



Arnetta Fae McDaniel

March 8, 1931 - May 27, 2026

NORFOLK -- Funeral services for Arnetta F. McDaniel (Freudenburg), 95, of Norfolk will be held on Saturday, May 30, 2026, at 10:30 a.m. at Grace Lutheran Church in Norfolk. Officiating the service will be Reverend Ray Wilke. Interment will be at Prospect Hill Cemetery in Norfolk. Visitation for Arnetta will be from 4:00 to 7:00 p.m., Friday, May 29, 2026 at Stonacek Funeral Chapel in Norfolk. Arnetta found peace and joined the Lord on Wednesday, May 27, 2026, at Faith Health Hospital in Norfolk, NE. Stonacek Funeral Chapel is in charge of the arrangements.

Arnetta was born March 8, 1931, to Arnold and Nettie (Kalmer) Freudenburg in Madison, NE. Her deep devotion to faith began at Trinity Lutheran Church in Madison, NE where she was baptized on March 29, 1931 and confirmed on April 2, 1944. She attended Trinity Parochial school and Madison High School. In 1946, her family moved to Norfolk, NE. Arnetta graduated from Norfolk Senior High in 1948 and attended the University of Nebraska in Lincoln, NE.

She worked at Lincoln Liberty Insurance Company. She met her husband Robert at a swimming hole and they married February 4, 1951. Arnetta worked at E.N. Roe Buick Company in Norfolk, Granada Theater, Norfolk Auto Supply, and later worked for NE Rehabilitation Services starting as a secretary and ending as a Fiscal Supervisor of the Northeastern area in Norfolk. While working for NE Rehabilitation Services she received various promotions, state

and federal awards such as Rehabilitation Service Administrator, and a Distinguished Service award. She was forced to retire after 30 years due to scleral strokes.

In 1953, when her husband, Bob returned from Korea, they moved to a farm North of Norfolk. Arnetta enjoyed gardening and canning. She was a Charter member of the Aquanaut's Boat and Ski Club and loved camping at the lake. They farmed until they moved to town in 1986.

Arnetta flourished around friends and family and always had a helping hand for strangers. She volunteered a Braille for the Blind, and St Mary's Food Bank in Sun City, AZ where she often picked citrus fruit weekly during season. She also volunteered at Faith Regional Hospital cafeteria and Grace Lutheran Church in Norfolk, NE for many years. On Sundays, Arnetta cherished visiting friends in nursing homes in and around Norfolk.

Arnetta had a fondness for the holidays. She took pride in decorating her home, sending Christmas letters every year and displayed mountains of photos of family in every nook.

Arnetta is survived by her loving sons, Kim W. (Joni) McDaniel of Norfolk, and Jeffrey (Jane) McDaniel of Plattsmouth, NE, 8 grandchildren and 13 great grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her husband Robert, parents Arnold and Nettie Freudenburg, and her sister Anita Wendt.

Condolences may be expressed to the family on-line at www.stonacekfuneralc Chapel.com.

Cemetery Details

Prospect Hill Cemetery - Norfolk

1500 Maple Avenue
Norfolk, NE 68701

Previous Events

Visitation

MAY **29**. 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Stonacek Funeral Chapel - Norfolk
1200 N.13th St.
Norfolk, NE 68701
(402) 371-7676
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Funeral Service

MAY **30**. 10:30 AM (CT)

Grace Lutheran Church - Norfolk
416 Park Ave.
Norfolk, NE 68701

Tribute Wall



“ *Stonacek Funeral Chapel created a Tribute Video in memory of Arnetta Fae McDaniel*



Stonacek Funeral Chapel - May 29 at 12:46 PM

BS

Dear McDaniel Family, our thoughts and prayers are with you and your family in the loss of Arnetta. May God bless all of you with peace and understanding. Bob and Bev Starkel

Bob and Bev Starkel - May 30 at 09:21 AM

EF

*Dear Kim, Jeff and Families,
So sorry to hear of your mom's passing. My thoughts and prayers are with you all. Bob and Arnetta were up many times deer hunting before and after Bud and I were married. She was a wonderful lady!!
Elsie Fisher*

Elsie Fisher - June 14 at 08:31 PM

TS

“ *Tim McDaniel & Sons purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Arnetta Fae McDaniel.*



Tim McDaniel & Sons - May 30 at 11:00 AM

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“ Tim McDaniel & Sons planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Arnetta Fae McDaniel.

Tim McDaniel & Sons - May 30 at 11:00 AM

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“ Dear McDaniel Family, I met Arnetta through Pam Spiedel 2 different times. What a gracious, bubbly, humorous woman she was. She was a joy to meet. My condolences to you all. Linda Becker (Volquardsen)

Linda Becker (Volquardsen) - May 29 at 02:55 PM



“ 2 files added to the album Life Tributes



Stonacek Funeral Chapel - May 29 at 12:42 PM



“ 86 files added to the album *Life Tributes*



Stonacek Funeral Chapel - May 29 at 09:52 AM

SF

“ *Steve Floyd purchased the Country Basket Blooms for the family of Arnetta Fae McDaniel.*



Steve Floyd - May 28 at 09:41 PM

DD

“ *I was sorry to read of Arnetta's passing. I first met her in 1967 when I was the Human Resources Manager at the Norfolk Regional Center and she had an office there with Voc. Rehab. I always enjoyed working with her. .All of you are in my thoughts and prayers.*

Don Dammast - May 28 at 04:34 PM

MP

“ *Maryanne McDaniel & Cindy Preston purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of Arnetta Fae McDaniel.*



Maryanne McDaniel & Cindy Preston - May 28 at 04:06 PM