

In Loving Memory Of

LUCILLE ALLEN

November 10, 1907
Auburn, NE

October 4, 2003
Lubbock, TX

Funeral Services

Thursday, October 9, 2003~2:00 p.m.
First Presbyterian Church~Auburn, NE

Officiating

Rev. Tom Osborne

Songs of Comfort

“Bless This House”
“How Great Thou Art”
Ruth Leslie~Organist
Ron Bath~Soloist

Pallbearers

Jerald Allen Dennis Allen
Douglas Allen Grant LaFleur
Cindy Lou Coleman

Honorary Pallbearers

Dr. Paul Scott Dr. Brian Norkiewicz
Dr. Karen Agler Patricia Cannon

Final Resting Place

Sheridan Memorial Cemetery~Auburn, NE

Rose Lucille (Cowell) Allen, daughter of Lester Cowell and Mary Alice O'Neal, was born November 10, 1907 in Nemaha County. Lucille, as she was known to most, was baptized in the First Presbyterian Church in Auburn. She received her education in rural schools in Nemaha County, Auburn High School, and Peru State College. Lucille taught in Nemaha County rural schools for many years.

On April 17, 1933 she married Edward Elmer Allen. The couple became the proud parents of a son, Edward E. Allen, Jr., and a daughter, Meredith Lee Allen.

They lived on the farm until 1943, when they moved to Auburn and lived at 1421 17th Street for 49 years. In 1994 the couple moved to Marshall, Texas to be near their daughter because of Ed's failing health. After Edward's death, Lucille became a resident of Lubbock, Texas.

Lucille had been a member of First Presbyterian Church and later First United Methodist Church in Auburn. She had been a member of the Women's Association of the Presbyterian Church. She loved the game of golf, and won many awards playing. At the age of 82 she won the City Golf Tournament.

After a long illness, Lucille passed away at her home in Lubbock on October 4, 2003 at the age of 95 years, 10 months, and 27 days. She was preceded in death by her parents, brother Armond Lee Cowell, sisters Pearl Marie Gilbert, Ruth Reed, and LaVergne Garber.

She leaves to mourn her passing her son Edward E. Allen, Jr. and wife Glenda of Sun Lakes, AZ; her daughter Meredith Lee LaFleur and husband Grant of Lubbock, TX; grandchildren Jerald Allen, Dennis Allen, Douglas Allen, Grant LaFleur, and Cindy Lou Coleman; nine great-grandchildren; sisters Maxine Frederick of Lincoln; Dorothy Worthington of Beatrice; brother-in-law Jack Reed of Auburn; many other relatives and friends.