



## Angela Rose Ridgway

August 1, 1932 - January 4, 2020

Fairfield, NE resident Angela Rose (Svoboda) Ridgway, 87, passed away Saturday, January 4, 2020, at Mary Lanning Healthcare in Hastings, NE.

Memorial services will be conducted at 11:00 a.m., Friday, January 10, 2020, at the Fairfield Community Presbyterian Church in Fairfield, NE with Pastor Joyce Dean officiating. Inurnment will follow at the Fairfield Cemetery. In honoring her wish to be cremated there will not be visitation or viewing. The family will greet friends on Thursday, from 5:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m., at Fairfield Community Presbyterian Church in Fairfield, NE.

Memorial contributions may be directed to the family to be designated later.

Angie was born August 1, 1932, in Spring Ranch, NE to Albert and Rose (Nejezchleb) Svoboda. She grew up on a farm in Spring Ranch and graduated Fairfield High School. On November 20, 1953, Angie was united in marriage to William Carl Ridgway. The couple lived in Roswell, NM after they married, then settled in Fairfield, NE and managed the family farm.

Angie was employed as a paralegal with Sullivan Law Office in Clay Center, NE and later with Seiler & Parker Law Office in Clay Center, NE for the majority of her life. She also shared her talents at Ben Sherman's and Russell Stover Candies as a mint decorator. She was very involved in the community

serving on the Community Club, Library Board, Fairfield Presbyterian Church (Deacon), Fairfield Cemetery Board, Big Sam's Camping Treasurer, American Legion Auxiliary, and was involved with Scouting and 4-H with her children. Art and painting was one of her well-known and loved talents that was shared for 35 years at the annual Old Trusty Show in Clay Center. She enjoyed painting personal scenes on meaningful items that brought joy to others.

Angie is survived by her husband of 66 years, William (Bill) Carl Ridgway of Fairfield, NE; children, Greg (Kathleen) Ridgway of Birmingham, AL; and Sondra (Todd) Otto of Dickinson, ND; 7 grandchildren and 7 great-grandchildren; sister, Dorothy Madden; sisters-in-law, Mildred Ridgway and Gail Ridgway; and her nieces, nephews and their families.

Angie was preceded in death by her parents, Albert and Rose (Nejezchleb) Svoboda; brothers and sisters-in-law, Leland and Rita Ridgway, Rolland Ridgway, Dale and Norma Ridgway, Berl Ridgway, Vera Ridgway, Lucille Ridgway, Jack Ridgway, and William Madden.

# Tribute Wall

MB

“ *Sonnie and family. Sorry to hear of the passing of your mother. Our thoughts and prayers are with you at this trying time*  
*Mike Booke family*

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**Mike Booke** - January 09, 2020 at 10:32 AM

TM

“ *Bill, Greg and Sonnie,*  
*We are so sorry for your loss. We will always remember Aunt Angie's contagious laughter, love, and amazing kolaches.*  
*Love,*  
*Trevor, Karen, Chloe and William*

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**Trevor and Karen Madden** - January 08, 2020 at 07:11 PM

SS

“ *Bill, I am so sorry. Angie was such a great gal. Rest in peace dear lady!*

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**Susan short** - January 08, 2020 at 04:42 AM

LS

“ *Dear Bill and all your family.*  
*So sorry for your loss of Angie. We feel so fortunate to have met you both while wintering in Texas. We have fun memories of time spent together, eating out, playing cards, etc. we send Love and Sympathy and even though we will not be able to be at the service we hope to see you sometime in this new year of 2020. May God Bless you and give you peace and strength.*  
*Love..'*  
*Love, Mary and Lowell*

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**Lowell and Mary Smith.** - January 08, 2020 at 12:11 AM

WM

“ Our love and sympathy to you, Bill, Greg , Sonnie and families.  
Angie was a special, talented lady. May your wonderful memories  
bring you comfort as God supports you in the days ahead.

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**Warren and Evelyn Mitchell** - January 07, 2020 at 04:26 PM

GP

“ Sorry for your loss. Our thoughts and prayers are with you. May  
God Bless you and comfort you.

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**George and Sandra Petermann** - January 07, 2020 at 02:52 PM

TW

“ Bill, Greg, and Sonnie,  
  
Condolences on your loss.

Sincerely,  
Todd

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**Todd Wilson** - January 07, 2020 at 01:12 PM