

Joan Catherine Meyer

Joan Catherine Bertelsen was born on April 9, 1940, on her aunt's homestead north of Fairmount, ND. She grew up and attended school in Fairmount, ND. She was united in marriage to her loving husband, Lambert Meyer, and together they moved to Hankinson, ND where they raised their three children, Kristin, Russ, and Jeff.

Joan was employed at Wipperman Furniture for ten years, then went to work as a dental assistant for Dr. Howard Reinke, working at his practice for twenty years. She was a member of St. Philips Catholic Church, where she was involved in choir, teaching CCD, and Bible studies.

Joan loved spending time in the summer at their home on Ottetail Lake. Upon Lambert's retirement in 2000, they moved to the lake full-time. For twenty-four years they enjoyed playing cards, making friends, and having fun family times. Joan spent fourteen years as a volunteer at Richville Methodist Church Clothing mission. With a true servant's heart, she loved her time at the mission and everyone enjoyed her many touching stories from her time there. Joan loved people. She loved talking and getting to know everyone. She was a good cook and always made sure everyone had more than enough to eat. Her grandchildren and great-grandchildren were her pride and joy. She loved spending time at all their many activities through the years.

Joan will be dearly missed and forever cherished.

Joan is survived by her husband, Lambert Meyer, Ottetail, MN; her children, Kristin (Phillip) Glogoza of Fargo, ND, Russ (Beth) Meyer of Fargo, ND, and Jeff (Nicki) Meyer of Clifton, CO; grandchildren, Andrew (Margo) Glogoza and their children Gabriel, Theodore, and Gwendolyn of Casselton, ND, Matthew (Audrey) Glogoza of Fishers, IN, Benjamin (Kaitlyn) Glogoza of Grand Forks, ND, Emma (Ryan) Weeks of Fargo, ND, Dillon (Jacob Haugen) Meyer of Grand Forks, ND, and Allyson (Brad) Nordick and their children Olivia and Penelope of Fargo, ND.

She was preceded in death by her parents Catherine and Jens Bertelsen and her stepfather Pat Goggin.



In Loving

M E M O R Y



Joan Catherine Meyer
1940 - 2024



God looked around his garden

And found an empty place,

He then looked down upon the earth

And saw your tired face.

He put his arms around you

And lifted you to rest.

God's garden must be beautiful

He always takes the best.

He saw the road was getting rough

And the hills were hard to climb.

So he closed your weary eyelids

And whispered, 'PEACE BE THINE'.

It broke our hearts to lose you

But you didn't go alone,

For part of us went with you

The day God called you home.



Jean Catherine Meyer



Born

April 9, 1940 | Rural Fairmount, North Dakota

Passed Away

November 15, 2024 | Richville, Minnesota

Age

76 Years | 11 Months | 11 Days

Funeral Mass

10:30 AM | Wednesday, November 20, 2024
St. John's Catholic Church | Wahpeton, North Dakota

Officiant

Fr. Greg Haman

Organist

Pat Keaveny

Cantor

Brian Olsen

Congregational Hymns

"On Eagles Wings" | "Shelter Me, O God" | "I Am The Bread Of Life"
"Song Of Farewell" | "Let There Be Peace on Earth"

Pallbearers

Andrew Glogoza | Matthew Glogoza | Benjamin Glogoza
Dillon Meyer | Allyson Nordick | Emma Weeks

Interment

Fairmount Cemetery | Fairmount, North Dakota