



Velma Gartin

June 8, 1916 - March 1, 2012

Velma J. Gartin, 95 Kearney resident Velma J. Gartin, 95, of Kearney died Thursday, March 1, 2012 at her residence. Funeral Service will be held 2:00 P.M. Monday March 5, 2012 at the O'Brien Straatmann Redinger Funeral Home in Kearney with Hospice Chaplain Peggy Michael-Rush officiating. Interment will be at the Kearney Cemetery. Family will greet friends one hour prior to the service at the Funeral Home. Memorials are suggested to the Kearney Area Humane Society. Services Entrusted to O'Brien Straatmann Redinger Funeral Home of Keanrey. Velma J. Gartin was born June 8, 1916 in Naponee, Nebraska to William and Myrtle (Romjue) Kelly. She received her education at Naponee High School and attended Kearney State College. Velma taught country school before being united in marriage to LaVerne B. Gartin on March 4, 1936 in Phillipsburg, Kansas. The Couple lived in Franklin, Nebraska where they owned and operated the Gartin Grocery for more than 40 years. Velma was active in the Franklin United Methodist Church before moving to Kearney in 1985. Survivors include her daughters, Karla Lemburg of Alda, Nebraska and Janice Chisholm of Newton, Iowa; 11 grandchildren; several great grandchildren and 3 nieces. Velma is preceded in death by her parents; one grandson; one brother and one sister.

Tribute Wall



“ *Velma Gartin*

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“ *We would like to extend our sympathy to the families of Velma. She was a wonderful and thoughtful neighbor.*

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