## Remembering the life of . . .

Irene A. (Swanson) Peck was born October 30, 1922, the daughter of Swen W. and Minnie (Olson) Swanson in Boxholm, Iowa. The family lived on farms in Boone and Webster County, Iowa. She graduated from Fort Dodge (Iowa) High School and attended Fort Dodge Junior College for one year. In May 1944, she graduated from Iowa Lutheran Hospital School of Nursing, Des Moines, Iowa as an RN.

On February 24, 1946 she married A. Lloyd Peck at Bethany Lutheran Church, Des Moines, Iowa. They were the parents of one daughter, Vicki. The family lived in Rockwell City, Boone, Humboldt, Audubon, and Exira, Iowa.

Irene worked as a Registered Nurse in Geriatric Nursing serving as Director of Nurses, and later as Nursing Home Administrator. In April 1987, Lloyd and Irene retired to a home on Wall Lake near Fergus Falls, MN. During their life together they were active in the local Lutheran Church and when moving to Fergus Falls became members of Calvary Free Lutheran Church. Of special interest to Irene was a weekly Bible Study and Christian fellowship.

In May 2003, she moved to an apartment in Fergus Falls. Later she moved to LB Homes Sheridan House and was living at Broen Home when she went home to be with her Lord, March 3, 2024.

She is survived by her daughter, Vicki and son-in-law, Ray Schrock; grandsons, Scott (Deborah) Schrock, Douglas (Heidi) Schrock, and Jeffrey (Krista) Schrock; great-grandchildren, Allison and Ryan Schrock, Abigail and Sophia Schrock, and Mason and Myles Wagner; brother, Wayne (Phyllis) Swanson, and numerous nieces and nephews.

Preceding her in death were her husband, A. Lloyd Peck; parents, Swen and Minnie Swanson; sisters and brothers-in-law, Viola (Don) Conrad, Alma (Marvin) Dencklau, Ruth (Charles) Vieth, and Marlene (Bill) Owens; brother, Earle (Patricia) Swanson, and several nieces and nephews.

## Blessed be the memory of Irene Peck



Same have had kings in their lineage,

Some to whom honor was paid. Not blest of my ancestors - but I have a mother who prays.

I have a mother who prays for me And pleads with the Land every day for me. Oh what a difference it makes for me -

I have a mother who prays.

Some have worldly success And trust in riches they 've made -This is my surest asset, I have a mother who prays.

My mother's prayers cannot save me, Only mine can avail; But mother introduced me to Someone -Someone who never could fail.

Oh yes...I have a mother who prays for me And pleads with the Lord every day for me. O what a difference it makes for me -I have a mother who prays.

Author Unknown

In Loving Memory of *Irene Alfreda Peck* 

1:00 p.m. Saturday, April 6, 2024 Light and Life Auditorium, LB Broen Home ~ Fergus Falls, Minnesota

> Clergy Reverend Jim Johnson

Music Mary Ellen Jones ~ Pianist Tim Jones ~ Vocalist *"The Lord's Prayer"* Abby Schrock, Great-Granddaughter ~ Pianist *"Amazing Grace"* 

> **Congregational Hymns** "Oh Jesus, I Have Promised" "How Great Thou Art" "Because He Lives"

Interment Lawn Cemetery ~ Boxholm, Iowa 1:00 p.m. Saturday, June 1, 2024

## Appreciation

We gratefully acknowledge your attendance and many kind expressions of sympathy during our time of loss. Please join us for refreshments following the service. ~*The family of Irene Peck* 

