



## Wilhelmina A. "Minnie" Vopat

April 15, 1923 - April 3, 2018

Wilhelmina "Minnie" Vopat, 94, of Kearney, died Tuesday, April 3, 2018 at Mt. Carmel Home.

Funeral services will be at 1:00 pm Monday, April 9, 2018 at O'Brien Straatmann Redinger Funeral Home. Interment will be in the Kearney Cemetery. Visitation will be Monday from 12:00 until service time. Condolences may be shared online at [www.osrfh.com](http://www.osrfh.com).

Wilhelmina Ann Bruha was born on April 15, 1923 in Ord, Nebraska to Frank and Emma (Maresh) Bruha.

Minnie was united in marriage to Van Vopat on November 10, 1942 in Ord.

She is survived by her daughter, Dorothy of Kearney; two sons, Frank of California and Gary of Texas; 17 grandchildren and great grandchildren; and a sister, Dorothy Meuret of Grand Island.

Minnie was preceded in death by her parents; her husband, Van Vopat; and a daughter, Shirley.

# Cemetery Details

## Kearney Cemetery

4400 Avenue I  
Kearney, NE 68847  
(308) 233-3244

# Previous Events

## Visitation

APR 9. 12:00 PM - 1:00 PM (CT)

O'Brien Straatmann Redinger Funeral Homes and Cremations  
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## Funeral Service

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Wilhelmina A. "Minnie" Vopat*

January 28, 2023 at 08:01 AM



“ *Minnie was such a blessing to me. I had the privilege of getting to know Minnie while caring for her husband. Van had the bluest eyes i have ever seen. You could just feel their love while you where in the presence of them. Minnie and I shared many stories of her life. I very much appreciated the fact she was such a strong active woman. After Van passed away we would write to each other; often each note or card would contain a piece of chocolate. My condolences to the family. Minnie you touched my heart in a special way. ((Hugs)) Cherlyn Hunt*

**Cherlyn Hunt** - April 05, 2018 at 06:31 PM



“ *So many memories we made together, with so much I owe you. But the simple memories; of your smile when you greeted me at the front door, your vigorous hugs, and the "Let have a cup of coffee and tell me how your life is going". Thanks for being there always,,, Gary Vopat*

**Gary Vopat** - April 05, 2018 at 11:44 AM



“ *Aunt Minnie was a sweetheart! From the time when I was little to our last visit I always enjoyed her. She was a hard worker! AND we agreed on many things, including politics. :) I certainly will miss her. Love you, Aunt Minnie. Eleanor*

**Eleanor Shimek** - April 05, 2018 at 10:08 AM