Emma Jean Van Gorp

On May 15, 1946, Emma Jean was united in marriage with Laverne Van Gorp, in Monroe. Together they made their home near Reasnor. They were members of the First Assembly of God. Emma Jean devoted her life to her family. She enjoyed her grandchildren, flowers and gardening.

Emma Jean was preceded in death by her parents; her loving husband, Laverne Sr. on March 24, 2002; her sister, Carrie Jane Meyers and her sister-in-law, Myrna Meyers.

Those left to honor Emma Jean's memory include her daughter, Mary (John) Cooper of Eldon; her sons: Laverne (Violet) Van Gorp Jr. of Newton, Paul (Carol) Van Gorp of Springfield, MO and Gary (Marietta) Van Gorp of Greeley, CO; her fourteen grandchildren and ten great-grandchildren; her brother, Clarence Meyers of Pella; and her many friends.