



Mildred Brooks

April 6, 1918 - May 23, 2009

Mildred was born on April 6, 1918 in Aurora, Iowa to the late Ralph and Ella (Thaden) Richardson. In 1919 the family moved to a farm south of Isle, Minnesota where they lived until 1926. At the death of their mother Ella, they moved back to Iowa. The family returned to Minnesota in 1930 and Mildred graduated from Isle High School in 1935. She was united in marriage to George W. Brooks on September 22, 1938 in Wahkon, Minnesota. The couple farmed east of Onamia, Minnesota residing in the area the remainder of their lives. Mildred was the head cook at Cove and Onamia high school for many years. George, her loving husband of thirty five years, died on December 31, 1974. Mildred was a member of the Cove Church till its closing in 1999 at which time she then joined the Onamia Alliance Church. Mildred served as secretary for the Alliance Women's Group, she was a Rebecca Lodge member, and a volunteer at the Onamia Senior Center. Gardening, sewing, crocheting, and knitting was how she liked to spend her time. When she was not busy cooking and baking, Mildred liked to play cards and board games, 500 was one of her favorites. Mildred will be greatly missed by her friends and family.

Mildred Brooks is survived by her sons, George R. Brooks and wife, Phyllis of Royalton, MN, Bruce A. Brooks of St. Cloud, MN; daughters, Judy K. Edwards and husband, Alvin of Rogers, MN, Dianne T. Nutt and husband, Roger of Onamia, MN, Maureen S. Brooks of St. Cloud, MN, and Gayle M. Brooks of

Minneapolis, MN; 11 grandchildren; and 17 great-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her husband, George W. Brooks; parents, Ralph and Ella Richardson; daughter, Karen Knutson; brothers, Marv, Frank, and Chester Richardson; sister, Verna Richards; nieces & nephews, Vada Berhow, David, Daniel, & Donald Richardson.

Previous Events

Service

MAY 30. 10:30 AM (CT)

Christian Missionary Alliance Church
304 Oak St S
Onamia, MN 56359

Tribute Wall



“ *Mildred Brooks*

January 21, 2023 at 11:59 AM