

Obituary

Marla Jane (Conner) Anderson
1951-2013

Marla Jane (Conner) Anderson, 61, passed away July 3, 2013, at the Callaway District Hospital.

She was born December 1, 1951, in Arnold, to Billy and Alice (Hagler) Conner. She grew up in Arnold and received an associate's degree from Mid-Plains Community College in North Platte.

She moved to Iowa to work where she met her husband Larry Anderson. They were married on May 9, 1987, in Avoca, Iowa. They have two sons, John Conner and Roy Lee. In October 1987, they moved to Nebraska and lived in Logan County.

Marla was employed at the Central Implement in Arnold as a bookkeeper. Later, Marla and brother, Dennis, bought the John Deere dealership from their father, Billy, and uncle, LV Conner. The store closed in 1997. Marla then started working at the Cabela's call center in North Platte. She was the night supervisor until she retired this past May.

She enjoyed spending time with friends and family. In her spare time, she did a lot of arts and crafts and collected Santa Clauses. Marla had registered as an organ donor and her wishes were followed through.

Marla is survived by her two sons, John of Lincoln and Roy of Arnold; her mother, Alice Conner; three brothers, Allen Conner and wife Diane, Dennis and Bob and wife Renae; nieces, Amy Trinidad and husband Andrew and their children Conner and Addyson, and Amber Conner; nephew, Justin Conner; several cousins; stepchildren, Larry (Chuck) and wife Diane of Atlantic, Iowa, Jean Cohrs and husband Donnie of Lewis, Iowa, Teri Leighton of Atlantic, Iowa, Lauri Wyman and husband Lee of Griswold, Iowa, Sheri Walter and husband Mark of Atlantic; numerous step grandchil-



dren and great-grandchildren; uncle, LV (Ruth) Conner; aunts, Martha Jo Marlar and Pat Hagler Gale; step-grandmother, Hazel Ha-

gler; and a special friend Kent Holmberg.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Larry; her father, Billy Conner; uncle, Donald (Pete) Hagler; cousin, Cheryl Smith; aunt, Cap-tola and J.W. Andrew; uncles, D.L. and Edith Conner, J.B. and Catherine Conner; and cousins, James Conner and David Johnson.

Memorials may be sent to the family at PO Box 37, Arnold NE 69120.

Memorial services were held at the First Baptist Church in Arnold on Monday, July 8, at 10:30 a.m., with Pastor Gene Purcell officiating.

Music was a Congrega-tional Hymn, "Sweet By & By" by Donna Johnson and "Please Remember Me," on CD by Tim Mc-Graw.

Honorary pallbearers were: Oliver Pelton, Blaine Hagler, Eric Holm-berg, Justin Conner, And-rey Trinidad, Amber Conner, Amy Trinidad, Jene Hagler Byczek, Marcia Hill, Dennis Hill and Brad Conner.

Inurnment was at the Arnold Cemetery.

Custer County District Court

Closed Cases

6/4/13: Corby G. Leeper vs. Nicole J. Leeper - Dis-solution of Marriage Granted.

6/4/13: State of NE vs. Daniel T. Kinman - "Guilty" First Degree Trespassing and Obstructing a Peace Officer, M-I. Sentenced to two years probation, \$200.00 fine and costs.

6/4/13: State of NE vs. Joseph D. Brown - "Guilty" Third Degree As-sault, M-II. \$500.00 fine and costs.

6/13/13: Misty A. Norden vs. Clifford L. Norden - Dissolution of Marriage Granted.

6/20/13: Tina L. Berndt vs. Ricky D. Berndt - Dis-solution of Marriage Granted.

6/20/13: State of NE vs. Jeffrey P. Scott - "Guilty" Issuing Bad Check, F-IV. Sentenced to 18 months probation, fees and costs.

6/28/13: Justin T. Hoesel vs. Cheyenne N. Hoesel - Dissolution of Marriage Granted.

College Notes

Jessica Preston

Jessica Preston, of Arnold, has been named to the Dean's List at Nebraska Wesleyan University for the 2013 spring semester.

To earn a place on the Dean's List, NWU students must complete at least 12 credit hours with a 3.75 or better overall grade point average.

She is the daughter of Shelley and Robbi Smith and Wade and Patty Preston.

Riverview Apartments

By the residents of Riverview

The Arnold Community Birthday Party was held on July 1 with 34 in attendance. Melody Jennings brought three of her piano students to perform. The girls did an excellent job. The theme was 4th of July. The red, white and blue tables were delightful. Several people provided cakes and Riverview provided ice cream. Iced tea and coffee were also served.

FROG was held on July 2, as was Bible study with Pastor Gene from the Tallin church.

Greeters at the Quilt Display on July 4 were Anita McMurry, Nikki Holt, Jim and Sarah Peterson, Betty Sergun, Frances Scott, Viola Geiser and Dot Gast. Geri Webb, Jane Tucker and Dolores Weber were servers.

Jim and Sarah Peterson's visitors on Wednesday were Roger and Shar, Jane Tucker and Dolores Weber; and Friday, Kyle and Kayla.

Jane Tucker visited Jerry and Cindy Ahrens and Jessica Cowger, Friday morning. Mary Andre was a Saturday morning coffee guest at Riverview. Jane spent a lot of time in assisting Geri with the Quilt Display.

Frances Scott was visited by her niece Betty Jo and her son on Sunday. Friday, her son, Franklin stopped by. Pat and Peg also stopped by. Frances is proud of her girls being such a big help with the Quilt Display.

Hazel Stupplebeen's usual visitors were Bob and Sharon Forrester. Hazel took a tour of the quilts and Linda came to visit.

Dot Gast observed that the visitors to the Quilt Display seemed to really enjoy talking with old friends.

Lois Shields was escorted by Geri Webb to look at the quilts and hear a description of each. Lois has a collection of ceramic bears and doesn't

mind visitors when she is feeling well.

Marion Mohr enjoyed the Quilt Display. She had a nice visit with family that came on Thursday - Clay and Julie and Evan's family from Hershey.

Lester McMurray continues to clean up cedar trees on the farm.

Viola Geiser had Saturday visitors - Doris Bow-ers and Karolyn Duponcheel. Viola kept busy with many of the 4th of July activities.

Betty Sergun is pleased to have her daughter Ruth visit often.

Helen Rutz had her great-granddaughter Christa Eastburn and friend Hanah from Chicago visit. Friday, Kim Eastburn and grand-daughter visited. Saturday evening, Mo and Diane and Helen took a trip to Callaway to a birth-day party for Bud Hicken-bottom. On Sunday, she went to North Platte with Diane, Mo and Ann Seda.



Marion Mohr displayed two quilts that are very special to her at the 4th of July Blow-Out Quilt Show held at Riverview Apartments. (Kendra Veirs photo)

Residents View 55 Quilts at Riverview Quilt Show

By Kendra Veirs

Over 150 people enjoyed the 55 beautiful, intricate quilts that were on display at Riverview on the 4th of July.

Quilts ranged from being recently made to very old. One quilt traveled all the way from Kenya and was displayed. Another quilt was made recently by the Baptist women and each square represented a symbol from the Underground Railroad. Yet another quilt was a flower quilt made from old sugar and flour sacks. The wide variety of quilts left everyone who viewed the display in "aww" of the time and detail each individual seamstress paid to the quilt

while making it.

Riverview resident Marion Mohr had two quilts on display that were very special to her. The first quilt was made with bold, dark colors and had different decorative stitches on it.

"This 'crazy quilt' was made by Mary Brannan of Stratton, my grandmother. She was a dress-maker before her marriage. She stayed with families who needed sewing done for various members of the family," Marion said. "When she finished their needs she would move on to another family so she had lots of scraps."

She then made the quilt out of all the scraps and the decorative stitches,

birds and flowers, came from her artistic hands centered around her love for sewing. This quilt, still in excellent condition, is around 100 years old.

Marion's other quilt on display was a 'flower garden' quilt, made with pastel material, and also by Marion's grandmother Brannan.

"The printed fabric in the blocks were taken from fabric she made dresses for me until I was 10 years old. She gave it to me for my birthday," Marion said. "It is about 80 years old."

Marion concluded that the two quilts are real treasures of hers, as are each of the other 53 quilts that were on display to each of their owners.



Nyla Walker, Patty Lamberty and Elaine Anderson were among some 150 people who viewed the beautiful quilts on display. (Kendra Veirs photo)

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**Community
Calendar**

JULY 16 - Bible study and fellowship, Riverview, 2:00 p.m.; Domestic Abuse Crisis Center Support Group, 2:30 p.m., 425 S 7th, Broken Bow.

JULY 18 - Rotary Club meeting, 6:30 p.m., Cardinal Inn.

FROG'S CLASS: Every Tuesday and Thursday at 9:00 a.m., Riverview.

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