

## OBITUARY

# Orpha L. Bartine, 86

Orpha L. Bartine, 86, Clemons, died at her home on Thursday, Aug. 21, 2003 while under the care of the Iowa River Hospice.

Funeral Services were held Monday, Aug. 25 at the Clemons United Church of Christ with Reverend David Lewis officiating. Interment followed services at the Riverside Cemetery in Marshalltown. Biersborn Funeral Home in Union was in charge of arrangements.

A memorial fund has been established in her name with memorials being directed to her family.

Mrs. Bartine was born Nov. 9, 1916 in Eldora the daughter of Edward F. and Dello O. (Lanko) Froning. She was raised and educated in the Liscomb area where

she graduated from the Liscomb High School in 1934. On March 10, 1937 in Eldora she was united in marriage to E.W. "Bill" Bartine. They made their home in the Liscomb area for several years before moving to rural Clemons in 1951. Orpha attended the Clemons United Church of Christ and was a homemaker for many years.

She is survived by her sons Edwin W. Bartine II of Clemons; Allen R. (Peggy) Bartine of Lake Forest, IL; her sister Ardis K. Johnson of Union and two grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her parents, Edward and Dello, her husband E.W. "Bill" Bartine, and her brothers Merle and Deane Froning.