

Grace Ann Wallis

Grace Ann Meyer was born December 21, 1925, at St. Mary's Hospital, Wahpeton, ND to Nicholas and Regina Meyer of Wahpeton. She was the last surviving family member of six brothers and a sister; Gerald, Warren, Irving, Mary Ann, Lawrence, William and George Meyer.

Grace graduated from Wahpeton High School in the spring of 1943. She graduated from North Dakota State School of Science in Wahpeton and started working at Ottertail Power in Wahpeton. She retired after a long career at the Richland County Register of Deeds in Wahpeton.

Grace played French horn in grade and high school as well as with the Wahpeton City Band during public events. Music and her artistic abilities filled her life as it did with all of her siblings. Grace met her husband Dale Wallis who had known her father, Nicholas, musically prior to meeting Grace. On March 26, 1951, they married in a small ceremony on an Easter Monday. Of their many activities, they enjoyed spending time with friends and neighbors Square and Round Dancing in the Wahpeton area. Dale passed away in August, 2008, at the age of 86.

Grace lived a long and full life in Wahpeton where she was an outstanding cook and baker, and passed down a large collection of her favorite recipes. She was also known to carry on conversations with complete strangers about her cooking and family members with both parties ending in laughter and smiles. Grace is survived by her 3 sons; David, Paul (Deb), and Mark; 2 grandchildren Michael and Matthew Wallis.

Grace was a lifelong member of St. John's Church, with her last days spent at the Leach Home in Wahpeton and was well known for her smile.

The Wallis family would like sincerely thank the staff at The Leach Home of Wahpeton for their outstanding care and dedication to Grace and their residents.

In lieu of flowers, the family requests that any memorials be made to The Leach Home of Wahpeton or the charity of their choice.





In Loving Memory of
Grace Ann Wallis



Born

December 21, 1925 - Wahpeton, North Dakota

Passed Away

September 4, 2022 - Fargo, North Dakota

Age

96 years 8 Months 14 Days

Memorial Mass

11 a.m. - Friday, September 23, 2022
St. John's Catholic Church, Wahpeton, North Dakota

Officiant

Fr. Dale Lagodinski

Organist

Mary Jane Pauly

Cantor

Carmen Paquin

Interment

Calvary Cemetery, Wahpeton, North Dakota

*For God so loved the
world, he gave his
only begotten son
that whosoever
believes in him shall
not perish but have
everlasting life.*

John 3:16

