

Aug. 17, 1915, to June 7, 2002

Margaret Elizabeth Bappe, 86, of Nevada, died of heart failure on Friday, June 7, at Story County Medical Center in Nevada.

She was born Aug. 17, 1915, in Nevada, to Hans and Inger (Olson) Davidsen. She was a 1936 graduate of Nevada High School and married Virgil E. Bappe on Aug. 22, 1936, in Boone. She had been a direct marketing supervisor at Donnelley Marketing, where she had been employed for close to 50 years. She was a member of Memorial Lutheran Church, Ruth Circle, Story County Hospital Auxiliary, Donnelley Retirees, VFW Auxiliary and Senior Center. She enjoyed crocheting, baking, playing cards, reading, crossword puzzles, family activities and was an avid sports enthusiast. She was a lifelong resident of Nevada.

Survivors include five daughters, Carol Miller of Des Moines, Betty Davis and Shari Dobson, both of Nevada, Violet Davis of Orange City, Fla., and Lori Sheely of Maxwell; three sons, Larry Bappe of Kasota, Minn., Daniel Bappe of Nevada and John Bappe of Colo; 22 grandchildren; and 28 great-grandchildren.

She is preceded in death by her parents; her husband in 1974; a daughter, Virlene "Jo" Riney; a grandson, Rodney Lee Hennick; a sister and four brothers.

Funeral services were held Monday, June 10, at Memorial Lutheran Church with Pastor Myron D. Herzberg officiating. Burial followed at the Nevada Municipal Cemetery. Memorials may be directed to Memorial Lutheran Church. Chet Ryan Mortuary, Nevada, handled arrangements.

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MARGARET BAPPE Nevada



Margaret Elizabeth Bappe, 86, of Nevada died of a heart ailment Friday at Story County Medical Center there. Services will be at 10:30 a.m. Monday at Memorial Lutheran Church in Nevada, of which she was a member.

Burial will be at Nevada Municipal Cemetery in Nevada.

Mrs. Bappe lived in Nevada all of her life. She was a retired direct marketing supervisor at Donnelley Marketing. She was a member of Ruth Circle, Story County Hospital Auxiliary, VFW Auxiliary and Donnelley Retirees. She enjoyed crocheting, playing cards, working crossword puzzles and watching sports.

She is survived by five daughters, Carol Miller of Des Moines, Betty Davis and Shari Dobson, both of Nevada, Violet Davis of Orange City, Fla., and Lori Sheely of Maxwell; three sons, Larry of Kasota, Minn., Daniel of Nevada and John of Colo; 22 grandchildren; and 28 great-grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her husband, Virgil.

Friends may call after 4 p.m. today at Chet Ryan Mortuary in Nevada, where the family will be present from 5 to 7 p.m. Memorial contributions may be made to her church.

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