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## **Alma Ovidia Hartvigsen, 92**

**Feb. 22, 1902 - Feb. 19, 1995**

**Harlan** - Alma Ovidia Hartvigsen, daughter of Chris L. and Maren (Petersen) Hansen, was born Feb. 22, 1902, in Sharon Township, Audubon County. She was baptized and confirmed at the Bethany Lutheran Church in rural Kimballton.

Feb. 10, 1929, she married Hartvig (Harvey) J. Hartvigsen in Des Moines. The couple loved to travel, and toured each of the 50 states, and then various places elsewhere in the world. They lived in Lees Summit, MO, for many years. In 1986, they moved to the Elm Crest Apartments in Harlan. He died Dec. 13, 1990. She was active in many community activities through the years, including church and school activities, the Cyclone Community Extension Club, the Modern Seekers Federated Club, Chapter 373 AARP Club, Parks and Recreation Club, the Baptist Memorial Home Auxiliary, and Dial Club. She was also a member of the Danish Immigrant Museum. She belonged to the Presbyterian Church in Lees Summit for over 50 years, and had become a member of Immanuel Lutheran Church in Kimballton in 1986. She died Feb. 19, 1995, at Myrtue Memorial Hospital at age 92 years, 11 months, and 28 days.

Preceding her in death were her parents; her husband, Harvey; two sisters, Elena Jensen and Meta Jeppesen; and two brothers, Ole A. Hansen and Laurits Hansen. Survivors include 13 nieces and three nephews.

Funeral services were held Feb. 22, 1995, which would have been her 93rd birthday with Rev. John Riggle officiating at Immanuel Lutheran Church in Kimballton. Casket bearers were Waldo Johansen, Everett Johansen, John Smith, Ralph Mathiesen, Michael Jensen, and George Hartvigsen. Burial was in the Immanuel Lutheran cemetery in Kimballton. Burmeister Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.