

Lois Ruckman, 63

Feb. 4, 1941 - Jan. 29, 2005

PERSIA — Lois Ann Peters was born Feb. 4, 1941, to Wilber and Hallie "Chapman" Peters in San Diego, CA. She graduated from Persia High School in 1959.

Lois married Gordon Ruckman Jan. 28, 1960. She was a homemaker and worked at the cafeteria at Myrtue Memorial Hospital. She was a member of the Community Church of Christ in Persia. She died Jan. 29, 2005, at Bergan Mercy Hospital in Omaha, at age 63.

Lois is survived by her husband, Gordon Ruckman of Persia; four daughters, Kimberly (Edward) Hall of Orange Park, FL; Kelly (Charles) Rich of Centerville, MA; Tracy (Sean) Smith of Thurman; and Jennifer Ruckman of Persia; a son, Jody (Janet) Reinig Ruckman; 11 grandchildren, Rachel and Jennifer Hall; Jeffery and Christina Pedrick; Douglas, Matthew and Jonathan Rich; Ethon and Emily Smith; and Megan and Natalie Ruckman; a sister, Bonita Ameson of Omaha; nieces, nephews and other relatives.

Funeral services were held Feb. 1, 2005, at the Community of Christ Church in Persia, with Kirk Parsons officiating. Burial was in the Valley View Cemetery in Persia. Cutler-O'Neill-Meyer-Woodring Funeral Home in Council Bluffs, in charge of arrangements.