

Rieka Benhardine Schueler was born on January 3, 1934, in Le Mars, Iowa, the daughter of Andrew and Louise (Reelfs) Fruehling. She grew up and received her education in the Raymond community. On February 8, 1952, Rieka was united in marriage to Herbert W. Schueler. They lived and farmed in the Raymond area until 1987, when they moved into Raymond. She was a life member of St. John's Lutheran Church. Rieka enjoyed playing board and cards games and watching TV (especially Wheel of Fortune, Days of Our Lives and movies on the Hallmark network).

Rieka passed away Monday, February 23, at Glen Oaks Care Center in New London at the age of 92.

She is survived by her three children, Lynette (and Michael) Stueckrath of Willmar, Roger (and Rebecca) Schueler of Springfield and James (and Susan) Schueler of Raymond; thirteen grandchildren and numerous great grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her parents and her husband, Herbert in 2010; three sisters, Annie, Martha and Beatrice; and a grandson, Aaron Schueler in 2003.

Celebrating the Life of



Rieka B. Schueler

1934 — 2026

In Loving Memory Of

Rieka B. Schueler

January 3, 1934

Le Mars, Iowa

February 23, 2026

Willmar, Minnesota

*God's finger touched Rieka
and she slipped away*

From earth's dark shadows to a brighter day;

God saw the road was getting rough,

The hills were hard to climb;

He gently closed her weary eyes,

And whispered, "Peace be thine."

To a beautiful garden this friend has gone,

To a land of perfect rest;

Though Rieka is gone she still lives on

In the garden of memory.

Celebration of Life Service

Friday, February 27, 2026 - 2:00 p.m.

St. John's Lutheran Church

Raymond, Minnesota

Officiating

Pastor Andres Albertsen

Music

Pianist: Deena Steen

Honorary Casketbearers

Amy Schueler Tina Syverson Sara Stueckrath
Stacey Stueckrath Amanda Secress Brandiee Bode
Samantha Schueler Dakota Schueler

Active Casketbearers

Tim Stueckrath Scott Stueckrath Trent Stueckrath
Eric Schueler Lowell Syverson Emily Schueler

Interment

St. John's Lutheran Cemetery

Raymond, Minnesota

Peterson Brothers Funeral Home

"Celebrating A Life Remembered"