



Ruth Margery Freund

March 11, 1922 - June 21, 2017

Ruth Margery (Rygg) Freund passed away on Wednesday, June 21, 2017 at Elim Care Center in Fargo, N.D. She was born the daughter of Rudolph and Mildred (Johnson) Rygg on March 11, 1922 near Clifford, ND and graduated from Hope High School in Hope, ND. After attending Mayville State College and Interstate Business College; Ruth worked for Sweetheart Bakery in Bismarck, ND. Later she became the manager of Commercial Printing Dept. of the Valley City Times Record.

Ruth married John J. Freund at St. Agatha's Catholic Church in Hope, ND on May 11, 1949. The family later moved to Tower City. Family was of great importance and she had a great relationship with her sister MarAnn (Robert) Kamstra, Harker Heights, TX. Ruth and John raised 4 children who survived her. They are John (ChongAe) Freund, San Antonio, TX, Linda (John) Miller, Buffalo, ND, Robin (late Alan) Miller, West Fargo, ND and Lee (Ann) Freund, Spotsylvania, VA.

She is also survived by ten grandchildren: John P. Freund, Patricia (Greg) Whited, Danielle Miller, Matthew (Holly) Miller, Mark Freund, Kristen (Travis) Ganser, Kyla (Rob) Browning, Cody (Trisha) Miller, Michael Miller and Sarah (Ryan) Costa. Six great-grandchildren also survive her, Olivia and Isabelle Whited, and Mason, Blake, Riley and Payton Miller.

She was preceded in death by her husband, one nephew, and parents.

A funeral Mass will be 10:30 am Monday June 26, 2017 at St. Catherine's Church, Valley City, ND. Visitation will be Sunday, June 25, from 5-7pm at

Oliver Nathan Funeral Chapel, Valley City, ND, visitation will continue one hour before the service at the church. Burial will be at 2 p.m. Monday at, Hope Cemetery, Hope, ND.

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

Cemetery Details

Hope Cemetery

Hope, ND

Previous Events

Visitation

JUN 26. 9:30 AM - 10:30 AM (CT)

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

Funeral Service

JUN 26. 10:30 AM (CT)

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

Graveside Service

JUN 26. 2:00 PM (CT)

Hope Cemetery
Hope, ND

Tribute Wall

RB

“ *Sorry for your family's loss. May faith be your stronghold in grief.
Jude 3*

RB - June 28, 2017 at 10:43 PM

TB

“ *Your mom was a good friend to my Grandma Rosie at the Legacy. Those two ate together daily and we're both spit fires! I loved visiting with Ruth when I went to see Grandma. She truly was a great lady! My sincere condolences.
Tricia Breckheimer and family*

Tricia Breckheimer - June 26, 2017 at 01:56 PM

SS

“ *Don and I have so many good memories of your parents. And of Ruthie's smile and warmth. She drew people to her, and will always be part of our hearts. God bless.*

Sharon and Don Schaack - June 26, 2017 at 01:04 PM

MJ

“ *My sincere condolences to you for the loss of your Mom and Grandma, draw closer to family and friends share sweet memories of Ms Ruth so that others will know what a great person we lost for now but we await God's promise found in Revelation chapter 21 verse 4 to wipe the tears caused by death away from our faces. Praying for you all.*

Mrs Johnson - June 26, 2017 at 06:56 AM

TB

“ I have many memories of Ruth and the entire Freund family. I recall it was difficult to get away with anything. She kept us in check at all times. Sending my condolences.

Tom Berg

Tom Berg - June 25, 2017 at 08:43 AM

KZ

“ Ruth shared the same table at Elim with our mother Olive...She was always upbeat and interesting to listen to. Good memories.

Keith Zerface - June 24, 2017 at 09:53 AM

AM

“ I worked for several years with Ruth while she was in commercial printing at the Valley City Times-Record. I loved her feisty personality! Ruth and I visited several times after we both had left the T-R, and I always enjoyed those encounters. She was a great gal! I am so sorry for your loss -- she thought the world of her family.



Angie Martin - June 23, 2017 at 12:52 PM