

Florene Peirson, 88

Florene Peirson, 88 years old, passed away on July 4, 2007, at St. Francis Manor in Grinnell. It was Florene's wish to be cremated and have a private graveside service at Parkview Cemetery in Hastings, Neb.

Florene was born in Lindsay, Neb., and had worked for many years with her husband, Sherman, in Hastings, Neb., where he was the manager of Brown's Shoe Fit Co. Florene was a registered nurse, a member of St. Patrick's Catholic Church in Brooklyn, and a member of the Catholic Daughter's of America. She liked to play cards and the organ, but most of all she enjoyed spending time with her family.

She will be missed by her daughter, Patty (JC) Miller of Brooklyn; grandchildren, Jamie (Terri) Miller of West Des Moines, Amy (Andy) Morrow of Brooklyn, Rob (Katherine) Richardson of Midlothian, Va., and Brett (Erin) Richardson of Scottsdale, Ariz.; five great-grandchildren; and two sisters, Donna (Bernie) Scanlan of Omaha, Neb. and Mary Bierman of Columbus, Neb.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Sherman in 1994; her daughter, Peggy Richardson; and a brother, Lou Ruzicka.

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