



Edith Jones

June 23, 1909 - December 17, 2005

Edith Eleanora ("Dolly") Hedin was born to her parents Gust & Alma (Kristoffer) Hedin on June 23, 1909 in Osakis Village. She passed away early on Saturday morning at the Elders Home in New York Mills. Edith was united in marriage to William Henry Jones in Osakis on Oct. 28, 1928. Edith and William spent their early years in Eagle Bend until moving to Wadena in 1944. William worked for the W.P.A. and the Great Northern Railroad until his retirement. Edith worked cleaning homes in the area until she retired at the age of 62. After Williams death on July 16, 1985 Edith continued to live in the same house they purchased in 1957. She lived alone in that house for 20 years. She was hospitalized on Dec. 10th and moved to the Elders Home on Dec. 13th. Edith loved to fish. She also enjoyed crocheting, knitting and spending time with her grandchildren & great-grandchildren. Edith was preceded in death by her parents; husband William; daughter Arlene; son Robert; daughter in law Lorraine (Punky) Jones; grandsons Brad & Dean and her granddaughter Paulette; brothers Gustave I, Albert, William, Theodore, Leonard, Fredrick, Edward, Carl Emil, Gustav II; her sisters Annie, Mary, Alma & Ellen. She is survived by her sons Orville & Arnold (fiance - Doris) both of Wadena, Marvin of Portland, OR, and Melvin (Rachel) of Island Lake, Illinois; 8 grandchildren, 18 great-grandchildren and 4 great-great grandchildren. Burial will take place next to her husband William in the Wadena Cemetery.