

Jane Elizabeth Rick

Betty was born on April 2, 1941, to Robert and Mary (Mead) Raiter in Breckenridge, MN, the second oldest of seven children. She attended St. Mary's Catholic School and Breckenridge High School.

She married her husband of 66 years, Gerald Rick, on November 16, 1957. They had four children: Jimmy, Jerry, Patty, and Michael.

Betty owned and operated her clothing store in Wahpeton – Betty's "For Beautiful Reasons." She enjoyed traveling and reading and was an avid gardener. She was very proud to have been selected "Yard of the Week" several times by the local newspaper.

Betty loved her bowling trips, selling her Longaberger baskets, playing (and winning) bingo, and being active in the Zonta Club. She was a gourmet cook, baker, and all-around "Martha Stewart." Her husband was especially fond of her peach jam, which she canned every summer along with salsas, pickles, and jellies – many of which were donated to her parish, St. Mary's, which she was very active in.

Betty is survived by her children: Jerry Rick, Breckenridge, MN; Patricia (Al) Mateen, Eden Prairie, MN; Michael (Brenda) Rick, Wahpeton, ND; her nine grandchildren: Hollie (Jay) Peterson, Ren Rick, Maggie Rick, Adam (Sarah) Mateen, Alex Mateen, Nick Mateen, Jessica Rick (Matt Samuelson), Jenna (Zach) Blanchard, and Zachariah Rick; her ten great-grandchildren: Elton, Mara, Maeve, Rheia, Maren, Maisy, Charlie, Jayden, Mira, and Owen; her siblings: Robert Raiter, Katherine (Ron) Ricci, Richard (Ruth) Raiter, and Mary Jo (Jim) Haire; and several nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Gerald; her son Jimmy; her parents; and her brothers, William and Thomas Raiter.

In lieu of flowers, the family asks that donations be made to the new St. Mary's School building fund in memory of Betty Rick. Please put Betty's name in the memo.



In Loving Memory of
Jane "Betty" Rick



Born

April 2, 1941 - Breckenridge, Minnesota

Passed Away

November 4, 2022 - Breckenridge, Minnesota

Age

81 Years 7 Months 2 Days

Mass of Christian Burial

11:30 AM - Wednesday, November 9, 2022
St. Mary's Catholic Church - Breckenridge, Minnesota

Officiant

Fr. Leo Moenkedick

Organist

Joni Biel

Cantor

Kyla Mohs

Music

"Fly Like A Bird" - "On Eagles Wings" - "Hail Mary, Gentle Woman"
"You Are Mine" - "Song Of Farewell" - "How Great Thou Art"

Pallbearers

Adam Mateen, Alex Mateen, Nick Mateen
Zachariah Rick, Charlie Rick, Jay Peterson

Interment

St. Mary's Catholic Cemetery - Breckenridge, Minnesota



Blessed are the poor in spirit: for theirs is the kingdom of heaven. Blessed are the meek, for they shall possess the earth. Blessed are they who mourn, for they shall be comforted. Blessed are they that hunger and thirst after justice, for they shall be satisfied. Blessed are the merciful, for they shall obtain mercy. Blessed are the clean of heart, for they shall see God. Blessed are the peacemakers, for they shall be called children of God. Blessed are they that suffer persecution for justice' sake, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven. Blessed are you when men reproach you, and persecute you, and speaking falsely, say all manner of evil against you, for My sake.

