

TASTAD — The passing of Ruth Vahlborg Tastad (nee Bjelke) of Loreburn, Sask., occurred on Sunday, August 26th, 1990 at the Outlook Union Hospital. Surviving are her husband, Peder of Loreburn; daughter, Kathleen (Angus) McGillivray of Newmarket, Ontario; sons, Richard (Leone) Tastad of Strongfield, Sask., and Garth (Carol) Tastad of Saskatoon, Sask.; nine grandchildren, Peter and Margaret McGillivray, Tracie, Ryan and Chad Tastad and Kristan, Karen, Kirk and Sarah Tastad; sister, Dora (Axel) Johanson of Red Deer, Alberta and brother, Gunnar (Irene) Bjelke of Rocky Mountain House, Alberta. She is predeceased by her parents, Gustaf and Lina Bjelke and four brothers, Carl, Arthur, Andrew and Harold. Ruth was born in Diamond Valley, Alberta on April 27th, 1913. With the untimely death of her mother she took on the responsibility for the care of her father and brothers. On March 1st, 1940, she married Peder Arthur Tastad of the Loreburn/Strongfield area where they have resided until the time of her death. Ruth kept busy with her family, church and community. She taught Sunday School, was the church organist and conducted various choirs including a male chorus at Skudesnes Lutheran Church. She was an active member of the W.M.F. and a board member of the first Elbow Bible Camp. She was also a charter member of the Ladies Circle of Skudesnes Church. She enjoyed quilt making, gardening and entertaining her family and many friends. May God bless her memory. The Funeral Service will be held on Tuesday, August 28th, 1990 at 2:00 p.m. at the Skudesnes Lutheran Church, Loreburn, Sask. with Pastor Ken Wilsdon officiating. The interment will be in the Skudesnes Cemetery. Donations to L.C.B.I. (Lutheran Collegiate Bible Institute) at Outlook, Sask. or the Elbow Lutheran Bible Camp or a charity of your choice would be appreciated. Arrangements are in care of the **OUTLOOK FUNERAL CHAPEL**