

My Mother, My Angel

*Once upon a time an angel held my hand.
She wiped away my tears and helped me understand
Our time on Earth is brief; there are lessons to be learned.
Each precious day God gives us, another page is turned.
Every chapter full of memories, times of joy and tears,
Triumphs and defeats, through every passing year.
She loved us unconditionally, always by our side.
When no one else would listen, in her we could confide.
With gentle words of wisdom, she led us on our way,
Down the paths of righteousness if ever we did stray.
She saw the light in everyone and gave with no regrets,
Always from her heart, let's not forget.
Angels come in many forms; for me it was my mother.
With love I cannot say in words there'll never be another.
Every day I turn the page, in my heart will ever remain
Everything she taught me as I stroll down memory lane.
Thank you, God, for giving me the most priceless of all treasures.
Help my, Lord, to keep alive her memory here forever.
I pray that I can someday be everything she hoped I would,
That she's smiling down from heaven knowing she did good.
As we gather here today, there's no ending to her story.
Another chapter has begun, full of grace and glory.
God's called her to his heavenly home, part of his great plan.
Although it may be hard, we all must understand.
Faith is what is hoped for, things we cannot see.
Heaven is promised to all of us if only we believe*



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Charlene R. Ost, 74, of Mandan, passed away September 11, 2018 surrounded by family at Elm Crest Manor in New Salem, ND.

Charlene was born February 24, 1944 to Anton and Rose (Gerhardt) Veitenheimer. She was born, raised and educated in Glen Ullin, North Dakota.

She married LeRoy Ost on September 25, 1964. They were blessed with four children.

Charlene's kindness, gentleness, and generosity of spirit endeared her to everyone who knew her. Her quiet demeanor was combined with a positive attitude and she was not one to complain. She looked forward to going out to lunch, casino trips, and spending time with family and friends. Her strong Christian faith in God shined throughout her life. Family gatherings were especially loved by all as everyone enjoyed her baking. Her love of nature was evident in making sure the birds and squirrels in her backyard are fed.

In her career as a house keeper for Med Center One and later Sanford Health, Charlene's dedication extended many years until retiring in 2017. Though her illness was difficult, a high point and major accomplishment was a trip to Kent, WA, for her grandson's wedding.

These fond memories will be cherished by friends and family. We remember Charlene as a woman of quiet strength.

Charlene will be deeply missed by her daughters, LeeAnn (Randy) Binstock of New Salem, Nancy (Harvey) Schlosser of Mandan and Holly (Mike) Reichstadt of Randolph, MN; her son, Calvin Ost of Kent, WA; 8 grandchildren; 11 great-grandchildren; her sisters, Florence Schaaf of Belle Fouché, SD, Lucille (Jerry) Bechhold of Bismarck and Betty (Bob) Baker of Bismarck; and sisters-in-law, Florence Veitenheimer of Battle Ground, WA, and Florence Veitenheimer of Battle Ground, WA.

She is preceded in death by her parents; her husband, LeRoy; one great-grandchild, Faith Binstock; sister, Catherine Veitenheimer; brothers, Leonard (Elaine), Ralph and Ted; and her in-laws, Ted (Mary) Ost.

Following the burial the family invites you for lunch and fellowship in the Agnes Larkin Center.

In Loving Memory Of Charlene Ost

February 24, 1944 — September 11, 2018

Parish Rosary/Vigil

Monday, September 17, 2018; 7:00 p.m.

Weigel Funeral Home

Deacon Gary Mizeur

Gloria Wanner

Presider

Vigil Musician

Funeral Liturgy

Tuesday, September 18, 2018; 10:30 a.m.

Christ the King Catholic Church

Rev. Nick Schneider

Celebrant

Musicians

Melissa Mosbrucker & Karen Cicha

Lector

Joyell Binstock

Prelude

"Here I Am, Lord"

Opening Song

"You Are Mine"

Liturgy of the Word

Old Testament Reading

Wisdom 3:1-6,9

Responsorial Psalm

Psalm 25

"To You O Lord I lift my soul."

New Testament Reading

Corinthians 4:13-17, 5:1

Gospel Reading

John 12:23-28

Liturgy of the Eucharist

Preparation of Gifts Song

"Prayer of St. Francis"

Presentation of Gifts

Dylan Ost ~ Jake Ost

Consecration of Eucharist

Communion Songs

"One Bread, One Body" & "Ubi Caritas"

Final Commendation

"Song of Farewell"

Closing Song

"How Great Thou Art"

Casket Bearers — Grandchildren

Joey Binstock ~ Justin Binstock ~ Lakin Doll ~ Dylan Ost

Jake Ost ~ Brittney Helbing ~ Tanner Schwindt ~ Conner Schwindt

Interment

Mandan Union Cememtry

Mandan, North Dakota