



## Lois Snyder

May 8, 1927 - September 18, 2016

Funeral services for Lois Mae Snyder, a resident of the Valley View Home in Long Prairie and formerly of Eagle Bend and Paynesville, will be held at 11:00 AM on Tuesday, September 20, 2016 at the Assemblies of God Church in Eagle Bend with Pastors Bob and Cathy Jo Bernard presiding. Friends may call from 9:30 AM until the time of services at the church on Tuesday. Graveside services will be held at 3:00 PM on Tuesday at the Salem Historic Cemetery in Zion Township, Stearns County, MN (rural Paynesville). Lois passed away at the age of 89 years on Sunday, September 18, 2016 at the Centra Care Health Care Center in Long Prairie.

Lois Mae Snyder was born to Victor and Ellen (Fell) Frank on May 8, 1927 in their country farm house in Waterbury Township in Redwood County, Minnesota. She attended eight years of school in District 85 just a half mile from their home, walking a lot of the time as did a group of other farm kids from the north. Since her mother was ill with M.S., she helped to take care of the other six children at home. Her family moved to a farm near Paynesville in 1947, where she continued to take care of the family. Later she worked at the coffee shop in town, where she met her future husband, Herbert Duane Snyder. They were married on an icy day in November of 1951.

Lois enjoyed growing flowers and gardening. She also enjoyed playing the piano, sewing, and helping teach in the Sunday School.

Preceding Lois in death was her husband Herb in 2011; parents Victor and Ellen Frank; son Ronald; brothers Glen, Vern, and Roy; and sisters Jean and Joyce. She is survived by her children Susan (David) Lorenz of St. Cloud, Cindy Drevlow of Clarissa; four grandchildren and six great-grandchildren; and sister Ruby (Leslie) Snyder of Paynesville.

Interment will be in Salem Cemetery next to Herb, her husband of nearly 60 years, located in Zion Township in rural Paynesville, Minnesota.

# Cemetery Details

## Salem Cemetery

Paynesville, MN

# Previous Events

## Visitation

SEP 20. 9:30 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

Assembly of God - Eagle Bend  
205 Central Ave. S.  
Eagle Bend, MN 56446

## Service

SEP 20. 11:00 AM (CT)

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## Graveside Service

SEP 20. 3:00 PM (CT)

Salem Cemetery  
Paynesville, MN

# Tribute Wall

DK

“ *Dave Kanis lit a candle in memory of Lois Snyder*



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**dave kanis** - November 28, 2016 at 08:31 PM

DK

“ *I took care of Lois a few years back in an adult care facility. We shared a few nice memories of farming many years ago. I used to bring my keyboard and we sang many old gospel songs, some of which the churches don't even sing anymore. She knew all of the words.*

*I always remember her story of when times were hard on the farm as a girl. She would save the hair from hair cuts, cut out paper dolls, make a paste out of flour and water, and glue the hair on the dolls.*

*I told her of how I would ask mom to save a few tin cans and two buttons. I would get some binder twine and make a tin can telephone that my neighbor and I would play with. We played with it for days. She remembered tin can telephones.*

*Imagine kids now days with such low-tech entertainment!!! Back them we made our own fun. I enjoyed her conversations. Bless her memory. Dave Kanis*

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**dave kanis** - November 28, 2016 at 08:30 PM

BJ

“ Love, great cook, kitten lover, incredible flowers, and much much more. Thanks for everything! I love you Aunt Lois. Bette-Jo



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**Bette-Jo Johnson** - September 19, 2016 at 06:15 PM

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“ Cindy and Susan  
We wish to extend our sympathy to both of you.  
Orlin and Carol Ladwig

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**Carol Ladwig** - September 19, 2016 at 05:49 PM



“ Fairest of All was purchased for the family of Lois Snyder.



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September 19, 2016 at 04:02 PM

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“ I always enjoyed talking with your mother when I visited the farm.  
Herb and Lois were special people. I was glad to have known them.  
Michele and I are thinking of you all.  
May you find peace.  
Norman

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**Norman E. Lorenz (friend)** - September 19, 2016 at 01:41 PM



“ *Serene Retreat was purchased for the family of Lois Snyder.*



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September 19, 2016 at 01:03 PM



“ *All our thoughts and prayers go out to Lois' family. We have some wonderful memories of times spent visiting and sharing stories in years past. Thanks for making brother David and his family a part of your family. Pauline and Chuck and all our families*

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**Pauline and Chuck Sukow/family** - September 19, 2016 at 12:15 PM