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Lucille Christiansen, 88 March 29, 1906 - Feb. 23, 1995

Webster City - Lucille B. Hanson Christiansen, daughter of Frank and Jennie (Rold) Hanson, was born March 29, 1906 in Shelby County. She was raised on the farm, attended the rural schools of the county and was a member of Altamont Baptist Church in Cuppy's Grove and the Bethel Baptist Church of Harlan.

Sept. 30, 1925, she married Carlton Phillip Christiansen at the Cuppy's Grove Baptist Church. The couple farmed until the fall of 1931 when they moved to Harlan. Her husband was active in the tank wagon and service station business in Harlan for many years. From 1950 to 1987 she worked at the Apparel Shoppe and at the Golden Rule Department Store in Harlan retiring in 1987. Her husband Carl died in December 1972. In 1991, she moved to a retirement apartment in Webster City. She died Feb. 23, 1995 at the Hamilton County Hospital in Webster City at age 88 years, 10 months and 25 days.

In addition to her parents and her husband, she was preceded in death by an infant son, Donald Paul and her brothers, Earl Hanson, Leo Hanson and Daniel Hanson. She is survived by a daughter Yvonne (Donald) Johnson of Webster City; a son Dewey (Martha) Christiansen of Mankota, MN, seven grandchildren, eight great-grandchildren; sisters-in-law Sadie Hanson of Harlan, Eva Hanson of Los Angeles, CA and Judy Hanson of Omaha, NE; ten nieces and nephews and other relatives.

Funeral services were held Feb. 27, 1995 at the Pauley Funeral Home in Harlan with Rev. Roger Crawford of the Bethel Baptist Church in Harlan officiating. Burial was in the Harlan cemetery with Curtis Johnson, Phillip Christiansen, Roger Johnson, Robert Schmidt, Scott Johnson and Scott Harrington casket bearers.