

Lenora B. Patterson

Feb. 21, 1920 - May 17, 2002

Funeral services for Lenora H. Patterson, 82, will be held Wed., May 22, at 10 a.m. at Trinity Lutheran Church in Wheatland with Pastor David L. Anderson officiating. Interment will be in the Wheatland Cemetery.

Mrs. Patterson died Friday, May 17, at her home in Wheatland.

Lenora was born February 21, 1920, in Potter, Nebraska, the daughter of Lambert and Tensia (Svenson) Johnson.

The family settled in the Wheatland area when Lenora was an infant. She was reared and educated in Wheatland, graduating from Wheatland High School in 1938. Lenora married Nelson B. "Nels" Patterson in Wheatland on May 5, 1957 at Trinity Lutheran Church.

She worked as a secretary in the offices of ASCS, FHA, Selective Services, the school, and was a bookkeeper at Laramie Peak Feed Store and Bohl's Hardware. Lenora was a member of Trinity Lutheran Church, HMB sewing club, Lutheran Women's Missionary League, and past secretary of the Wheatland High School Old Grads. She enjoyed gardening, crossword puzzles, and spend-

ing time with her grandchildren. Mrs. Patterson is survived by two children, David and wife, Darla Patterson and Linda Patterson all of Wheatland; two sisters, Elsie Jessen of Wheatland and Evelyn Stephens of Loveland, Colorado; three grandchildren, Sean, Krista, and Janell Patterson all of Wheatland; sister-in-law, Myrna Johnson of Oakland, California; and numerous nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by her parents; husband, Nelson B. "Nels" Patterson on April 7, 1966; two brothers, Herman Johnson and Thurston Johnson; and a sister, Edna Geringer.

Serving as pallbearers will be Don Stephens, John Stephens, Rick Geringer, Bob Johnson, Jim Geringer and Dan Cornwall. Honorary pallbearers will be Oscar Johnson, Kent Stephens, Ron Geringer and Don Moede.

Memorials to Trinity Lutheran Church, P.O. Box 216, Wheatland or Hospice of Platte County, P.O. Box 1025, Wheatland, would be appreciated by the family.

Platte Funeral Chapel of Wheatland is in charge of the arrangements.