

W. H. Stevens  
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## Daisy Alvera Newton Stevens

Daisy Stevens, 96, of Brooklyn, died Tuesday, April 24, 2001, at Brookhaven Nursing Home in Brooklyn. Funeral services were held on Friday, April 27, 2001, at 10 a.m. at Smith Funeral Home in Victor. The Rev. Audrey Westendorf, pastor of Victor United Methodist Church, officiated. VeraBeth Bricker was organist, and special selections were "In The Garden" and "How Great Thou Art." Pallbearers were Darrel Stevens, Dennis Stevens, John McKusker, Rick Schwartz, Craig McKusker, Tom Dix, Daniel Belden and Gregory Roberts. Burial was in the Victor Memorial Cemetery.

Daisy was born March 16, 1905, in Brooklyn, to Charles and Carrie Hall Newton. She was raised in Brooklyn and graduated with the class of 1923.

Daisy was married to William Henry Stevens on Dec. 2, 1925, in Davenport. The couple spent their entire life in the Ladora and Victor communities where they were engaged in farming prior to moving to Victor in 1960. Daisy was employed at Del Benton's Grocery Store for 5 years and later with Seaton's Jack and Jill for 10 years. She was a member of Victor United Methodist Church and United Methodist Women. She was also a member of the Rebekah Lodge and Victor Federated Women's Club. Daisy enjoyed baking, cooking, gardening, sewing and solving word search puzzles.

She is survived by her children and their spouses, Melvin and Pamela Stevens of Victor and Kathryn and Bill McKusker of Marengo, and one daughter-in-law, Elaine "Mrs. William" Stevens, of Waverly. She had 10 grandchildren, 14 great-grandchildren, and two great-great-grandchildren.

Daisy died April 24, 2001, at Brookhaven Nursing Home in Brooklyn, at the age of 96. She was preceded in death by her parents; her husband, Bill; one son, William; 13 brothers and sisters, Hazel, Pearl, Ella, Mabel, Clarence, twins Leo and Cleo, Homer, Herbert, Sylvester, Theodosia "Dovie," Ray and Dorothy; and two grandchildren, Dale and Mark Stevens.

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