



Marie Minnie Burton

August 1, 1934 - November 17, 2019

Marie Burton, 85, of Iowa Falls, passed away Sunday, November 17, 2019 at MercyOne Medical Center in Des Moines. Funeral services will be 10:30 AM Thursday, November 21, 2019 at the Immanuel Lutheran Church in Iowa Falls. She will be laid to rest at the Alden Cemetery. Visitation will be from 5-7 PM on Wednesday, November 20 at the church. Those planning an expression of sympathy may wish to consider memorials to Immanuel Lutheran Church. Woodley Funeral Home, LLC of Iowa Falls is caring for Marie and her family.

Marie Minnie Boicourt was born on August 1, 1934, to Harold and Esther (Pederson) Boicourt of Duncombe, Iowa. She attended high school at Webster City High School. She later met her husband, Floyd Burton, at a square dance. She and Floyd were married November 8, 1953 in Webster City, Iowa.

Marie and Floyd eventually settled down to farm on an acreage southeast of Williams, Iowa where they raised two children, daughter Denise and son Tim. While Floyd farmed corn and soybeans, Marie fed the farm crew, ran for parts, grew a beautiful garden, and made sure the home was cared for.

Marie loved her family. Nothing made her happier than spending time with her children, ten grandchildren and eleven great-grandchildren. She and Floyd

also loved to travel and toured the country with their car club. There wasn't a relative, friend, or neighbor who didn't benefit from her kind heart and her oatmeal raisin cookies.

Marie was also an active member of the Immanuel Lutheran Church in Iowa Falls, where she attended Bible studies regularly. She was a member of the Ladies Aid, quilting group and the women's circle group. She enjoyed serving the community by volunteering her time at the local church women's thrift shop.

Marie also loved reading, gardening, attending Bible studies, and spending winters playing dominoes with friends and family on the patio of their Texas home.

Marie Burton is survived by her beloved husband of sixty-six years, Floyd Burton of Iowa Falls, Iowa; daughter, Denise (Jeff) Balvanz of Ames, Iowa; son, Tim (Becky) Burton of Alden, Iowa; ten grandchildren; eleven great-grandchildren; brothers, Marvin (Mary) Boicourt of Belle Vista, Arkansas, Tom (Sugi) Boicourt of Collinsville, Illinois. She is also survived by many nieces, nephews, great-nieces, and great-nephews. She was preceded in death by her parents, Harold and Esther Boicourt; brother, Dean; sister, Darlene and granddaughter, Jenelle.

Cemetery Details

Alden Cemetery

Alden, IA 50006

Previous Events

Visitation

NOV **20**. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Immanuel Lutheran Church
313 Lee Lane
Iowa Falls, IA 50126

Service

NOV **21**. 10:30 AM (CT)

Immanuel Lutheran Church
313 Lee Lane
Iowa Falls, IA 50126

Tribute Wall



“ We are so sorry for your loss. Marie was always so warm and gracious. She was a beautiful woman inside and out. We enjoyed visiting you both in Texas and Missouri. I remember visiting your family in Iowa when I was young with Mom & Dad and all of us kids and you welcomed us all into your home. I loved visiting you both every year at the Boicourt reunion. We are so sorry we couldn't be at the services as we were traveling and just couldn't get there in time. We are praying for your family. Marie will be greatly missed.

Angela & Kent Buckman

Angela Buckman - November 22, 2019 at 07:47 PM

DM

“ Our sympathy on the loss of a sweet lady.
Dennis and Bobbi Meints

Dennis and Bobbi Meints - November 20, 2019 at 03:53 PM

JW

“ Our sympathy for your loss and prayers for the soul of sweet Marie Burton. I will always remember the visits from our Iowa cousins each year, Floyd and Marie's RV setting in our driveway, and the two of them always interested in each of our lives. It was our pleasure to see both Marie and Floyd at the Boicourt reunion last month. I didn't realize it would be the last time we'd see Marie. Our love to the family. *Juanita (Aulbur) and Gary Willingham*

Juanita (Aulbur) Willingham - November 20, 2019 at 02:00 PM

DB

“ Although I very much wish I could attend the visitation and service to share these words with you in person, I was unable to make that happen. However, I will be there in thought and prayer. There are always those people that never leave ones memories when we move away. Marie (Floyd and Marie) are some of those people. Great Christian people who made a lasting impression on my life and good friends of my folks. Marie emulated simplistic beauty and her smile was always so gentle and warm. I grieve today with the Burton and Balvanz families. Hugs to you all. All my heart- Diane Wubbena Benyshek



Diane Benyshek - November 20, 2019 at 01:53 PM



“ Large Basket Garden was purchased for the family of Marie Minnie Burton.



November 20, 2019 at 10:17 AM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Marie Minnie Burton.



November 19, 2019 at 07:36 PM

FC

“ From the Packard Club purchased the Beautiful i
n Blue for the family of Marie Minnie Burton.



From the Packard Club - November 19, 2019 at 03:46 PM

TF

“ The Harvey Collett Family purchased the Divine
Peace Bouquet for the family of Marie Minnie
Burton.



The Harvey Collett Family - November 19, 2019 at 12:53 PM

AP

“ It was so wonderful to see Marie’s beautiful family come together to
care for her and support her in her final days. It was such an honor
to care for her and your family. I will never forget you all, especially
Floyd and our lovely late night talks. My thoughts are with you all
this week. ~ Allyson Palmer

Allyson Palmer - November 19, 2019 at 08:49 AM



“ Fairest of All was purchased for the family of
Marie Minnie Burton.



November 18, 2019 at 07:21 PM

DW

“ *Donna Wubbena lit a candle in memory of Marie Minnie Burton*



Donna Wubbena - November 18, 2019 at 01:10 PM