 PM