

Alice Taylor

December 14, 2014

Funeral services for Alice Taylor, 67, of Ankeny, will be 11:00am Monday, December 22, 2014 at Slininger-Rossow Funeral Home in Jefferson, with interment in the Jefferson Cemetery.

Friends may call at Slininger-Rossow Funeral Home in Jefferson between 10:00am – 5:00pm Sunday.

The family will greet friends at the funeral home on Monday, beginning at 10:30am, just prior to the funeral service.

Alice Taylor, 67 of Ankeny, was born on July 17, 1947 in Jefferson, Iowa. Alice passed away on December 14, 2014 at Iowa Methodist Medical Center in Des Moines.

Alice graduated from Jefferson-Scranton High School in 1965. She attended Wayne State College in Nebraska and obtained her Bachelor's degree and teaching certificate. Alice obtained her Master's Degree in Special Education from Iowa State University. Alice was one of the first teachers in the state of Iowa to obtain her special education certification.

Starting her teaching career working at the Iowa School for the Blind, Alice taught in the Kanahwa School District and at East Central High School in Miles, Iowa. After retiring, Alice substitute taught for the Davenport School District. Alice loved being a teacher and being able to work with youth. Alice was a life-long learner who also enjoyed traveling and spending time with her family.

Alice was preceded in death by her parents, Paul and Thelma Taylor. She is survived by her family, Larry (brother) and Marilyn Taylor of Coon Rapids, IA, Gene (brother) and Carol Taylor of Sun City West, AZ, Sharon Bell (sister) of Ankeny, IA, nephews Scott Taylor, Dave Taylor, Terry Bell, nieces Jane Taylor, Jackie Bell, Kim Contreras, Patty Eager, and Laura Bell. Alice is also survived by her great-nephews Matt Taylor, Reece Taylor, Josh Eager, Ian Contreras, Luke Eager, Micah Eager, and great-nieces Abigail Eager, Olivia Taylor and Sophia Contreras.