



Irene C. Vandrovec

September 2, 1914 - December 7, 2018

Irene C. Vandrovec, 104, Valley City, North Dakota passed away on Friday, December 7, 2018 at the Sheyenne Care Center in Valley City.

Irene C. Jorgenson was born on September 2, 1914 in Valley City, North Dakota to Rudolph and Ida (Johnson) Jorgenson. She grew up and attended schools in Valley City and graduated from the Normal High School. She married Anton (Tony) Vandrovec on September 18, 1937, in Valley City, where they made their lifetime home. She was a member of St. Catherine's Catholic Church, Division 2 ladies aid, and the Noltemier Homemakers. Irene and Tony, along with several other parents, were instrumental in starting the original Open Door Center in Valley City.

She enjoyed flowers, cooking, gardening, canning and reading books from the library. She was a very loving and devoted person to her family, especially in the care of her handicapped daughter, Ann. At the age of 97, she moved to the Legacy Place where she continued to make many new friends.

Irene is survived by four sons and three daughters, Eugene (Alicia), Alexandria, Virginia, Robert (Marlys), Nacogdoches, Texas, Michael (Kathy), Fargo, North Dakota, Ann Vandrovec, Valley City, Jane (Tim) Kelley, Cottage Grove, Minnesota, Linda (Bob) Retterath, Green Bay, Wisconsin, and Neil (Jill), Valley City. She is also survived by a daughter-in-law, Beverly Vandrovec, Fargo; 14 grandchildren and 23 great grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her parents; siblings, Richard Jorgenson and Myrtle Schaper and two infant brothers; husband, Tony; son, Ronald and great grandson Tate Warpinski.

A funeral mass will be celebrated 11 am Monday, December 17, at St. Catherine's Catholic Church, Valley City. Visitation will be 5 – 7 pm Sunday, December 16, at the Oliver-Nathan Funeral Chapel, Valley City, with the rosary at 6:30pm followed by a prayer service at 7 pm. Visitation will continue one hour before the service at the church.

Funeral arrangements have been entrusted to the care of the Oliver-Nathan Funeral Chapel. An online guestbook is available at www.oliver-nathanchapel.com

Cemetery Details

St. Catherine Cemetery

Valley City, ND

Previous Events

Rosary

DEC 16. 6:30 PM (CT)

Oliver-Nathan Funeral Chapel
251 Central Ave. S.
Valley City, ND

Prayer Service

DEC 16. 7:00 PM (CT)

Traditions Funeral Services - Oliver Nathan Funeral Chapel
251 Central Ave. S.
Valley City, ND 58072
(701) 845-2414
o-nchapel@bektel.com

Visitation

DEC 17. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

St. Catherine Catholic Church
540 3rd Ave. NE
Valley City, ND

Celebration of Life

DEC 17. 11:00 AM (CT)

St. Catherine Catholic Church
540 3rd Ave. NE
Valley City, ND

Tribute Wall



“ *Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Irene C. Vandrovec.*



December 13, 2018 at 05:44 PM

JN

“ *To the families of Irene and Tony Vandrovec many happy memories and good visits in Valley City. May the Lord bless them both. J Dennis Nelson, Melbourne FL*

j dennis nelson - December 13, 2018 at 01:22 PM

BM

“ *Prayers and Thoughts are with you during this time. May Angels watch over you and guide you. Knowing Irene will be missed by many and know she is at peace. She was a Kind and Pleasant Lady to know.*

Barbara Hamstad Mason - December 12, 2018 at 08:02 AM

DA

“ *Diane Schuldt Alkire lit a candle in memory of Irene C. Vandrovec*



Diane Schuldt Alkire - December 12, 2018 at 12:33 AM

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“ *Donna Amann lit a candle in memory of Irene C. Vandrovec*



Donna Amann - December 10, 2018 at 10:40 AM

JV

“ *Jenny Vandrovec lit a candle in memory of Irene C. Vandrovec*



Jenny Vandrovec - December 09, 2018 at 10:49 PM

EA

“ *Ellen Anderson lit a candle in memory of Irene C. Vandrovec*



Ellen Anderson - December 09, 2018 at 08:02 PM

EA

“ *Irene was a caring person. I enjoyed taking care of her at the Legacy Place. She was a sweet lady. Rest In Peace.*

Ellen Anderson - December 09, 2018 at 08:02 PM