

Gladys Marie Sprugel



Gladys Marie Sprugel, 84, of Iowa Falls, died Thursday, March 27, 2014, at Iowa River Hospice in Marshalltown.

Funeral services were held Saturday, March 29, at the First United Methodist Church in Iowa Falls, and inurnment was at the Amsterdam Cemetery in Goodell, Iowa.

Memorials may be made out to Edgewood, 719 River St., Iowa Falls, IA 50126; Church Women United, 19261 195th St., Iowa Falls Iowa 50126; or to the family c/o 1310 Larkfield Court, Marshalltown, IA 50158. Linn's Funeral Home in Iowa Falls is handling the arrangements.

Gladys Marie was born July 16, 1929, in rural Goodell, Iowa, the daughter of Edgar V. Mayhew and Leona F. Sandry Mayhew. She graduated from Belmond High School in Belmond, Iowa, and the Iowa State Teachers College in Cedar Falls.

On Aug. 24, 1952, Gladys was united in marriage with Charles William Sprugel in the United Methodist Church, Goodell, Iowa, and they had two children.

After graduating from Iowa State Teachers College, Gladys taught in Williams, Iowa. She was actively involved with the Edgewood Board, Church Women United, the Girl Scouts, UMW (United Methodist Women), and other First United Methodist Church activities.

She is survived by daughters Vicki Sprugel of Marshalltown and Beth Hendricks of Grinnell; and two grandsons.

She was preceded in death by her parents; her husband, Dr. Charles W. Sprugel; one grandson; and a brother, Edgar J. Mayhew.

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