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## **Ida Barker, 91**

**Aug. 21, 1900 — Dec. 11, 1991**

**AVOCA** – Ida Barker, 91, a former resident of Avoca died Dec. 11, 1991, at the Atlantic Care Center in Atlantic. She was born in Stanton County, NE., Aug. 21, 1900. She was the daughter of John and Wilhelminia Henke Wennekamp. She was one of 10 children in the family.

She married George Barker Jan. 29, 1925 in Avoca. They made their home in Avoca where he operated a plumbing and heating business. They were the parents of two children, Robert and Ila. She was a member of the Trinity Lutheran Church in Avoca. George died June 4, 1974. She remained in her own home until 1979 when she became a resident of the Salem Lutheran Retirement Home in Elk Horn. She became a resident of the

Atlantic Care Center, April 1, 1983.

She was preceded in death by her husband, George; one son, Robert; her parents and eight brothers and sisters, Bertha Bentjen, Carl Wennekamp, Emil Wennekamp, Martha Clausen, Bill Wennekamp, Otto Wennekamp, George Wennekamp and Wilhelm Wennekamp. Survivors include her daughter, Ila (Darrel) Larson of Atlantic; two grandchildren; four great-grandchildren; one sister, Clara Barker of Binkelman, NE., nieces, nephews and other relatives.

Funeral services were held Dec. 14, 1991 at the Trinity Lutheran Church in Avoca with burial was in Graceland cemetery, Avoca. Pastor Dean Sudman and Lay Assistant Wayne Paulsen, officiated. Knutson Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.