



Marie Kannenberg

January 16, 1914 - February 1, 2005

Marie Kannenberg, age 91, of Maple Plain, Minnesota, formerly of Beach, North Dakota, passed away on Sunday, January 23, 2005 at Haven Homes in Maple Plain. Visitation will be on Tuesday, February 1, 2005 from 1:00 P.M. until service time at the Seventh-Day Adventist Church in Beach. Funeral services will be held at 2:00 P.M., Tuesday, February 1, 2005 at the Seventh-Day Adventist Church in Beach. Interment will be in the Beach City Cemetery. Marie was born into the homestead family of Charles and Mabel (Kirkpatrick) Smith on January 16, 1914, the oldest of six children. She grew up on their farm southwest of Sentinel Butte, North Dakota. Marie completed her elementary education in Sentinel Butte country schools and graduated from the Walla Walla College secondary school in College Place, Washington, in 1932. She had met a fine young man from north of Beach and on October 27, 1934 Marie married Kenneth Kannenberg at Terry, Montana. Except for one year "milking cows in California" during the 30's, they farmed virtually all their productive years, mainly on the Kannenberg farm just north of Beach. Just prior to Kenneth's death in 1984, they moved to a home in Beach. She enjoyed spending several years residing at the Golden Valley Manor and her final few years were spent in an assisted living center and nursing home near her daughter in the Minneapolis area. She was a member of the Beach Seventh-Day Adventist Church since her youth. Marie loved her life and involvement with agriculture. Additionally she loved to travel, loved music and always wished she could sing. Giving "her wisdom and advice" to the younger

members of her family was always a good natured event for her. She felt comfortable and at home in the beauty of the wind swept plains of North Dakota. Preceding her in death were her parents, Charles and Mabel Smith; husband, Kenneth and one brother, Homer Smith. Marie is survived by two children, Rita Dedeker and her husband Kenneth of Wyzata, Minnesota and Richard Kannenberg and his wife Esther of Boise, Idaho; five grandchildren, Del Jean Dedeker (Bob Lacher), of Wasilla, Alaska, Wendi Kannenberg (Doni Andregg) of Sandpoint, Idaho, Dean Dedeker (Evie Torres) of Eden Prairie, Minnesota, Jay (Judy) Dedeker of Apison, Tennessee, John (Elena) Kannenberg of Reynolds, North Dakota; thirteen great grandchildren and three step great grandchildren. There are two brothers and two sisters that also survive. They are Mae Davis, of Willows, California and Charles and Bonna Smith of Beach, North Dakota and George and Mary Smith of College Place, Washington and Vida Holman of Gresham, Oregon; sixteen nieces and nephews complete her family.

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