

23rd Psalm

THE LORD IS MY *Shepherd*: I SHALL NOT WANT.
HE MAKETH ME TO LIE DOWN IN GREEN PASTURES:
He leadeth me BESIDE THE STILL WATERS.
HE RESTORETH MY SOUL: HE LEADETH ME IN THE
PATHS OF RIGHTEOUSNESS
for His names sake.
YEA, THOUGH I WALK THROUGH THE VALLEY OF THE
SHADOW OF DEATH, *I will fear no evil:*
FOR THOU ART WITH ME: THY ROD AND
THY STAFF *they comfort me.*
THOU PREPAREST A TABLE BEFORE ME IN THE
PRESENCE OF MINE ENEMIES:
THOU ANOINTEST MY HEAD WITH OIL:
my cup runneth over.
SURELY GOODNESS AND MERCY SHALL FOLLOW
ME ALL THE DAYS OF MY LIFE: AND I WILL
DWELL IN THE *house of the Lord forever.*



*Celebrating The Life Of
Delma J. Vreeman*



*December 1, 1929
January 9, 2022*

Delma was born to Henry and Irene (Bertram) Eilts on December 1, 1929 in Ireton, Iowa, where she has lived her entire life. In December she moved to Oak Hill Assisted Living Facility in Hawarden. She was a lifelong member of St. Paul's Lutheran Church where her great-grandfather Henry Kluter was a founding member. She was baptized and confirmed there but was married in Sioux Center due to the new church being built. She graduated from High School at Ireton in 1947.

She met her life partner, Bud Vreeman, when he stopped at the farm house to ask for directions. They were married on May 1st, 1950 and celebrated their 70th anniversary in 2020 before Bud passed away on February 28, 2021.

She was a meticulous housewife, mother of 6, and a beautifully talented seamstress, quilter, and gardener. She enjoyed puzzling and always had one in the process. She enjoyed coffee at the Super Stop and riding around Ireton on her golf cart! She loved being a homemaker and enjoyed many wonderful trips with Bud throughout their lives. She had an unmatched work ethic her entire life and was always doing something for someone else. She was fun loving and so very young at heart. Most important to her were Faith, Family, and Friends.

No treasure could equal the gift of having her as our Mom and Grandmother to our children.

Delma passed away on Sunday, January 9, 2022 at the Hawarden Regional Healthcare Hospital at the age of 92.

She is survived by her children, Pam (Mick) Everett of South Sioux City, Nebraska, Val (Kent) Hoogland, Greg (Genise) Vreeman, Scott (Gina) Vreeman all of Ireton; Lisa (Tom) Hanlon of Sioux Falls, South Dakota; and son-in-law, Bob Benz of Friday Harbor, Washington. Also left to carry on her wonderful legacy are 18 grandchildren, 26 great-grandchildren, sisters, Ruth Van Den Berg of Ireton and Helen Nitzschski of Burnsville, Minnesota and many special nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by her husband Bud of 70 years; infant son, Kent; daughter, Patti; granddaughter, Ashley; great-grandson, Raymond; son-in-law, Blake Hultquist; and her brother, Lloyd Eilts and his wife Jean.

We would like to thank Pastor Boothby, the staff at Oak Hill Assisted Living and especially the caring staff at Hawarden Regional Hospital, including Dr. Nystrom and Cindi Rule.

In Loving Memory Of
Delma J. Vreeman

PRIVATE FAMILY FUNERAL SERVICE

Wednesday, January 12, 2022

St. Paul's Lutheran Church

Ireton, Iowa

OFFICIANT

Rev. Joshua Lowe

ORGANIST

Jean Bertram

SOLOIST

Austin Hultquist

ACCOMPANIST

Marlene Eilts

CASKET BEARERS

Jason Everett ~ Austin Hultquist ~ Jill Wittrock

Isabella Banda ~ Jay Hanlon ~ Chris Benz

INTERMENT

Pleasant Hill Cemetery, Ireton, Iowa

Hymn – "When Peace, Like A River"

Invocation

Remembrance of Baptism

Psalm 23

Kyrie

Collect of the Day

Scripture Readings: Proverbs 31:10–31

Revelation 2:10b

John 14:1–6

Apostles' Creed

Special Music – "Precious Lord, Take My Hand" sung by Austin Hultquist

Sermon

Prayer of the Church

Lord's Prayer: recording of Bud Vreeman

Nunc Dimittis

Concluding Collect

Benedicamus and Benediction