



Helen Irene Haberberger

July 23, 1920 - December 31, 2021

Helen Irene Haberberger of Valley, Nebraska, formerly of Leshara was born July 23rd, 1920 to parents Albert W. Trimpe Sr. and Lena (Baker) Trimpe on a farm in Gallands Grove, Dunlap, Iowa. She attended country school at District #5 through the eighth grade.

The family moved to a farm between Dunlap and Earling, Iowa in 1928. Two rooms of the house were a log cabin which was built in 1857. The house had rooms built on later and was finished inside and out and looked like any old farmhouse. The two rooms which were the log cabin now stands in Potters Park in Harlan, Iowa as part of a museum.

She was baptized and confirmed at St. Paul Lutheran Church, Dunlap, Iowa at an early age.

She joined St. Marks's Lutheran Church in Valley in 1969. Helen was united in marriage to Clement G. Haberberger on June 18th, 1952. Clem passed away on October 14, 1985. They resided on a farm by Earling, Iowa until 1968 when they moved to Leshara.

To this union 3 children were born. Helen worked at the Douglas County Annex in Omaha for 12 years, and for the Thomas Fitzgerald Veterans Home for 2 years. She got her GED during her employment at the Annex, so that she could get a promotion in 1975. After retiring she worked for several years at the Longbranch Bar & Restaurant in Leshara.

She is preceded in death by her parents Albert and Lena, husband Clem, a daughter Sharon, two sisters Marie, and Gertrude, and a brother Albert Jr. (Bud), and a son-in-law Bruce Shirey. Helen is survived by a son Duane (Patti) Haberberger of Fremont, a daughter Louise Shirey of Omaha, grandchildren Linda (Wyatt) Swartz of Mead, Lisa (Aaron) Sailer of Omaha. Great grandsons Liam, Landry and Ledger Swartz of Mead. She also is survived by many nieces and nephews.

Funeral service 11 AM Wednesday, St. Mark's Lutheran Church, Valley, with interment at Pleasant View Cemetery, Leshara, NE. Visitation Tuesday 5-8 PM at the funeral home in Elkhorn. Memorials to the family for later designation.

Cemetery Details

Pleasant View Cemetery

Leshara, NE

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN 4. 5:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Helen Irene Haberberger*

December 10, 2022 at 09:12 AM



“ *So many wonderful memories of Aunt Helen. She always had a smile and a story. So blessed to have had her in our lives.*
Karen Alexander

Karen Alexander - January 04, 2022 at 07:04 PM



“ *Aunt Helen will be missed. She was such a beautiful human in every way! So thankful to have had her in my life!*

-Carrie

Carrie - January 04, 2022 at 02:31 PM



“ *Helen was so much fun to work with. She was truly a treasure*

Ed Bauer - January 03, 2022 at 08:51 PM



“ *So sorry to learn of the death of your mother, my aunt. I remember getting together at Grandma Haberberger's house when we were younger for dinner. With so many cousins it was so much fun.*
Susan Haberberger Peters (Greg Haberberger was my dad).

Susan Haberberger Peters - January 03, 2022 at 12:42 PM