



Wilma R. Carmann

March 5, 1917 - January 7, 2014

Wilma R. Carmann, 96, of Kearney died Tuesday, January 7, 2013 at Mother Hull Home in Kearney.

Funeral services will be Tuesday, January 14, 2014 at 10:00 a.m. at Holy Cross Lutheran Church in Kearney. Rev. Duane Duley and Rev. Dustin Lappe will officiate. Burial will be at the Pleasanton Cemetery. Visitation is planned Monday from 4:00 – 6:00 p.m. at Horner Lieske McBride & Kuhl Funeral and Cremation Services in Kearney or prior to services Tuesday at the church. Memorials are suggested to Holy Cross Lutheran Church in Kearney. A message of condolence, tribute or memory can be left at www.hlmkfuneral.com. Horner Lieske McBride & Kuhl Funeral Home of Kearney is in charge of arrangements.

She was born March 5, 1917 to William and Anna (Rasmussen) Zimmer. She was born and raised on her parent's farm, a mile north and 4 miles west of Pleasanton. She was baptized April 4, 1926 at Pleasant Valley United Brethren Church. Wilma was confirmed June 16, 1940 at St. Paul's Lutheran Church at Peake. Her grade school years were at Prairie Bell School and she

graduated from Pleasanton High School in 1934.

November 18, 1939 Wilma married Raymond C. Carmann at St. Paul's Lutheran Church north of Riverdale. They made their home with Raymond's parents on their farm in Pleasant Valley for about 7 years. Raymond and Wilma moved to a farm they purchased north of his parents on March 5, 1946. After Raymond's death in 1967 Wilma attended Kearney State College for 2 years and received a secretarial degree. She worked for Edward Jones after graduation and retired in 1982. She was a member of Holy Cross Lutheran Church for over 40 years where she taught Sunday School, was active in Lutheran Women's Missionary League, Ladies Aid and choir. Her family was very precious to her and she traveled to Germany and all over the United States visiting them.

Survivors include daughters, Marcella Young of Pleasanton, NE and Carolyn Lyon and husband, Fay of Kennewick, WA, five grandchildren; Paul and Suzanne Young of West Richland, WA, Dan and Sarah Young of Pleasanton, Jeanne Jackson of Oceanside, CA, Misty Lyon of Benton City, WA and Mark and wife Andrea Lyon of Kennewick, WA, 13 great grandchildren and 1 great great granddaughter, numerous nieces and nephews and friends.

In addition to her husband, Raymond, Wilma was preceded in death by her parents and 4 sisters; Doris Ewer, Alma Darby, Mildred Lammers and Fern Pazdernick and 1 brother; William Zimmer, Jr. and all their spouses, granddaughter; Lynn Marie Lyon who is buried beside her Grandpa.

She was lovingly and faithfully cared for by her caregivers; Jeanne Wilson, JenaRae Hand, Alisha Quintana and Sarah Young until her transfer to Mother Hull.

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Tribute Wall



“ *Wilma R. Carmann*

January 29, 2023 at 11:14 AM



“ *Many years ago, I was a single mother with two children. Wilma used to sit with me in church and always was patient with my children. She was very sweet and loving...its been at least 15-18 years ago and I will never forget her kindness & caring. I'm sorry I haven't remained in touch with her...she was a good lady.*

Mary Bowman Halkyard - January 13, 2014 at 12:00 AM



“ *So sad to hear of the loss - Aunt Wilma I know you will be missed - God Bless*

Alan Pazdernik - January 12, 2014 at 12:00 AM



“ *What a grand lady! So sorry to learn of her passing. She left a lasting legacy.*

Shirley Juhl Spencer - January 09, 2014 at 12:00 AM

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“ *Grandma,
We love you. We will miss you. You are an amazing wife, mother
grandmother, great grandmother.. sister, aunt, and friend to many
people.. We were blessed to have in our lives. We will cherish our
memories with you forever. Rest in Peace. God called an Angel
home.
Love you
Mark & Andrea Lyon*

Andrea Lyon - January 08, 2014 at 12:00 AM