

Frances Mary Hoppert was born May 15, 1934 in Hillview, South Dakota, the daughter of Frank and Mary (Kelsch) Malsom. She passed away Friday July 29, 2022 at Emmanuel Nursing Home in Detroit Lakes, Minnesota.

She was baptized and confirmed in the Catholic faith. Frances grew up and attended school in the Linton area graduating from Linton high school. She continued her education by attending beautician school in Milwaukee. Frances was married to Waldo Ashmore and moved to Detroit Lakes.

On February 20, 1975 Frances was united in marriage to Walter Hoppert in Denton, Texas. They made their home in Detroit lakes. Over the years Frances owned and operated Delight Lunch, McCarthy's Drive In and later a beauty shop.

She enjoyed various types of hunting, fishing, hunting wild boar in Texas, and golfing. Anything Walter enjoyed doing, she was sure to be there. Frances loved the outdoors, cooking wild game, and spending time with her family.

Frances is survived by her children: Robin (Susan) Hoppert, Rick (Merry) Hoppert, David (Jeanette) Hoppert, Jean Tipton, Linda Landry, Marlene Kenny, grandchildren: Chad (Heather) Sletmoen, Melissa (Dave) Heitkamp, Kristi (Jon) Jeffery, Joe (Lucy) Hoppert, Katherine Hoppert; 4 great grandchildren and 1 great-great grandchild; siblings: Larry (Eileen) Malsom, Paul Malsom, Betty (Terry) Owens, Delores Meier; and several nieces and nephews. She was preceded in death by her parents: Frank and Mary Malsom; husband Walter Hoppert; Walter's daughter: Judy Samuelson; and Fran's 5 brothers and 2 sisters.



A Beautiful Life To Remember



Frances Mary Hoppert

Life Is But a Breath

Life Is but a breath
Life is but a breath, O God.
It's here, and then it's gone.
My body struggles helplessly.
My suffering's been so long.
I fade like an evening shadow,
As my illness takes its toll.
I cried out in my misery,
In the bitterness of my soul.
The Lord looked down to comfort me,
In my anguish and my pain.
Your body will surely perish, child,
But I did not die in vain.
I will return for you,
Bringing triumph over silent mounds.
I'll call to you, my sleeping child,
With a shout and trumpet sounds.
"Now come into My Father's house,
The place prepared for thee.
No longer is there suffering,
Your soul has been set free.
Love is what you'll find here,
For all eternity."

-Kathy Hobaugh



In Loving Memory of

Frances Mary Hoppert

Born

May 15, 1934
Hillview, South Dakota

Died

July 29, 2022
Detroit Lakes, Minnesota

Funeral Services

Thursday-August 4, 2022-11:00 a.m.
Holy Rosary Catholic Church
Detroit Lakes, Minnesota

Officiated by

Father Chuck Huck

Accompanist

April Spaeth

Cantor

Jamie McDougall

Pall Bearers

Rabin Hoppert David Hoppert
Rick Hoppert Dave Heitkamp
Chad Sletmoen Jon Jeffery

Honorary Pall Bearer

Joe Hoppert

Interment

Holy Rosary Catholic Cemetery
Detroit Lakes, Minnesota

Arrangements by

West-Kjos Funeral Home
Detroit Lakes, Minnesota