

Ilene Mary Corcoran was born December 16, 1938 in Hancock, MN, the daughter of William and Mary Corcoran. She was raised in the Sedan and Glenwood area where she attended school. Following her graduation from Glenwood High School Ilene moved to Minneapolis.

Ilene began doing factory work and eventually took a job with Minnesota Rubber. She became a parts and quality inspector at Minnesota Rubber where she worked for thirty years.

While living in Minneapolis she met Wilfred Woida. Ilene and Willie were united in marriage at the Church of St. Mary in Alexandria in 1995. Shortly after their marriage the couple retired and moved to some property that Willie owned near Garfield, MN. They built a home and ran a small hobby farm for the next twenty years. In 2014 Ilene and Willie moved into Alexandria.

Ilene and Willie enjoyed life on their property where Ilene took nature walks and became an avid birdwatcher. She liked to read and loved being able to host large family reunions on their farm. During the month of March Ilene and Willie liked to travel the United States to see new things and visit family and friends.

Ilene was a member of the Eagles and the Veterans of Foreign Wars Ladies Auxiliary. She was a member of St. Mary's Church where she volunteered her time for the funeral lunches and many other church projects and events. On Wednesday, March 28, 2018 Ilene died at the age of seventy-nine years. She was preceded in death by her parents; and thirteen brothers and sisters. Ilene is survived by her husband, Willie Woida of Alexandria; two brothers, Bill Corcoran of Minneapolis and Tom Corcoran of Maple Lake, MN; and many nieces and nephews.

*In Memory of*

**Ilene Mary  
Woida**



December 18, 1938



March 28, 2018

*He stilled the storm  
to a whisper.  
The waves of the sea  
were hushed.  
They were glad  
when it grew calm,  
and He guided them  
to their  
haven of rest.*

*Psalm 107:29-30*

**Mass of Christian Burial**

Church of St. Mary

Alexandria, Minnesota

Thursday, April 5, 2018

11 AM

**Celebrant**

Reverend Father Steve Binsfeld

**Casket Bearers**

Bill Woida

Jerry Reineke

Tom Reineke

Adam Jones

Roger Jones

Kerry Jones

**Interment**

St. Mary's Cemetery

Alexandria, Minnesota

