

Lou Ann was born on March 16th, 1932 in Fargo, ND to Harold Madsen and Hazel Pool Madsen. She was the youngest of four, with three older brothers to help develop her athletic skills and competitiveness. She also enjoyed music, playing the clarinet and singing in various musical groups in her younger years. After moving from Steele, ND, to New England, ND, Lou Ann graduated from New England Public High School in 1950. She married Wilfred Schatz in December of 1950, and after a short stint in Denver, they moved permanently to New England, where they farmed and ranched until Wilfred's passing in 2001. Lou Ann was a 65+ year member of Eastern Star, and she loved her family, flowers (especially carnations), and her pets. Lou Ann is survived by one brother, David Madsen (Lois), Seattle, WA; her son, Mike Schatz (Patti) New England, and daughter, Suzie Schatz Hills (Dan), Sheridan, WY. Also surviving are 5 grandchildren: Sarah Schatz McGale (Thomas), Nathan Schatz, Amber Schatz Danks (Matt), Joshua Schatz (Kirsten), and Adam Benson (Jill), and four great grandchildren, Gavin, Daisy, Everett, and Owen. She was preceded in death by her parents, Harold and Hazel; her husband Wilfred "Butch" Schatz; and brothers' Jack and Edwin.



Lou Ann Schatz

March 16, 1932 - December 3, 2022



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MEMORIAL SERVICE

Monday, December 12, 2022 2:00 pm

Stevenson Funeral Home

Dickinson, North Dakota

OFFICIATING

Pastor Scott Skones

INURNMENT

At a later date

North Dakota Veterans Cemetery

Mandan, North Dakota

ARRANGEMENTS BY

Stevenson Funeral Home

Dickinson, North Dakota

Lunch will be served in the fellowship room

following the service.

Everyone is welcome.



*I still hear the songs,
I still see the lights,
I still feel your love
On cold wintery nights,
I still share your hopes
And all your cares
I'll even remind you
To please say your prayers.
I just want to tell you
You still make me proud.
You stand head and shoulders
Above all the crowd.
Keep trying each moment
To stay in His grace
I came here before you
To help set your place.
You don't have to be
Perfect all the time
He forgives you the slip
If you continue to climb.
To my family and friends
Please be thankful today
I'm still close beside you
In a new special way.
I love you all dearly
Now don't shed a tear
Cause I'm spending my
Christmas with Jesus this year
-by John W. Mooney, Jr.*