



## Maxine Manselle

July 30, 1917 - February 20, 2013

The funeral service for Maxine Manselle will be held at 10:30 a.m. on Monday, February 25, 2013, at Salem United Methodist Church in Deer Creek, with Reverend Jean-Claude Duncan officiating. Friends may call on Sunday from 4:00-8:00 p.m. at the Johnson-Schuller Chapel in Wadena on Sunday, and at the church on Monday from 9:00 a.m. until the time of service. Maxine passed away on Wednesday, February 20, 2013, at Ecumen Parmlly Life Pointes, Nursing Home in Chisago City, MN, at the age of 95.

Maxine was born to Harold & Mildred (Arbuckle) Bemus on July 30, 1917 at the family farm northeast of Deer Creek, MN. She spent her entire childhood & all but 6 years of her adult life in the Deer Creek area. She attended and graduated from Deer Creek Country School in 1935. She had very fond memories of the Deer Creek Country School.

She married Lloyd Mathieu Manselle on September 25, 1938 in the Deer Creek Methodist Church. They farmed together in the Deer Creek area most of their lives. They did live in Chisholm, MN in 1952-1954, and the Underwood area 1954-1955. Maxine moved in with her daughter in the twin cities area in 2010. Maxine & Lloyd had 2 children; one son, Terry Lloyd Manselle & one daughter, Karen Maxine (Manselle) Peterson.

In the late 1950's Maxine sold subscriptions to the Minneapolis Star Tribune,

and delivered the Sunday edition of that paper. Maxine collected & submitted the Deer Creek news to the Wadena Pioneer Journal & New York Mills Herald in the 60's. She was, also, a Tupperware consultant in the 1960's. In 1965, she worked part time as housekeeper for Mrs. Eugene Carter near Wadena. She later worked for Fred Ferweda and the Shady Lane Nursing Home in Wadena before taking a more permanent full time job at the Henning Nursing Home as a Nurses Aid in 1968. She continued to work at the Henning Nursing Home for 24 years until 1992 when she retired at age 75. She is admired by her family & friends for her dedication to her job & good work ethics.

In 1958-1960, Maxine & Lloyd were 4-H leaders. In the mid 1960's, Maxine prepared the communion food at the EUB church In Deer Creek. Starting in the 1970's, Maxine & Lloyd attended the Union Corners Church. They served at various levels in that church. The latest position held by Maxine was that of church treasurer. It was Maxine's earnest desire to keep the Union Corners church open. She succeeded until Dec. 2009, She could no longer carry on that mission because of her age (92), and the church's decline in membership.

Maxine enjoyed Bible Study, church services, family & friend get togethers, Minnesota State Fair, traveling, eating out, Sew & So Forth Club, crossword puzzles, embroidering, latch hook rug making, and other crafts. It was Maxine's constant hunger for God's word and her longevity in service to God that has made her such a wonderful role model and blessing to her family.

Maxine was preceded in death by her parents Harold & Mildred Bemus; her husband Lloyd (1995); her son Terry (2009) & daughter-in-law, Judy (2004).

Maxine is survived by her daughter & son-in-law, Karen (Dennis) Peterson from Columbus, MN; her sister, Doris Kochaver from Mt. Iron, MN; 8 grandsons Terry Allen, John, Troy, & Kurt Manselle and Chuck, Tony, Corey, & Jeremy Peterson; 1 granddaughter, Jodi Peterson Bohnen; 19 great-

grandchildren; and many more family and friends who loved her dearly.

Pallbearers will be Maxine's grandsons Chuck Peterson, Tony Peterson, Corey Peterson, Jeremy Peterson, John Manselle, Troy Manselle, Kurt Manselle and Terry Manselle.

Burial will be in Wadena Cemetery.

# Cemetery Details

## Wadena Cemetery

Franklin Drive & 5th St. SW  
Wadena, MN 56482

# Previous Events

## Visitation

FEB **24**. 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Johnson-Schuller Chapel  
205 4th Street Southwest  
Wadena, MN 56482  
(218) 631-3632

# Tribute Wall



“ *Schuller Family Funeral Homes created a Tribute Video in memory of Maxine Manselle*



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**Schuller Family Funeral Homes** - February 20, 2013 at 12:00 AM



“ *Karen M. Peterson was added to the Family Tree.*

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**Jodi Bohnen** - February 23, 2013 at 02:48 PM



“ *Jodi Bohnen lit a candle in memory of Maxine Manselle*



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**Jodi Bohnen** - February 23, 2013 at 02:47 PM

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“ I worked with Maxine years ago at what was the Henning Nursing Home. Maxine would always go to work early so she could spend time with her parents, Harold & Mildred Bemus, as family was very important to her. Maxine was liked by her co-workers as well as the residents that she took care of at the Nursing home.



Barb - February 23, 2013 at 09:41 AM

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Thanks Barb. Hearing from you means a lot to our family. Karen

Karen - February 24, 2013 at 06:45 AM



“ 1 file added to the tribute wall



Dennis Peterson - February 22, 2013 at 03:21 PM



“ 1 file added to the album Family Pictures



Dennis Peterson - February 22, 2013 at 03:20 PM



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Dennis Peterson - February 22, 2013 at 03:18 PM



“ Cody Peterson lit a candle in memory of Maxine Manselle



Cody Peterson - February 22, 2013 at 01:26 PM



“ Dennis Peterson lit a candle in memory of Maxine Manselle



Dennis Peterson - February 22, 2013 at 01:25 PM



“ Corey Peterson lit a candle in memory of Maxine Manselle



Corey Peterson - February 22, 2013 at 08:35 AM