



Muriel M. Bjerke

August 29, 1928 - April 27, 2013

Muriel Mardell Bjerke, 84, Valley City, ND, went to her heavenly home on Saturday, April 27, 2013. She died in her home, lovingly surrounded by her family.

Muriel was born August 29, 1928 in Hatton, ND, the daughter of Selmer and Mabel (Brenna) Huus. She attended school in Hatton, ND.

She married LeVern Bjerke June 25, 1948. They lived and farmed near Hatton until moving to Valley City, ND in 1960.

Her greatest wish was to pass on her deep faith in God to her children and grandchildren. She was a long-time member of Our Savior's Lutheran Church in Valley City.

Muriel is survived by her children: Karen Kratz, Valley City, Jack (Diane) Bjerke, Valley City, Cathy (Dean) Nagel, Las Vegas, NV, Loren Bjerke, Valley City, Judy (Hal) Estenson, Warwick, ND, and Vickie (Thomas) Reardon, Eagan, MN; 15 grandchildren, 3 step grandchildren, 16 great grandchildren, 2 step great grandchildren; sisters: Lorraine Mehus, Valley City, Darlene Hanson, St Cloud, MN, Deb (Ron) Huus-Peterson, Valley City, Linda Bass, Fargo, ND, and Jaci (Vince) Herrera, Round Rock, TX; brothers: Duane Huus, Emrick, ND, Steve Huus, Bismarck, ND, Mike (Theresa) Huus, Austin, TX, Joe Huus, New Salem, ND, Doran (Kathy) Huus, Mandan, ND, and Tim (JayDeen) Huus, Gillette, WY; and step-brothers: Robert Bristlin, Valley City and Ken Bristlin, San Antonio, TX.

She was preceded in death by her parents; husband; a brother, Selmer Huus Jr.; a sister, Elaine Kelley; a daughter, Janet Renae Bjerke; two grandsons, Josh Nielsen and Zayne Bjerke; and a daughter-in-law, Nicci Bjerke.

Cemetery Details

Beaver Creek Cemetery

Hatton, ND

Previous Events

Funeral Service

MAY 1. 11:00 AM (CT)

Our Savior's Lutheran Church
138 3rd St. NW
Valley City, ND

Tribute Wall

KA

“ Karen, Jack, Diane, Cathy and family, Please accept my sympathy. Your Mom was always a joy to be around.
Katie

Katie - May 10, 2013 at 10:44 PM

BM

“ Jack and Diane my Thoughts and Prayers go out to you during this time and may God watch over you during this and take care of you and in the time to com. May he also comfort you and make sure you are safe and give you peace. Barb (Hamstad) Mason

Barbara Mason - May 01, 2013 at 10:07 AM

DG

“ My most sincere condolences to Jack and Diane, their boys and the rest of the Bjerke family.

Dane Grebel - May 01, 2013 at 09:54 AM

DT

“ I didn't know Muriel well cause she and Laverne moved when I was young. Myrtle Bjerke was my Aunt. I did know her oldest daughter and son (Jackie and Karen) it was great seeing them at Bev Stavens funeral. My condolences to all members of her family. Prayers and sympathies to all family. Dianne (Groth) Tufte.

Dianne (Groth) Tufte - April 30, 2013 at 08:53 PM

DF

“ It is Okay to be Sad. It is Okay to Cry. But it is also Okay to Smile and remember the good times. I am so sorry about Muriel. She was a wonderful lady and will be missed by so many. Losing a loved one is so devastating. Treasure your memories!

With sincere sympathies,
Deb Feuerherm

Deb Feuerherm - April 30, 2013 at 02:54 PM