Today I Went To Heaven

My heart is so full of joy today, That's because I am in heaven to stay. Not just a visit or vacation you see, But with Jesus for all eternity.

I know I fought hard to stay longer on earth, But that was before I knew heaven's real worth. Oh, my loved ones if you only could see, You would never grieve or shed a tear, But only wish that you were here.

The journey of death I somewhat did fear, But Jesus helped me and was always near. There is no more sorrow or pain to bear, Just happiness and joy to share.

Don't grieve or sorrow my loved ones dear, I was not cheated of life as I fear. Jesus has shown me eternal gain, For all of the sadness, heartache and pain.

Praise God for Jesus who died on the tree, And made all this for you and for me. It is not goodbye my loved ones dear, But only farewell until you get here.

Goglin Funeral Homes are honored to serve the family and friends of Elva Brosz.



In Loving Memory



Elva Brosz

February 22, 1929 – June 26, 2023

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PRAYER SERVICE 7:00 p.m. Wednesday, June 28, 2023 Goglin Funeral Chapel Tripp, South Dakota

FUNERAL SERVICE 10:30 a.m. Thursday, June 29, 2023 Friedens Reformed Church Tripp, South Dakota

CLERGY Pastor Andy Underhile

MUSIC Pinky Huether – accompanist

> *How Great Thou Art Amazing Grace I Shall Not Be Moved*

PALLBEARERS Steve Permann, Joel Permann, Dennis Permann, Dan Brosz, Kelly Kost & Duane Bueber

> HONORARY PALLBEARERS Gwen Maag, Carol Adams, Norma Mogck, Gail Flaa & Jeff Maag

INTERMENT Friedens Reformed Church Cemetery Tripp, South Dakota Edward and Lydia (Fauth) Kost welcomed their fourth child to the family, February 22, 1929. Elva was their first and only daughter. She grew up with three older brothers on a farm southeast of Clayton, SD. Elva always wanted a sister and her wish almost came true. Instead, she ended up with three wonderful sisters-in-law. After graduating from eighth grade country school, Elva's dad needed her help on the farm because her brothers weren't home to help. She helped her dad with all the chores and any farm work that needed to be done. She met her future husband at a local hangout called Groveland, which was near Tyndall, SD.

Elva married Loren Brosz at the Parkston Congregational Church on the afternoon of Easter Sunday, April 10, 1955. They lived a year and a half with Loren's parents in Tripp until Loren finished building their house across the street. Elva enjoyed living in this house until February 2020 when she moved to assisted living in Parkston. Elva and Loren shared 35 years of marriage until Loren passed away, November 6, 1990. They attended local dances and loved to visit family in Oregon and Custer. They were blessed with three children, Scott, Monte and Robin. Elva held various jobs which included working at the Good Samaritan Nursing Center in Tripp for 20 years. After that she was employed as a homemaker through ROCS services. Elva sewed, gardened, canned and baked cakes, pies, rolls, bread and kuchen for her family. She was also known for her delicious German dishes, knoephla and strudels. Elva made quilts by hand from embroidered blocks she stitched. Her favorite hymn was I Shall Not Be Moved along with her favorite Bible verse, John 3:16.

Elva, age 94, passed away Monday, June 26, 2023 at Bormann Manor in Parkston with her son and daughter at her side.

She is survived by her son, Monte of Tripp; daughter, Robin of Sioux Falls and brother, Erwin Kost of Parkston.

Elva was preceded in death by her parents, Edward and Lydia; son, Scott in 1988; husband, Loren and brothers, Edmund and Raymond Kost.