



## Emma Jean Ten Eyck

December 1, 1940 - March 26, 2013

Emma Jean (League) Ten Eyck was born on December 1, 1940 in Stratton, Nebraska to Willard and Nellie (Rains) League. She grew up in Kimball, Nebraska and attended school there.

Jean married Delbert Ten Eyck on June 1, 1956 at the Four Square Church in Kimball, Nebraska and they were blessed with six children: Debra, Pamela, Susan, Geraldine, Delbert, Jr. and Duane. Jean and Delbert raised their family in Kimball, Dow City, Iowa, Valley and St. Joseph, Missouri before returning to Valley.

Jean has worked at K-Mart, as a waitress at Miller's Café, as an elevator operator and a switchboard operator but for most of her life she was a hairdresser. She enjoyed bowling, crochet and quilting. Jean was a loving, caring, out-spoken woman with a definite stubborn streak. Jean possessed the tremendous strength required to guide her family through difficult times. She enjoyed shopping, was well dressed and she treasured holidays with the family. Jean loved the color purple, listening to gospel music, chinese food and a diet Pepsi. Her pet peeves were, pretty much anything that Delbert was doing and could often be heard saying "I'll give you something to cry about". Jean passed away on Tuesday, March 26, 2013 at Valhaven Nursing Home in Valley, Nebraska at the age of 72 years, 3 months and 25 days. She was preceded in death by her parents Willard and Nellie, husband Delbert, daughters Jeri and Pam, grandchildren Amy Stahlecker, Jeremy and Joshua Russell and Wesley Ten Eyck and great granddaughter Alyssa Marshall. Jean

is survived by children Debra and Gene Cahoy of Valley; Susan and John Thornburn of Fremont, Delbert, Jr. and Heather of Fremont and Duane of Valley; 16 grandchildren and 21 great grandchildren; brothers Don League of Fremont and Chuck (Gloria) League of Blair.

# Tribute Wall



“ *Emma Jean Ten Eyck*

December 10, 2022 at 09:12 AM



“ *My heart is deeply hurt... Spending almost everyday at your house growing up... I will miss you... "Grandma" Jean...*

**Shelley Kempenar** - March 28, 2013 at 08:48 AM



“ *TenEyck Family, You're in my prayers and thoughts. I have so many great memories about working at the beauty salon and laughing with your mom. Remember those we love live in our hearts forever.*

**Linda George** - March 27, 2013 at 05:37 PM



“ *My prayers are with you all. Joni Vencil*

**Joni** - March 27, 2013 at 09:05 AM