



Eleanore Marie Hayes, age 91, of Detroit Lakes, MN, passed away on Friday, March 02, 2018, at Essentia Health: Oak Crossing Nursing home in Detroit Lakes.

*E*leanore Marie Hayes was born January 13, 1927 in Salinas California to Benjamin and LuMina (Diagle) Joseph. She later moved to Minneapolis with her family where she graduated from Vocational High School in 1945. Eleanore was joined in marriage to Fredrick Walter Hayes in MPLS on September 14, 1946. They

spent many years in New Hope, MN. Later moving to Princeton, MN where they retired and moved to the family lake home in Crosby, MN. It was during this time that they became "Mr. and Mrs. Clause" spreading smiles to young and old alike in malls around the Crosby area during the Christmas season. In later years they spent time in Arizona before moving to Detroit Lakes, MN in 2008. They were each other's best friend for 68 years. Eleanore was a bit of an entrepreneur and while living in New Hope she opened her own hair salon called Eleanore's Beauty Spot. She owned and operated the salon for over 25 years. Which was impressive for women back in the 60's and 70's. Eleanore took great pride running a business where she set her own hours which gave her the opportunity to raise a family at the same time. She also was an avid seamstress. She loved creating patterns, designing and sewing clothes for her family. Her greatest joy came from her grandchildren. She loved watching them in their various sports and activities. A cherished memory was meeting Hayes, her first great-grandchild.

Eleanore was survived by three daughters: Denise Hayes Lawrenceville, GA; Lisa Provo, Detroit Lakes, MN; and Robin Lant, Suwanee, GA; six grandchildren; and one great grandchild.

Eleanore was preceded in death by her husband, Fred; a granddaughter, Alisha Marie Provo; and a sister, Virginia Micek.



In Loving Memory of Eleanore



The Twenty-Third Psalm

*The Lord is my Shepherd; I shall not want.
He maketh me to lie down in green pastures;
He leadeth me beside the still waters;*

*He restoreth my soul; He leadeth me in the paths of
righteousness for His name's sake... Yea, though I walk
through the valley of the shadow of death, I will fear no
evil: for Thou art with me; Thy rod and Thy staff they com-
fort me. Thou preparest a table before me in the pres-
ence of mine enemies: Thou anointest my head with oil;
my cup runneth over... Surely goodness and mercy shall
follow me all the days of my life: and I will dwell in the
house of the Lord forever...*



My Mother Died Today

My Mother died today,
her pain finally gone away
She leaves behind those who grieve
so sad to know she had to leave
She navigates now a peaceful place
spreading her wings with amazing grace
In her passing I did see
her undeniable love for me
Our hands entwined, our eternity aligned
Our forever together already assigned
Please Lord, let Mama know
I love and miss her radiant glow
She is now, and forever will be
a wonderful loving part of me
My memories, I hope will hold me fast
until we joyfully meet again at last
My mother died today,
her pain finally gone away



♥ Lisa

Words cannot explain how empty I felt the day you left us.
I love you and will miss you deeply mom.
I will never forget our talks, conversations on the phone.
How happy you were to see me when I finally came home.
I know you'll always be with me wherever I go.
I'll remember our travels together, for when you were happy to be
with your grandchildren and me.
I know you'll watch over me, my
guardian angel, my guiding light,
giving me the strength I need to
win this endless fight. Thank you
for all you've done, and given so
generously. I love you my
wonderful Mother. I won't say
goodbye, we will meet again
someday... We will pick up where
we left off before you went away.

♥ Robin



We Remember

Eleanore Marie Hayes

January 13, 1927 ~ March 2, 2018

Mass of Christian Burial

Saturday - April 14, 2018 - 11:00 a.m.

*Holy Rosary Catholic Church
Detroit Lakes, Minnesota*

Officiant

Monsignor Timothy McGee

Music

Susan Champa, Organist

"Amazing Grace"

"On Eagles Wings"

Urn Bearers

Eleanore's Grandchildren and Great-Grandchild

Alex Provo, Makensie Thompson, Brett Provo,

Michael Lant, and Hayes Thompson