Joanne was born on February 10, 1932 in Land Township the daughter of Leonard and Luella (Strom) Rudell. She grew up in the West Central area and attended country school and graduated from Glenwood High School in 1950.

Joanne was united in marriage to Donald Olson on June 14, 1953, at the Farwell Lutheran Church. After their marriage the couple moved on a farm in Holmes City Township where they raised their five wonderful children. She was very involved at Oscar Lake Lutheran Church where she was Sunday School teacher, organist and also served as President of the ELCW. After her children were grown she worked as a CNA at Bethany Home.

Joanne greatest joy was her family – she was always interested in what her grandchildren and great grandchildren were doing. She loved working in her gardens on the farm – enjoying the flowers, fruits and vegetables it produced and had an overflowing heart for all of the animals that she would have during her life time!!

Joanne will be remembered as a strong woman, for her infectious smile, and her willingness to always help.

Joanne died on Friday, December 3, 2021. She is survived by her three children: Carol (Frank) Anderson of Minneapolis, Donna (Reggie) Stark of Moorhead, Douglas (Kari) Olson of Hoffman; 10 grandchildren, 14 great grandchildren and several nieces, nephews, cousins and friends. Joanne is survived by her sisterin-law, Audrey Olson

She was preceded in death by her husband, Donald; sons: Daniel and Calvin

# Remembering the Life Of



Joanne (Rudell) Olson 1932 - 2021

## **Psalm 121**

I will lift mine eyes unto the hills, from whence cometh my help.

My help cometh from the Lord, which made Heaven and earth.

He will not suffer thy foot to be moved: He that keepeth thee will not slumber.

Behold, He that keepeth Israel shall neither slumber nor sleep.

The Lord is thy keeper: the Lord is thy shade upon thy right hand.

The sun shall not smite thee by day, nor the moon by night.

The Lord shall preserve thee from all evil:

He shall preserve thy soul.

The Lord shall preserve thy going out and thy coming in from this time forth and even for evermore.

### *In Loving Memory of*

### Joanne G. Olson

February 10, 1932 & December 3, 2021

#### **Funeral Service**

Oscar Lake Lutheran Church Holmes City Township, Minnesota Saturday, December 11, 2021, 10:00 AM

### **Officiant**

Julie Carlson

#### **Pianist**

Sara Rensink

#### **Soloists**

Faye Giese Lonnie Stark

#### **Casket Bearers**

Rachael Johnson Adam Stark
Alecia Killoran Michael Stark
Blake Olson Bryce Olson
Amanda Anderson Lindsey Hrncir
Elizabeth Anderson Lance Hrncir

#### **Interment**

Oscar Lake Cemetery Holmes City Township, Minnesota

# **Arrangements By**

Anderson Funeral Home – Alexandria, MN