Avon D. Bennett, 82, of Brooklyn, formerly of Waterloo, died Saturday, July 19, 2014, at her home, of leukemia. She was born May 7, 1932, in Lake Mills, the daughter of William O. and Valborg Ellingson Anderson. She married Donald A. Bennett in 1950 in Waterloo; he preceded her in death on June 25, 2003.

She was a proud member of the Tama County F.O.E. Aerie: #2828 Auxiliary, Waterloo F.O.E. Aerie #764 Auxiliary, and the Northeast Iowa CB Club.

Survived by: three daughters, Deanna (Peter Edgar) Bennett of Canada, Mary (Rick) Foxen of Evansdale, Kathy Bennett of Brooklyn; two sons, Dennis (Karen) Bennett of Waterloo, Dwayne (Edna) Bennett of Cedar Falls; 14 grandchildren and 21 great grandchildren.

Preceded in death by: her parents; two step mothers, Doris and Hazel Anderson; her husband; one son, Donald Gene Bennett; two sisters, Marjorie Underwood, Barbara Jean Anderson; and one sibling in infancy.

Services were held at 11 a.m., Monday, July 28, at Garden View Chapel with burial in the Garden of Memories Cemetery.

Memorials may be directed to her family.

Garden View Chapel was in charge of arrangements. Online condolences may be left at www.kearnsfuneralservice.com.