



Vera Grau

September 27, 2009

Vera Marie Grau, age 92, of West Okoboji, passed away Monday, September 28, 2009, at the Milford Nursing Center in Milford, Iowa. She was born on March 7, 1917, in rural Sioux County, Iowa, to William and Emma (Lutzen) Moeller. Vera graduated from Rock Rapids High School in 1935. She was united in marriage to Lawrence O. Grau on October 4, 1938, in Alvord, Iowa. Lawrence passed away on October 1, 1986. Vera was an active partner with Lawrence in the family farm. They retired from farming in 1984. Vera enjoyed spending her spare time playing cards, traveling and watching sports, especially the Minnesota Twins Baseball and Iowa Hawkeye Football. She also loved to watch her grandchildren and great-grandchildren participate in their sports. Vera was a member and leader of 4-H, where she was also a judge. She was a member of the American Lutheran Church in Melvin and a member of the First Lutheran Church in West Okoboji. Vera is survived by her son, Joey Grau, and his wife, Cheri, of Spirit Lake