Glorene Faye Kiever, 84

Glorene Faye Kiever, age 84, of Marengo, died Tuesday, Jan. 21, 2014, at Rose Haven Nursing Home, Marengo. Funeral services were held at 10:30 a.m., Saturday, Jan. 25, at St. John's Lutheran Church, Marengo. Burial was in the Victor Cemetery. In lieu of flowers, memorials may be contributed to St. John's Lutheran Church, Marengo, or Essence of Life Hospice.

Glorene is survived by her daughters, Gloria Leazer (Steve) of Wilton, Gayle McCulley (Kenny) of Barnes City, and Glenda Campbell (Chuck) of Marengo; seven grandchildren, Sara Ayres (Marley) of Byron, Minn., Laura Jones (Jared) of Wilton, Mandy Dye (Chad) of Victor, Bronson McCulley (Amy) of Sigourney, Cara Jack (Neal) of Victor, Melanie Kempf (Kris) of Victor, and Derek Campbell (friend Bonnie) of Pinehurst, Idaho; and five great-grandchildren, Caprice Dye, Kennedy Dye, Kayla Jack, Hailey Jack, McKenzie Kempf, Abyl McCulley, Emerie McCulley, Hunter Jones, Elizabeth Jones, LIam Ayres and Beckham Ayres, and one great-great-grandchild, Abyl McCulley.

Glorene is preceded in death by her parents, George P. Weiss and Lloyd Klever; a sister, Darlene Wagner; and brothers, Melvin and Harold Nowotny.

Glorene Faye Nowotny was born Jan. 8, 1930, in rural Victor, the daughter of Edward and Lena Berscheid Nowotny. She graduated from Victor High School in 1947 as valedictorian of her class. She married George D. Weiss on October 31, 1948. To this union three daughters and two sons were born. The couple lived on a farm east of Deep River, later moving to Victor to the house that George built. Glorene loved flowers and had a huge flower garden. George passed away Sept. 21, 1994. Glorene married Lloyd Klever on June 15, 1996 at the Little Brown Church in Nashua. The couple resided in Marengo. He passed away June 5, 2007.

Glorene was an avid Hawkeye fan. She traveled to the bowl games and in later years enjoyed the Iowa women's basketball games, holding season tickets for several years. She enjoyed bingo, bowling, travel and playing cards. She especially enjoyed attending her grandchildren's sporting events. She was a member of St. John's Lutheran Church, Marengo, and the Ladies Aid. She also belonged to the Marengo American Legion Auxiliary, and was a former member of the Victor American Legion Auxiliary.

Online condolences may be extended to the family at www.klosterfuneralhome.com.