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**Susan F. Terpstra** 4-25-2022



Susan F. Terpstra, 84, of Lynnvile passed away April 22, 2022, at the Grinnell Regional Medical Center.

A visitation will be held from 4:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. Monday, April 25, 2022, at the Smith Funeral Home in Grinnell.

Memorials may be designated to Lynnvile Public Library in c/o Smith Funeral Home, PO Box 368, Grinnell, Iowa 50112. Memories and condolences may be shared with her family at [www.smithfh.com](http://www.smithfh.com).

Susan was born September 22, 1937, to Floyd and Wanda (Hill) Stepp in Grinnell. She was raised in the Kellogg area

and graduated from Kellogg High School with the class of 1956.

On September 7, 1958, she was united in marriage to Wilbur Terpstra at the Kellogg Methodist Church. The couple had three children together, Michael, Thomas and Stephanie. Susan worked as a waitress at the Longhorn for 27 years, on Main Street in Grinnell until its closing in 1997.

Susan loved to read, and later listened to eBooks, watched gameshows, especially Jeopardy and Dancing with the Stars. She also enjoyed bowling, golfing and traveling.

Susan is survived by her husband Wilbur; her three children Michael (Brenda) Terpstra, Thomas Terpstra and Stephanie Henning; eight grandchildren, Dana (Ryan) McFarland, Derrick (Kelsey) Terpstra, Bailey (Mason) Tompkins, Jarren Terpstra, Austin Grefe, Carter Grefe, Collin Grefe and Carlie Henning; ten great grandchildren; and sisters-in-law Beverly Stepp, Ila Sprouse, and Virginia Paulson

She was preceded in death by her parents; brother, Richard Stepp (infancy); and brother, Gordon Stepp.