



Marjorie (Zink) Jorissen

November 14, 1939 - November 14, 2021

Marjorie (Zink) Jorissen, 82, of Valley City, ND, died Sunday, Nov. 14 at Sanford Health in Fargo, ND.

Marjorie was born Nov. 14, 1939 to Laurence and Francella Zink of Bordulac, ND. She was raised with her brothers and sisters on the family farm before graduating as an RN from the Sisters of St Joseph School of Nursing. She had a long successful and varied career as a nurse in several states. She married Walter ("Bud") Jorissen on May 19, 1975. They farmed near and lived in Valley City where they raised their son and daughter.

Marjorie will be remembered as a strong woman with a soft heart, as shown by her love and kindness to family and friends, neighbors, patients, and myriad animals. She was a sports fan, watching basketball and football, with a special attention to NDSU, the Vikings, and the Chiefs. She enjoyed playing cards and doing jigsaw puzzles.

She is survived by her husband, Walter; son Rod Jorissen of Valley City; and daughter and son-in-law Rene and John Russell of Moorhead, MN. She is also survived by her brothers: Vern (Bev) Zink of Bismarck, ND; Ray (Alita) Zink of Bismarck, ND; and Lester (Bernice) of New Munich, MN; her sisters: Marilyn (James) Hoffman of Palatine, IL, Carol (David) Hughes of Salt Lake City, UT, and Kathy Koenig of Kansas City, MO as well as her sister-in-law

Virginia Zink of St. Paul, MN. Her many nieces and nephews will mourn losing the aunt they loved and respected. She was preceded in death by her parents, her brother Gerald and infant sister Lucille.

At the family's request, there are no services planned but if you would like to honor Marjorie she always said "when I die, I hope people buy flowers for their selves or their loved ones and remember me."

Arrangements have been entrusted to the care of the Oliver-Nathan Funeral Chapel, Valley City. An online guestbook is available at www.olivernathanchapel.com

Cemetery Details

North Dakota Veterans Cemetery

1825 - 46th St.
Mandan, ND

Tribute Wall



“ I am sorry to hear about Marj passing, her gift of life ending on her day of birth. She was the best neighbor as I grew up and for so many years to my parents Sally and Herman. I enjoyed her company so much, she always took time to care for and check in on others, she was a great person to share a glass of wine and conversation with. Wishing special thoughts of comfort to Bud, Rene, John, Rod and her extended family. My sincere condolences to all of you, Alison (Wieland) Rein

Alison Rein - November 21, 2021 at 11:19 AM

RH

“ So sorry for your loss, thinking of you Bud, Rod, Renee

Rory, Karen, Terry Hunter - November 18, 2021 at 08:59 AM

RH

and Karen Too

Rory, Karen, Terry Hunter - November 18, 2021 at 09:02 AM

DJ

Bud, Rod, Rene, Kathy & all the family, I too was very saddened to read of Marj 's passing. We got acquainted @ the VA Hospital & she & Bud have been friends ever since. She was a very caring nurse & she would tell you where she stood. She cared for many & will be missed by many more. Bless her soul.

Devon Johnson - November 22, 2021 at 05:29 PM

RK

“ My sincere condolences. She was a very giving person and a wonderful nurse, she touched many lives in a positive way, rest in peace friend.

Rhonda Klein - November 17, 2021 at 08:34 PM

KJ

“ *I'm so sad to hear of Marj's passing. Always enjoyed visiting with her. Thinking of Bud, Rod and Renee*

kathy Jacobson - November 17, 2021 at 12:11 PM

JP

“ *We are so sadden to hear about Marjorie's demise. Jeff and I enjoyed visiting with Bud and Marj when we came up there to visit my parents in Valley City. She will be greatly missed. Our sincere condolences to Walter(Bud), Rod, Rene and John.*

Jolene and Jeff Payne

Jolene Payne - November 16, 2021 at 09:00 PM