



Ione Fahrenholz

October 6, 1932 - August 29, 2017

PIERCE — Services for Ione L. Fahrenholz, 84, Norfolk, formerly of Pierce, will be at 10:30 a.m. Friday, Sept. 1, at St. John's Lutheran Church in rural Pierce. Burial will be in Hillcrest Memorial Park Cemetery in Norfolk. Visitation will be 4-7 p.m. Thursday at the church. Stonacek Memorial Chapel of Pierce is in charge of the arrangements. She died Tuesday, Aug. 29, 2017, at Norfolk Care and Rehabilitation.

Born Oct. 6, 1932, in Pierce, she was the daughter of Reinhold and Luella (Buckendahl) Schulz. She was baptized and confirmed at St. John's Lutheran Church in rural Pierce and graduated from Pierce High School. She married Carrol D. Fahrenholz at St. John's Parsonage in rural Pierce on Jan. 20, 1954. They farmed in the Randolph, Hoskins and Pierce area. Ione worked at Dale Electronics from 1981 to her retirement June of 1998. They moved to Pierce in 2007.

Ione enjoyed the grandchildren and family, bowling, trips to the casino and playing cards. Carrol and Ione played many games of Spite and Malice that they enjoyed.

She was a member of St. John's Lutheran Church in Pierce while growing up. After her marriage, they joined Zion East Lutheran Church in rural Hoskins, where she was a member of the ladies aid and choir.

Survivors include three daughters, Connie and spouse Robert Hitz of Raymond, Cheri and spouse Steve Deck of Winside and Penny and spouse Gene Sporleder of Pierce; 10 grandchildren and two stepgranddaughters; 13

great-grandchildren and one due in November; five step great-grandchildren, brother Leon and Connie Schulz of Hadar, and sister-in-law Karen Schulz of Osmond.

She was preceded in death by her parents, Reinhold and Luella; spouse Carrol; sister and brother-in-law Iralane and Gerhardt Carstens; brothers and sisters-in-law Delbert and Geraldine Schulz, Marvin and Jenny Schulz and Eldon Schulz.

Music will be provided by organist Mrs. Jean Zautke playing congregational hymns "Amazing Grace" and "The Lord Is My Shepherd." Recorded hymn will "One Day At A Time" by Cristy Lane.

Casketbearers will be Chad Hitz, Travis Hitz, Luke Koerting, Jason Willard, Doug Ohnoutka and Nathan Stevens. Honorary casketbearers will be her grandchildren and great-grandchildren.

Online condolences may be sent to www.stonacekfuneralchapel.com.

Tribute Wall



“ *Ione Fahrenholz*

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“ *Deepest sympathy to the family. I worked with Ione for many years.*
Karen Tiedgen



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“ *We are sorry that we didn't know about Ione's passing or we would have been at the funeral to share your grief. We so much enjoyed visiting with Carroll and Ione at our family reunions. We had been to visit them on the farm and in their apartment in Pierce. We send our love, sympathy and prayers to the family. We have a picture of all the cousins taken when they hosted the reunion in Pierce. So many in the picture are gone.*
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