

Elizabeth "Betty" Rose (Miller) Kuntz
Elizabeth Rose Miller was born on August 3, 1926 to Joseph and Rosemary (Hutmacher) Miller on their family farm south of Dickinson. She attended Frenzel School, south of Dickinson, through the eighth grade. On October 30, 1945 Betty married Henry Kuntz at St. Joseph's Catholic Church in Dickinson. They made their home, farmed, and raised their 11 children southeast of Dickinson on the Kuntz family farm. They farmed for 42 years before moving to Dickinson in 1987. Betty enjoyed the company of others throughout her life. She was a member of St. Pius Verein. Betty enjoyed the holidays and hosted Thanksgiving, Christmas, and Easter dinners for her family. She took great pride and joy in spending time with them. Betty always enjoyed cooking and was a cook at the Knights of Columbus Club for over 20 years. Betty was always generous with her time and volunteered at the Arc Aid spending time with her sisters and friends. If you couldn't find her at home or volunteering, she could be found playing a game somewhere around town. Her favorite was certainly BINGO!! She loved spending time at the bingo hall and going to the casino – usually with her sisters or with anyone willing to take her. She also enjoyed pinochle and could often be found playing pinochle at the sales barn, at home with family, and later at St. Luke's. She was ready for a game whenever she had the chance. Betty was best known for being a kind and loving person. She loved all of her children, grandchildren, great-grandchildren, and great-great-grandchildren and was viewed as a mom by others as well. She had a special spot in her heart for all of the children in her life and always had a treat in her pocket for them. She loved to see them play, laugh, and smile. As she got older, she enjoyed them visiting her and playing in her room at Evergreen and St. Luke's. She couldn't wait to see new pictures and get her hugs. A special thank you to Evergreen and St. Luke's for your compassionate and loving care. She loved you all!! Betty is survived by her children: David (Audrey) Kuntz, Belfield; Clarence (Joan) Kuntz, Dickinson; Marilyn Wanner, Gladstone; Adeline (Bob) Ingold, Manning; Arnie (Celine) Kuntz, Beulah; Arlene (Daryl) Stoltz, Rapid City;

Alvin (Dorothy) Kuntz, Dickinson; Janice (Bruce) Kouba, Dickinson; Joyce Klym, Dickinson; and Fran (Dick) Murdy, Pahoa, HI; siblings: Evelyn Wehner and Cathy Machunze of Dickinson; sisters-in-law: Loretta Miller, Lefor; Magdalene Kuntz, Mildred Kuntz and Rose Fitterer of Dickinson; brother-in-law, Pete Kuntz of Dickinson; and special family member, Janie Carlson. Betty was preceded in death by her husband, Henry; parents Joseph and Rosemary Miller; son Gerald, son-in-law Norman Wanner; brothers: Art, Frank, Mike, John, Joe, and an infant brother; sisters: Laura Weiler, Lucille Tormaschy, Rose Mary Kuntz, Dorothy Tormaschy, and an infant sister; sisters-in-law: Pauline Miller, Maggie Miller, Donna Miller, Eva Weiler, Shirley Guenther, and Beverly Kuntz; brothers-in-law: George Weiler, Richard Wehner, Victor Tormaschy, William Tormaschy, Fred Kuntz, Adam Kuntz, Leo Kuntz, Markus Kuntz, Eugene Fitterer, and Peter Weiler. In lieu of flowers, the family suggests memorials be given to a charity of your choice in Betty's name.

Elizabeth "Betty" Kuntz

August 3, 1926 - February 19, 2022



Today, February 19, 2022, our kind and loving mom, grandma, great-grandma, great-great-grandma, sister, aunt, and friend left us all broken hearted. She may have left this earth, but never our hearts. We love you Mom!

When tomorrow starts without me,
 And I'm not there to see;
 If the sun should rise and find your eyes
 All filled with tears for me;
 Wish so much you wouldn't cry
 The way you did today,
 While thinking of the many things,
 We didn't get to say.
 I know how much you love me,
 As much as I love you,
 And each time that you think of me,
 I know you'll miss me too;
 But when tomorrow starts without me,
 Please try to understand,
 That an angel came and called my name,
 And took me by the hand,
 And said my place was ready,
 In heaven far above,
 And that I'd have to leave behind
 All those I dearly love.
 But as I turned to walk away,
 A tear fell from my eye,
 For all my life, I'd always thought,
 I didn't want to die.
 I had so much to live for,
 So much yet to do,
 It seems almost impossible,
 That I was leaving you.
 I thought of all the yesterdays,
 The good ones and the bad,
 I thought of all the love we shared,
 And all the fun we had.
 If I could relive yesterday,
 Just even for a while,
 I'd say good-bye and kiss you
 And maybe see you smile.
 But then I fully realized,
 That this could never be,
 For emptiness and memories,
 Would take the place of me
 And when I thought of worldly things,
 I might miss come tomorrow,
 I thought of you, and when I did,
 My heart was filled with sorrow.
 But when I walked through Heaven's gate,
 I felt so much at home,
 When God looked down and smiled at me,
 From His great golden throne,
 He said "This is eternity,
 And all I've promised you."
 Today for life on earth is past,
 But here it starts anew,
 I promise no tomorrow,
 But today will always last,
 And since each day's the same way
 There's no longing for the past.
 But you have been so faithful,
 So trusting and so true,
 Though there were times you did some things
 you knew you shouldn't do.
 But you have been forgiven
 And now at last you're free.
 So won't you take my hand
 And share my life with me?
 So when tomorrow starts without me,
 Don't think we're far apart,
 For every time you think of me,
 I'm right here, in your heart.



Betty Kuntz

FUNERAL MASS:

Thursday, February 24, 2022 11:00 am
 St. Patrick's Catholic Church
 Dickinson, North Dakota

ROSARY & VIGIL:

Wednesday, February 23, 2022 6:00 pm
 Stevenson Funeral Home
 Dickinson, North Dakota
 Deacon Bob Zent

CELEBRATING:

Father Bill Ruelle

MUSIC:

Sandy Tibor Ana Tibor
 Dominic Tibor

READER:

Alvin Kuntz

GIFT BEARERS:

Shantel Klym Laura Fajardo

SERVER:

Oakley Kubas

PALLBEARERS:

Betty's Grandsons
 Curtis Kuntz Craig Kuntz
 Derrick Kuntz Nathan Wandler
 Ethan Klym Dean Wanner
 Justin Ingold Jeremy Ingold
 Brandon Kuntz

INTERMENT:

St. Wenceslaus Cemetery
 Dickinson, North Dakota

*Lunch will be served at Stevenson Funeral
 Home following the graveside service.
 Everyone is welcome.*