



Mildred Evelyn was born to John P. and Selma (Henning) Johnson on November 25, 1932, in Canton, South Dakota. She grew up in Canton and attended school in Canton until the fifth grade when they moved to a farm outside of Canton. She then switched to country school and graduated eighth grade. After school, Millie worked at a restaurant in Canton, and later did cooking and cleaning for several different families.

Millie met Millard Hyronemus at the roller rink. They were married on September 25, 1950, at the Springdale Lutheran Church in Canton. After which the couple lived in Sioux Falls, and on various farms in the Rock Valley area before moving into town. In 1988, Millie started working as a CNA at the Hudson Manor and retired after 19 years.

She enjoyed crocheting and embroidering many sets of dish towels, reading, playing Bingo, and dancing. She also loved hosting and attending family get togethers, or anytime she got to spend with her family. Millie passed away Sunday, May 21, 2023, at the Good Samaritan Society in Canton at the age of 90.

Millie is survived by sons: Richard (Denise) of Inwood, Iowa, Steve (Carmen) of Alton, Iowa, John of Rock Valley, Iowa, and Robert (Gwen) of Grand Island, Nebraska; daughters: Linda Olsen (Denny Heien) of Hartley, Iowa, Debby (David) Miles of Worthing, South Dakota, Lorri Dykstra of Rock Valley, Iowa, Shelly Smit of Rock Valley, Iowa, and Sandi (Art) Vander Waal of Everson, Washington; daughter-in-law, Gloria Hyronemus of Sioux City, Iowa; 18 grandchildren; 15 step grandchildren; 42 great grandchildren; and many nephews and nieces.

She was preceded in death by her parents; husband: Millard in 2017; son: Allen; grandsons: Quentin Hyronemus, Cody Hyronemus and Chad Hyronemus; and sister, Evelyn (Paul) Brown.

In Loving Memory
Mildred “Millie” E. Hyronemus

November 25, 1932 ~ May 21, 2023

FUNERAL SERVICE

2:00 PM, Thursday, May 25, 2023

Our Savior’s Lutheran Church

Rock Valley, Iowa

OFFICIATING

Pastor Edward Pease

PIANIST

Dorothy Smith

CONGREGATIONAL HYMNS

“The Old Rugged Cross”

“Amazing Grace”

“The Little Brown Church in the Vale”

PALLBEARERS

Robert Hyronemus ~ Gwen Hyronemus

Carmen Hyronemus ~ Aaron Hyronemus

David Brown ~ Dennis Brown

INTERMENT

Valley View Cemetery

Rock Valley, Iowa

*Millie’s family invites everyone for a time of food
and fellowship in the church fellowship hall following
the committal service at the cemetery.*

*God saw she was getting tired
And a cure was not to be,
So He put His arms around her
And whispered, "Come with Me."*

*With tearful eyes we watched her suffer
And saw her fade away,
Although we loved her dearly
We could not make her stay.*

*A golden heart stopped beating
Hard working hands to rest,
God broke our hearts to prove to us
He only takes the best.*



*A Mother holds
her children's hands
for a while..
their hearts
forever.*

