

Meverette Delouris Shipley

Meverette (Mev) was born near Lily, SD, on July 27, 1916, to Tolger and Galena (Brekke) Bekken. She grew up on the family farm in the Zeona, SD, area where she attended country school and went to high school in Sorum, SD.

Mev married Leslie Shipley on August 31, 1935, in Sturgis. They lived on a sheep ranch for the first few years, eventually moving to Nisland, SD. In 1961, they moved to Sturgis where she lived for the remainder of her life. Leslie passed away in 1967.

Mev enjoyed tending her flower garden and hosting coffee parties with her friends and neighbors. She had fond memories of her life on the farm near Zeona where the family was members of the Immanuel Lutheran Church. In Sturgis, she joined Grace Lutheran Church.

Survivors include her sons, Dwaine (Evelyn) of Loveland, CO, Darrell of Spearfish, and Ronald (Carol) of Great Falls, MT; and daughter, Wanda (Tim) Lydell of Mason, OH; seven grandchildren and nine great-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her parents; husband, Leslie; and siblings, Ted Bekken, Truman (Stub) Bekken, and Addie Killinen.

A memorial has been established to Immanuel Lutheran Church in Zeona, SD. Condolences can be sent to www.kinkadefunerals.com.



We thank you for your presence and condolences.



In Loving Memory
Meverette Delouris Shipley

July 27, 1916 ~ August 19, 2020



In Memory Of
Meverette Delouris Shipley

Date of Birth

July 27, 1916
Lily, South Dakota

Date of Death

August 19, 2020
Spearfish, South Dakota

Service

Monday, September 14, 2020, at 10:00 a.m.
Kinkade Funeral Chapel
Sturgis, South Dakota

Clergy

Pastor Tom Martin

Songs

"Beyond the Sunset" "Precious Lord, Take My Hand"
"How Great Thou Art"

Final Resting Place

Bear Butte Cemetery
Sturgis, South Dakota

"All the pain is over, every restless tossing passed. I am now at
peace forever and safely at home in heaven at last."

