



## Ethel Tool

December 3, 1921 - May 5, 2013

Ethel Tool, 91 Elm Creek resident Ethel Tool, 91 of Elm Creek, died Sunday, May 5, 2013 at the Good Samaritan Hospital in Kearney. Funeral Services will be held 10:00 A.M. Thursday, May 9, 2013 at the Elm Creek United Methodist Church with the Rev. Jerry Schwarz officiating. Interment will be at the Elm Creek Cemetery. Visitation will be one hour prior to the service at the church. Memorials are suggested to the church or to the Elm Creek Fire Department. Condolences or personal reflections may be submitted at [www.osrfh.com](http://www.osrfh.com). O'Brien Straatmann Redinger Funeral Homes and Cremations is in charge of arrangements. Ethel Rose Tool was born December 3, 1921 on a farm in the upper Buckeye Valley near Gibbon, Nebraska to James and Pansy Winslow. She was the youngest of 8 children. Her mother died when Ethel was 3 years old and she resided with her Aunt and Uncle until she married. She attended school District 77, Overton, Odessa Public and Elm Creek School. She later obtained her G.E.D. which she was very proud of her accomplishment. In 1938, she married Donald L. Tool in Kansas. He died in August of 1984. She was very family oriented. She loved to cook, especially baking cinnamon rolls and pies and Potato salad. She also enjoyed sewing and crocheting. Her house was always open to guests. Ethel loved to play pitch and pinochle. She was a member of the Jolly Dozen Group, Senior Citizens, VFW Auxiliary and the Eagles Auxiliary and a 59 year member of the Elm Creek United Methodist Church. She is survived by her daughter, Ginny Bennert of Elm Creek; sons, Dick Tool and wife, Pam of Elm Creek, Jerry "JL" Tool of Elm Creek and Dan

Tool of Kearney; grandsons, Trace Tool, Tobian Tool and wife, Heather, and Tanner Tool; great grandchildren, Trista, Aspen, Emerson and London Tool. She was preceded in death by her husband, and son-in-law, Ray Bennert.

# Tribute Wall



“ *Ethel Tool*

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“ *ETHEL ROSE WAS OUR GREAT AUNT.WE OFFER OUR DEEP SYMPATHY FOR HER PASSING.WE HAVE FOND MEMORIES OF FAMILY GET TOGETHERS AND CINNAMON ROLLS*

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