



Nellie "Bonnie" Shepherd

July 17, 1928 - November 18, 2020

Nellie Faye "Bonnie" Shepherd, 92, of Bloomfield, Iowa passed away on November 18, 2020 at the Bloomfield Care Center. She was born July 17, 1928 in rural Wapello County, Iowa to Richard and Ruth Waller Donelson. Nearly everyone knew her as Bonnie.

On September 14, 1946 she married John Shepherd. They moved to California for a short time and then moved back to Iowa. They lived around the Drakesville area for a few years and then in 1976 they moved northwest of Drakesville and stayed there until they moved to Bloomfield in 1996. She spent the last year of her life at the Bloomfield Care Center. John passed away on February 22, 2015.

For much of her life, Bonnie did upholstery work. She also enjoyed antiques and restoring antique furniture.

She is survived by her son, Mike Shepherd of Bloomfield and many nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by her parents; husband; daughter, Judy Shepherd; five sisters; and a brother.

Graveside services will be at 10:00 a.m. on Saturday, November 21, 2020 at

the Breeding Cemetery north of Drakesville. Rev. Tim Frasher will officiate. Due to Covid-19, no visitation is planned. A memorial has been established to her family.

Cemetery Details

Breeding Cemetery

Drakesville, IA

Previous Events

Graveside Services

NOV 21. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM.

Breeding Cemetery
Drakesville, IA

Tribute Wall



“ *Nellie "Bonnie" Shepherd*

January 28, 2023 at 10:57 AM



“ *Susan Hougland lit a candle in memory of Nellie "Bonnie" Shepherd*



Susan Hougland - November 24, 2020 at 09:13 AM



Bonnie and John were the best. Kind and caring and always ready to help us. They were the beat neighbors. Our prayers are with you all

Susan Hougland - November 24, 2020 at 09:15 AM



“ *I'm so sorry Mike and to other family members who were close. I used to love visiting your folks. Aunt Bonnie had such great stories and I recall as a teen when she let us make buttons with that button stamp. Our prayers are with you.*

Tena Coop Hastings - November 20, 2020 at 10:53 PM



“ *Tena Coop Hastings lit a candle in memory of Nellie "Bonnie" Shepherd*



Tena Coop Hastings - November 20, 2020 at 10:50 PM

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“ To Mike Shepherd & Family: I have known your Family for years. Your Mom was my Aunt Helens Sister. And My Grandpa Van was Uncle Jims Brother. Your Dad was related by My Grandma Opal Blew who was a Sample and her Mom was a Shepherd. Which if I remember right Your Dad's Dad and Grandma (Shepherd) Sample was Brother and Sister. Sorry for your lose, God Bless You

Barbie Meredith - November 20, 2020 at 03:05 PM

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“ Barbie Meredith lit a candle in memory of Nellie "Bonnie" Shepherd



Barbie Meredith - November 20, 2020 at 02:47 PM

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“ Barbie Meredith sent a virtual gift in memory of Nellie "Bonnie" Shepherd



Barbie Meredith - November 20, 2020 at 02:46 PM

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“ *The world has lost another great person. She always made you welcome when visiting. The stories from the yester years was always my favorite to listen to. We don't know how lucky we are to have what we have. We will miss you. We will see you again in Heaven and party.*

Dan Manley

Dan Manley - November 20, 2020 at 07:03 AM