## Legacy of Love

A wife, a mother, a grandma too, This is the legacy we have from you. You TAUGHT US LOVE and how to fight, You gave us strength, you gave us might. A stronger person would be hard to find, And in your heart, you were ALWAYS KIND. You fought for us all in one way or another, Not just as a wife not just as a mother. For all us you gave your best, Now the time has come for you to rest. So go in peace, you've earned your sleep, Your love in our hearts, we'll Eternally Keep.

# First Lutheran Church - Morris, Minnesota Friday - October 4, 2024 Officiating Clergy: Reverend Rich Fitzer

#### **Special Music:**

Celebrating THE Life OF

Zona M. Jacobson

DECEMBER 19, 1940 - SEPTEMBER 29, 2024

Services At:

How Great Thou Art
Peace in the Valley
Take My Hand Precious Lord
as recorded by Elvis Presley

#### Pallbearers:

Tamra Hanson Michael Jacobson Curtis Jacobson

### **Honorary Pallbearers:**

All of Zona's Grandchildren & Great-Grandchildren

#### Interment:

Summit Cemetery Morris, Minnesota **Zona Mae Meis** was born to Kenneth and Viola (Huseth) Ritzschke on December 19, 1940 in Sanford Township, Grant Co, Minnesota. She was raised by her mother Viola and step-father Lowell Meis in Elbow Lake, MN where she was also baptized, confirmed, and attended school. Zona met the love of her life, Dale Jacobson, through friends. They were married on September 14, 1957 and just recently celebrated their 67th wedding anniversary. Following their marriage, they established a homestead in Morris, and welcomed 3 children: Tamra, Michael, and Curtis.

She enjoyed listening to Elvis, dancing, watching the races, and wintering in Florida with Dale for many years. Most importantly, Zona loved her family dearly. She cherished the time she spent with them, especially going to her grandchildren's and great-grandchildren's activities.

Zona died peacefully on Saturday, September 29, 2024, at her home in Morris, surrounded by her family. She was 83 years old.

Zona is survived by her husband, Dale of Morris; children: Tamra (Ken) Hanson of Herman, Michael (Marlene) Jacobson of Elko, and Curtis (Kathy) Jacobson of Morris; 6 grandchildren: Jennifer (Troy) Newhouse, Josh (Kelly) Mau, Erica (Brian) Dolan, Derek Heywood, Wes (Angie) Hoffman, and Lisa (Randy) Gades; 12 great-grandchildren; and one sister, Karen (Marv) Berkland of Coon Rapids. She is preceded in death by her parents; Mother and Father-in-law: Leonard and Esther Jacobson; brothers-in-law, Howard Tyberg, Richard Jacobson and Leonard Niemi; and sisters-in-law, Lynn Jacobson, Doris Pattison.









