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## Viola May Eggert

Funeral services were held Sunday afternoon, March 26, at Smith Funeral Home in Victor for Viola May Eggert, 95, of Victor, who died Friday, March 24, 2000, at the Montezuma Nursing and Rehabilitation Center.

The Rev. Torger Johnson officiated. Organist Marilyn Kriegel accompanied the vocalists, Mabel McWilliams and Perah Read, who sang "Victory in Jesus," "My God and I," "Living for Jesus" and "Beyond the Sunset." Casket bearers were Orville Bloethe, Mel Happel, Ed McAdam, Delmar McWilliams, Charles Ranfeld and Laverne Weisskopf. Interment was in Immanuel Methodist Cemetery, Victor.

Viola was born on March 31, 1904, in Muscatine, and was the adopted daughter of Wayne and Minnie Sharar Reynolds. As a young girl she accepted Jesus Christ as her Savior and was baptized at the United Methodist Church in Muscatine. She attended public schools in Muscatine and graduated from Muscatine High School.

On Sept. 6, 1922, she was married to Otto C. Eggert of Ladora. The couple farmed south of Ladora and she attended the Immanuel Methodist Church and the Victor United Methodist Church.

She taught Sunday school and directed the Vacation Bible Schools at Immanuel and Ohio churches. She held district offices of the Methodist church for many years. In 1965, she purchased a home in Victor and her sister-in-law, Bertha, came to live with her.

She was preceded in death by her husband, and her sister-in-law, Bertha. Several nieces, nephews, cousins and friends survive her.