



## Anna Hansen

May 2, 1904 - August 22, 2004

Anna M. Hansen, 100, formerly of Steele, died August 22, 2004, at a Bismarck care center. Services will be held at 2:00 PM Thursday at Trinity Lutheran Church, Steele, with the Rev. Paul Tjostem officiating. Burial will be in Woodlawn Cemetery. Visitation will be from Noon to 9:00 PM Tuesday at Eastgate Funeral Service, Bismarck, 11:00 AM to 9:00 PM Wednesday at the Eastgate Steele Memorial Chapel, Steele, and one hour prior to the service at the church. Anna Mathilda Hansen was born May 2, 1904 at Parker, South Dakota, to Christian and Carolina Henrietta Wilde Schoon. At the age of three, Anna moved with her family to Driscoll, North Dakota where she was raised and educated. On December 22, 1922, Anna married Adolph Miles Hansen at Driscoll. Hard work was important to Anna, and she once stated that she wouldn't give up any of her earlier difficult years. She and Adolph farmed until moving to Steele, North Dakota October 15, 1962. Adolph died in September of 1982. Anna was a member of Trinity Lutheran Church and Golden Age Club in Steele. She enjoyed baking and cooking, crocheting and playing cards. She was a pleasant person, and a good friend to many. Her kitchen was always open to welcome guests, and she enjoyed visiting over a cup of hot coffee. This very gracious, warm and loving lady was dearly loved and will be deeply missed by her family and many good friends. She is survived by one son and daughter-in-law, Miles "Butch" and Sharon Hansen of Bismarck; two daughters and sons-in-law, Mildred Hansen of Dilworth, Minnesota, MaryAnn and Len Nelson of Chugiak, Alaska, and Harold Robinson of

Tappen, North Dakota; thirteen grandchildren; twenty-three great-grandchildren; seven great-great-grandchildren; two sisters-in-law, Irene Schoon and Frieda Schoon. Anna was preceded in death by her parents, her husband, Adolph, two daughters, Christine Walker and Darlene Robinson, one great grandson, Gregory Johnson, three brothers and two sisters.