



## Cora Faith

August 26, 1923 - January 9, 2005

Cora Rose Faith, 81, Steele, died January 9, 2005, at the Golden Manor in Steele. Cremation has taken place and a memorial service will be held in the spring. Cora was born on August 26, 1923, in Crowne Hill Township near Steele, the daughter of Emil and Menetta Vanous. She married Clifford Mardikian in November of 1941 and they had four sons, Lloyd Jackie, Wisconsin, Roger, Minnesota, Richard, Montana, and Terry, Colorado, all of whom survive her. Clifford died in 1955. In 1964, Cora married Anton Faith and they had two daughters, Tammy Krous, Washington, and Connie Mittleider, Mandan, both of whom survive her. Cora worked for seventeen years in the Del Monte cannery in Washington. She moved back to Steele and managed the Legion Club for five years. She then retired due to health problems. She was vice-president of the VFW Auxiliary and Treasurer of the American Legion Auxiliary and the VFW Auxiliary. Cora is also survived by fourteen grandchildren; eight great-grandchildren; four brothers, Elwyn Vanous, Tuttle, Harvey Vanous, Michigan, Leonard Vanous, Minnesota, and Emil Jr., Washington; two sisters, Dorothy Maurer, Steele, and Fern Hadsall, Bismarck; and many nieces and nephews. She was preceded in death by her parents and two husbands.