

Obituary

Betty Greenfield Terpstra, 81, Melbourne

MIE 9 SEPT 2009

Betty Greenfield Terpstra, age 81, died Thursday, September 3, 2009 at Villa Del Sol Nursing Home in Marshalltown. Funeral services was held 10:30 A.M. Saturday, September 5, 2009 at First Baptist Church in Marshalltown with Pastor Richard Sipe officiating. Interment was in Presbyterian Cemetery in Kamrar. Visitation was held one hour prior to the service at the church. Online condolences may be sent to the family at vogelfuneralhomes.com. Arrangements have been entrusted to Pursel Davis Funeral Home.

Betty was born February 4, 1928 in Story City, Iowa, the daughter of James and Bertha Michaelson Greenfield. On December 28, 1985, she was united in marriage to Richard Terpstra at the First Baptist Church in Marshalltown.

Betty was employed at the Randall Savings Bank for 8 years and Melbourne Savings Bank for 35 years until retiring in

1996. She lived in Melbourne until moving to Marshalltown in 2002. Betty was a member of the Birthday Club and 50 Plus Club of Melbourne and First Baptist Church of Marshalltown. She was also active in the Builders Sunday school class in the church.

Betty will be missed by her sister, Marian Flora of Marshalltown, sister-in-laws, Bonnie Greenfield of Kamrar, Betty (Paul) Peterson of Apache Junction, AZ; nieces and nephews, Randy (Sally) Greenfield of Kamrar, Rhonda (Mark) Fiscus of Ames, Lisa (Tim) Robson of Portland, OR, James (Phyllis) Greenfield of Williams, Troy (Tammy) Greenfield of Webster City, Jay (Tammy) Flora of Marshalltown, Jan (Joe) Welty of Fredrick, MA, Jill (Jon) Brockman of Melbourne; and many cousins.

Betty was preceded in death by her husband Richard on April 27, 1992, brother, Roy Greenfield, and brother in law, James Flora.

Obituary

Marian Frances Golly, 96

MIE 9 Sept 2009

Marian Frances Bissell Golly, of New Hope, passed away peacefully on August 27, following a ten-day illness, surrounded by loving family, at the St. Therese Home in New Hope, Minnesota. She had been a resident there since a hospital stay in April of 2008. She was loved by the excellent attendants at St. Therese and loved them in return. Her doctor described her as an extraordinary person in having kept her great sense of humor and loving personality into her final years.

She was born February 16, 1913, at Gilbert, Iowa, to Walter W. and Goldie J. Bissell. She attended school and graduated at Zearing, Iowa. She married Lester Golly on July 3, 1933, at Nevada, Iowa. They moved to State Center, where they raised three children, and lived the rest of their married lives. She worked at a restaurant in State Center where she was widely respected for the quality of her cooking and baking. She was a loving mother and grandmother, her family always the first thing on her

mind. Following her daughter, Bette's, death in 1997, she moved to the Minneapolis area.

Survivors include daughter, Jane Golly Johnson, of Maple Grove, Minnesota, grand-daughters, Elizabeth O'Brien (husband, Brendan) of Minneapolis, Ginger Johnson of Homer, Alaska, Tina Dunham of Rhodes, Iowa, grandson, Tracy Lee Golly and great-granddaughter, Jazmyn Golly, of Anchorage, Alaska, sister, Vivian Golly of Bridgewater, Iowa, and numerous nieces and nephews. She will be greatly missed by all of them.

Marian was preceded in death by an infant son, her husband, Lester, a son, Lloyd, a daughter, Bette, and her four brothers, Freddie, Lyle, Dale, and Albert. A celebration of her life will be held on September 9 in Rhodes, Iowa, with immediate families and close friends. Her ashes will be placed beside her husband's grave in the Lincoln Township Cemetery in Zearing, Iowa.

Obituary

Lucy Edith Middleton, 90, Rhodes

MIE 9 Sept 2009



Lucy Edith Middleton of Rhodes, Iowa passed away on August 31st, 2009 following a lengthy illness and short stay at State Center Nursing and Rehab in State Center. Lucy donated her body to Des Moines University so that others may learn. No memorial service is planned at this time. Lucy cared for her parents and husband, and in turn, was lovingly cared for by her daughter, Bev during her final years.

Lucy was born in Rhodes, Iowa on January 12, 1919. She was the daughter of William and Mary (Hale) Steiner. Lucy attended Rhodes High School, graduating in 1937.

On April 6th, 1940 Lucy was united in marriage to Lester Robert Middleton in Missouri. The couple resided in Rhodes, Iowa for all their married lives. Lucy worked for Donnelly's Corporation, several local grocery and hardware stores and the egg plant in Ankeny. Lucy enjoyed being outside tending her vast garden, baking in her kitchen, doing embroidery and caring for her grandchildren. Lucy loved to cook and hosted many holiday dinners at her home for extended family members throughout the years.

Lucy is survived by her daughter, Beverly (Don) Oxley of Rhodes; her grandchildren: Andy (Sue) Oxley of Rhodes, Elery (Reed) Egger of State Center; great grandchildren, Ben Oxley, Kristina, Austin and Dakota Egger and several nieces and nephews.

In death, Lucy has rejoined her parents, her brothers Lloyd, Charles, sister Francis, grandson Chris and beloved husband Lester Middleton (April 1988).