Linda Maria Perrenoud



Linda Maria Perrenoud, 68, died peacefully Feb. 4, 2019, at Mercy One Hospital in Des Moines surrounded by loved ones.

A funeral mass will be held at 10:30 a.m., Saturday, Feb. 9, at Sacred Heart Catholic Church in Newton. The family will greet friends from 4 to 7 p.m., Friday, Feb. 8, at the Wallace Family Funeral Home and Crematory. In lieu of flowers, memorials to the Jasper County Historical Museum or in

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Linda's name may be left at the church the day of the service or at the funeral home.

Linda grew up by the shore in Manahawkin, N.J. After high school, she attended Central College in Pella where she pursed her degree in theater, speech, and education and also met her future husband.

They made their home in Newton where Linda's life was full of teaching and theater. She taught at Prairie City Monroe High School and in her spare time was part of the Newton Community Theater.

Linda was also a member of the Delta Kappa Gamma Sorority, the Retired Teacher's Association, Thespians Hall of Fame, and the Sacred Heart Catholic Church where she sang in the church choir. She was an active volunteer for the Jasper County Historical Museum. In retirement, she worked part-time with the Grinnell High School speech team and as a mutual teller at Prairie Meadows.

Linda is survived by her husband of 45 years, William "Bill" Perrenoud; daughter, Traci Berry; one grandson; a brother, David Garrison; a sister, Pam Short; and other relations.

She was preceded in death by her parents and her sister, Nancy Johnson.