

Barbara Sexton



Robert

Barbara Frances Sexton, 65, of New Sharon, a native of Searsboro, died Thursday, June 22, at her home.

Funeral services were conducted Sunday at the New Sharon Assembly of God Church, with the Revs. Dennis Niles and Harold Schutte officiating. Burial was in Friends Cemetery, New Sharon, with the Harden Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.

The daughter of Francis and Lenora Kooistra Schmidt, she was born Feb. 10, 1930, in Searsboro. She graduated from New Sharon High School in 1947 and attended William Penn College.

She was married to Robert Sexton April 24, 1949, in Oskaloosa. She taught rural school for a year. Mrs. Sexton worked at Amana Refrigeration for seven years and at the Donaldson Co. plant in Grinnell from 1976 to 1991. She attended the New Sharon Assembly of God Church.

Surviving are her husband; two sons, Michael of Rose Hill and Joel of Newton; two daughters, Rhonda Pool of New Sharon and Ramona Boertje of Irving, Texas; eight grandchildren; one great-grandson; two brothers, Fred Schmidt of Sully and Sam Schmidt of Peoria; and two sisters, Mary Vande Krol of Sully and Norma Conover of Lynville.

She was preceded in death by her parents and one grandson.

Memorial contributions may be made to Hospice of Mahaska County.
