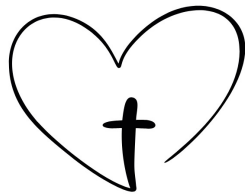




Our Mother

*How many times we've needed you,
How many times we've cried.
If love alone could have saved you,
You never would have died.
In life we loved you dearly,
In death we love you still.*

*In our hearts you hold a place no one can ever fill.
We miss you now, our hearts are sore.
As time goes by we'll miss you more.
It broke our hearts to lose you,
But you did not go alone.
For part of us went with you, Mother,
The day God took you home.*



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Celebrating the life of our dear

*Florence
Bullinger*

August 29, 1927-November 7, 2024

Florence “Flo” Bullinger, 97, of Mandan, passed away peacefully on November 7, 2024, surrounded by her loving family at Good Samaritan Society on Sunset in Mandan.

Florence, born August 29, 1927, to Art and Rosalie (Kruckenberg) Birkholz in Krem, North Dakota, was the oldest of 12, four girls and eight boys. She was educated in Hazen, and later lived and worked in Mandan where she married the love of her life, William Bullinger on March 1, 1949, at St. Joseph’s Catholic Church, Mandan. They were blessed with 6 children, 7 grandchildren, and 14 great grandchildren who were her greatest joy. Florence and Bill loved attending every school, sporting, and musical event they could.

After over 30 years working for St. Alexius Hospital as an Anesthesia Aide, Florence retired and spent several years working parttime as a hostess for Mandan McDonalds, lovingly referred to as “McFlo”, and for over 5 years she cared for two of her grandchildren, Taylor and Kaytlyn, while their parents worked, and until they were old enough to go to school.

Beloved wife, mother, grandmother, and great grandmother and a friend to all. Her love of God was reflected by the way she lived her modest life in simplicity, compassion, generosity, and love for all. She will always be remembered for her gift of hospitality, cooking, and baking, lovingly for friends and family from near and far away. Her kitchen was always open where there was friendly conversation and an understanding ear.

Florence will be lovingly remembered and sadly missed by her children: Charles (Lucinda) Bullinger, Bismarck; Harlan (Cheryl) Bullinger, Grand Junction, Co; Kenan Bullinger, Bismarck; Karla (Thomas) Hellman, Mandan; Kimberly (David) Schulz, Mandan; seven grandchildren: Jason (Kathy) Bullinger, Colorado; Angela (Jesse) Brant, Colorado; Jana (David) Wisthoff, Bismarck; Leah (Chris) Jahraus, Colorado; Bethany Bullinger, Colorado; Taylor (Atlanta) Hellman, Mandan; Kaytlyn (Brett) Patzell, Bismarck; and 14 great-grandchildren: Tate Bullinger; Quinn, Henry, Owen, Sam, and Elliott Brant; Lucy, Charlie, James, and Mark Wisthoff; Beckett and Harlow Jahraus, Lennox Hellman; Evelyn Patzell. Two brothers: Gerry (J.J.) Birkholz, Nevada; and Jim (Joan) Birkholz, Arizona; and four sisters-in-law: Marilyn Birkholz, Fargo; and Kathy Birkholz, Bismarck; Diane Birkholz, Bismarck; Mary Bullinger, Bismarck; daughter-in-law: Brenda Bullinger, Mandan; and many nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Bill, their son, Mark, her parents, and 6 brothers, and 3 sisters.

The family would like to give a heartfelt thank you to the staff at Good Samaritan Society on Sunset; they loved her and she loved them.

Prayer Service Tuesday | November 12, 2024 | 6:00 PM
Weigel Funeral Home | Mandan, ND
Presider Deacon Kevin Leingang
Funeral Liturgy Wednesday | November 13, 2024 | 10:30 AM
St. Joseph’s Catholic Church | Mandan, ND
Celebrant Fr. Josh Waltz
Musician Regina McLain
Opening Song “On Eagles Wings”

Liturgy of the Word

Old Testament Reading Ecclesiastes 3:1-11
Lector Angela Brant
Responsorial Psalm Psalm 122
“I rejoiced when I heard them say; let us go to the house of the Lord.”
New Testament Reading Romans 14:7-9
Lector Kaytlyn Patzell
Gospel Reading John 5:24-29
Homily

Liturgy of the Eucharist

Preparation of Gifts Song “Hail Mary, Gentle Woman”
Presentation of Gifts Karla Hellman | Thomas Hellman | Lennox Hellman
Kimberly Schulz | David Schulz | Evelyn Patzell
Eucharistic Prayer
Communion Song “I Am the Bread of Life”
Communion Meditation “Quietly, Peacefully”
Final Commendation “Song of Farewell”
Closing Song “Amazing Grace”

Casket Bearers

Pat Rohrich | Jason Bullinger | Taylor Hellman
Brett Patzell | David Wisthoff | Tom Birkholz

Graveside Service Mandan Union Cemetery

*Following the burial, the family invites you for food and fellowship
at the Mandan Moose, 111 11th Ave NE.*