



Lillian Avis Horsager

July 25, 1920 - June 24, 2015

The funeral service for Lillian Horsager, 94, Valley City, North Dakota formerly of Litchville, North Dakota will be 10:30 am Saturday, June 27, 2015 at the Oliver-Nathan Funeral Chapel, Valley City, with Rev. Daniel Faust officiating. Burial will be in the North LaMoure Cemetery, rural Litchville. She died Wednesday, June 24, at the Sheyenne Care Center, Valley City.

Visitation will be 5 pm to 7 pm Friday at the Oliver-Nathan Funeral Chapel and one hour before the service in the chapel.

Lillian Avis Tokle was born July 25, 1920 in Lake Park, Iowa, to Emil and Anna (Nygaard) Tokle. She attended school in Iowa and graduated from Excelsior High School, near Lake Park, in 1938. In 1946, she moved with her family to the North LaMoure, ND area, near Litchville.

On December 12, 1946, she married Birger Horsager in Moorhead, MN. They made their home on a farm in Litchville Township, ND. Birger died on November 16, 2009. In 2013, she moved to Valley City.

Lillian enjoyed quilting and gardening, word search and jigsaw puzzles.

She was baptized and confirmed at North LaMoure Lutheran Church where she had been a longtime member until it closed. Lillian was active in the North LaMoure Lutheran Church WELCA and had taught Sunday school.

Lillian is survived by her five daughters and two sons: Linda (Clint) Harriman, Avon, Connecticut; Joan (Roger) Sateren and Jean (George) Miller, all of Lakota, North Dakota; Sonia Kaltvedt, Moorhead, Minnesota; Avis Hovland, Berthold, North Dakota; Neil Horsager and Ernie Horsager, both of Litchville; 10 grandchildren and five great grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her parents; husband, Birger; grandson, Neil Horsager, Jr.; three brothers, Clyde, Lloyd and Ivan; and three sisters, Vivian Arthur, Marie Gray and her twin, Lila Haugen; and a son-in-law Merv Kaltvedt.

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

Cemetery Details

North LaMoure Cemetery

Litchville, ND

Tribute Wall

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“ *Our sympathy is with all of the family. Aunt Lilly was the last of the generation and Jody and I are thankful that we were able to spend some time with her and a few of my cousins last October, it was a wonderful visit and will continue to be a good memory. David Tokle*

David Tokle - June 26, 2015 at 08:11 PM

VH

“ *My sympathy to you on the loss of your Mother - may you find comfort in the days and weeks ahead through your faith.*

Vicky Justesen Hlubek - June 26, 2015 at 05:12 PM

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“ *Dear cousins ~ we are so sorry for your loss. A very special and sincere lady. We stopped at your mom and dads one afternoon (many years ago) - to say hello, and the next thing we knew, your mother had put together a complete and wonderful meal for us! We were expecting a cup of coffee (like all good Norwegians do) and maybe a cookie! So very kind and thoughtful of her, as we had several miles to travel that afternoon.*

Sending a big hug for each of you. Love, Yvonne and Doyle

Yvonne Euell - June 25, 2015 at 11:37 PM

SC

“ *Linda, Jean, Joan and all of Lillian's family,
My sympathy to all of you. I had such nice visits with your mother at Maryhill in Enderlin.
She loved her birthday parties and all the family and friends around her. Special times and special memories for all of you.*

Love, Sharon

Sharon Clauson - June 25, 2015 at 09:15 AM

SM

“ *Avis, Ernie, and your family. My sympathy you. Your mom was a very very nice lady. I know you will miss her. Blessed be her memory and now her spirit is in a place where there is no more suffering. Alleluia for that.*

Steve Mennis - June 24, 2015 at 11:11 PM