

Sandra Berget

Sandra K. Berget, 48, South Wayne, died peacefully at home, surrounded by her family, Dec. 16, 2000, after a courageous battle with cancer.

Sandy was born Jan. 28, 1952, in Monroe, the daughter of Alvin and Shirley (Schliem) DeNure. She graduated from Black Hawk High School. Sandy married her sweetheart, Ronald Berget, on Jan. 18, 1970, at West Wiota Lutheran Church.

As a lifelong resident of the South Wayne area, Sandy was very involved with the school and her church, Our Saviors Lutheran. For 23 years, she worked as the head cook for the Black Hawk School District. She was a member of both the Parents Club and Booster Club, and a member of Women of ELCA. As an avid sports fan, Sandy especially loved to watch her children's activities. She loved music, especially country music, and enjoyed several trips to Branson. Sandy also appreciated the outdoors and spent many hours outside working in her yard. Sandy was very family oriented and never missed a family gathering. She always looked forward to the "annual family camping" adventure. She was a wonderful wife and mother and a trusted friend to many people.

Sandy is survived by her husband, Ron, South Wayne; three sons: Jamie Berget, South Wayne; Ryan (Shari) Berget, Brodhead; Casey, at home; a

daughter, Holli, at home; her mother, Shirley DeNure, South Wayne; two sisters: Renita (Dennis) Berget, South Wayne; Arlinda (Patrick) Faessler, Juda; four brothers: Scott (Vickie) DeNure, Monroe; Ronald, (Shirley) DeNure, South Wayne; Ricky (Marilyn) DeNure, Browntown; and Cary DeNure, Madison. She was preceded in death by her son, Perry Berget; her father, Alvin DeNure; and her brother, Curtis DeNure.

Funeral services were held Dec. 20, 2000, at the Wiota Lutheran Church. Pastor Dennis Perger officiated. Burial was in the Union Cemetery, South Wayne. A memorial fund has been established in Sandy's memory.

The Hanson-Hager Funeral Home, South Wayne, served the family.

Sandy loved her family—her husband, children, parents, brothers, sisters, aunts, uncles, nieces and nephews. She touched everyone in a very special way. Sandy's strength was amazing, and she will be missed and fondly remembered by all those who knew her.

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Harold Berry

Harold Berry, 88, Monroe, formerly of Argyle, died Friday, Feb. 7, 1997 at the Monroe Clinic Hospital.

He was born Dec. 24, 1908 in Mineral Point. He married Clarinda Gilbertson Aug. 18, 1937 in Dubuque, Iowa. Harold farmed in the Hollandale area until 1961, and later farmed in the rural Argyle area for a short time before retiring into Argyle in 1971. His wife died Feb. 19, 1985. In 1986, Harold moved to Monroe.

Harold was a past member of the Argyle United Methodist Church. He enjoyed playing cards and was an avid fisherman.

He is survived by a son, Roger (Manda) Berry, Monroe; and three grandchildren.

Funeral services were held Monday, Feb. 10, 1997 at the Erickson Funeral Home, Argyle. Rev. Mary Friederich of Argyle United Methodist Church officiated. Burial was in Woodlawn Cemetery, Argyle.

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Virgil Berget

Virgil M. Berget, 71, Madison, died on Friday, Jan. 6, 1989, at a Madison hospital.

He was born on April 15, 1917, in Gratiot, to Elmer and Alice (Engelbretson) Berget. He farmed in the Gratiot area, and then worked for Gidding & Lewis Machine Company in Madison until his retirement in 1982.

He was married to Esther Siedschlag until their divorce. He then married Agnes (Jentz) Gates in 1973. He was a member of Trinity Lutheran Church.

He is survived by his wife, Agnes, Madison; three daughters, Cheryl (Gus) Markowski, Cheyenne, Wyo., Rosemary Meier, Houston, Texas, and Paula (Matt) Swisher, Silver City, N.M.; a step-daughter, Karen (Charles) Dobson, Platteville; three step-sons, Jerry (Jayne) Gates, Dubuque, Iowa, Dale (Karen) Gates, Madison, and Ron (Debra) Gates, Brunswick, Ga.; five sisters, Myrtle (Phil) Carroll, Avis Mau, and Hazel (Lavern) Zuberbuhler, all of Gratiot, Joslyn (Duane) Shippy, McConnell, Ill., and Mae (Pat) Dunn, Cape Carol, Fla.; a brother, Merlin Berget, Gratiot; seven grandchildren; one great-grandchild; eleven step-grandchildren; and three step-great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were held at Trinity Lutheran Church, Madison, Tuesday, Jan. 10, 1989, with Reverend Wm. Gary Kobs officiating. Entombment was in Roselawn Memorial Park.

Pallbearers were Troy Gates, Craig Gates, Gary Everett, Mark Meier, Mitchell Meier, and Mike Dobson.

The Gunderson Funeral Home, Madison, was in charge.