



## Joan Arlene Falstad

January 7, 1942 - October 1, 2019

Joan Arlene Falstad, 77, passed away Tuesday, October 1, 2019 at Sheyenne Care Center, Valley City, ND. Visitation will be held at St. Catherine's Catholic Church, Valley City, on Thursday, October 3 from 5:00pm to 7:00 pm with a prayer service beginning at 7:00 pm. A funeral mass will be celebrated at 10:30 am, Friday, October 4 at St. Catherine's Catholic Church, Valley City. Joan Arlene Marchand was born January 7, 1942 in San Francisco, California to Raymond and Edna (Anderson) Marchand. She began school in San Francisco until moving to the Fargo – Moorhead area, graduating from Moorhead High School. During high school and after graduation, Joan worked at St. John's Hospital in Fargo as a candy stripper and later worked at Perkins Restaurant, downtown Fargo. Joan married Mylo Falstad June 24, 1961 at St. Joseph's Catholic Church in Moorhead living in Moorhead for two years and then purchased a home in West Fargo, ND. In 1966, they moved to the Falstad Farm near Hastings, ND where they farmed and their children attended school in Kathryn, ND. In 1991, they retired from farming and moved to Valley City in 1995.

Joan was a member of St. Catherine's Catholic Church in Valley City. She was active in volunteering, a member of the Hastings homemaker's club, Catholic Daughters', and quilting club. Joan also enjoyed her "Coffee Cup" bowling league and weight watchers. Joan took the most pride in her family, she knitted blankets for all of her grandchildren and enjoyed following her children and grandchildren to all of their activities with Mylo.

Joan is survived by her husband Mylo; sons, Jeffrey (Kristy) Falstad, LaMoure, ND and Paul (Tammy) Falstad, Kathryn, ND; daughter, Joy (Ritchie) Larson, Casselton, ND; eight grandchildren; two great-grandchildren and sister Patricia Peterson of Rochester, MN.

She was preceded in death by her parents, a sister Laura Marchand, and grandson Jordan.

Funeral arrangements have been entrusted to the Oliver-Nathan Funeral Chapel, Valley City. An online guestbook is available at [www.oliver-nathanchapel.com](http://www.oliver-nathanchapel.com)

# Cemetery Details

## St. Catherine Cemetery

Valley City, ND

# Previous Events

## Visitation

OCT 3. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

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

## Prayer Service

OCT 3. 7:00 PM (CT)

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

## Visitation

OCT 4. 9:30 AM - 10:30 AM (CT)

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

## Funeral Service

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OCT 4. 10:30 AM (CT)

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

# Tribute Wall



“ *Mylo and Family - Sorry to hear about the passing of Joan. Sending you my condolences.*

*Jeff Aas*

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**Jeff Aas** - October 05, 2019 at 07:34 AM

JP

“ *I will really miss seeing Joan and that beautiful smile. She has touched so many lives. Rest in Peace Joan.*



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**Jill Pederson** - October 04, 2019 at 12:13 PM

DL

“ *I graduated with Joan from Moorhead High School in 1960, and I live at Buffalo, ND now. I would like to express my sympathy to the Falstad family. David Baasch Lindaas*

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**David Baasch Lindaas** - October 03, 2019 at 09:39 PM

JN

“ *J Dennis Nelson lit a candle in memory of Joan Arlene Falstad*



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**j dennis nelson** - October 03, 2019 at 05:40 PM

SF

“ Steve Marchand and The Marchand Family purchased the *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum* for the family of Joan Arlene Falstad.



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**Steve Marchand and The Marchand Family** - October 02, 2019  
at 09:38 PM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet* was purchased for the family of Joan Arlene Falstad.



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October 02, 2019 at 08:15 PM

TG

“ *My sympathy on the passing of Joan. She is in a better place but therRome is still grief.*

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**Tom Goven** - October 02, 2019 at 11:50 AM

CN

“ *My sympathy to all the family at this time of loss. May God Bless each of you.*



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**Carol Nelson** - October 02, 2019 at 11:19 AM