Mardelle Marion was born on March 7, 1924, in Carroll, Iowa the daughter of Martin and Catherine (Neppl) Ludwig. She attended school in Milford, Iowa and graduated from Milford High School in 1942.

On September 25, 1948 Mardelle was united in marriage to Arthur Warren in Milford, Iowa. The couple made their home in Spencer, Iowa where they raised their six children. Mardelle created a loving home, where she enjoyed baking, canning, working in her vegetable and flower garden. Mardelle and Art also enjoyed traveling throughout the United States, Mexico and Europe. The Warren family loved coming to their cabin in Alexandria and in 1972 made Alexandria their permanent home. She was a member of the Catholic Daughters.

Mardelle died on Wednesday, May 22, 2019. She is survived by her six children: Mark (Bernie) of Spencer, IA, Kent (Diane) of Jamestown, ND, Jeannine (Dennis) Owen of Mankato, MN, Dan of Alexandria, MN, Brad (Melody) of Alexandria, MN, Phil (Marcia) of Farwell, MN; brother, Don Ludwig of Emmetsburg, IA; twenty grandchildren, 38 great grandchildren, one great great

She was preceded in death by her husband, Arthur of 57 years; her parents, and 9 siblings.

grandchild and many nieces and nephews.

Our sweet mother will be forever missed. Her beautiful blue eyes and warmest smile will remain in our hearts forever.

## The Day God Called You Home

God looked around His garden and found an empty space.

Then He looked down upon the earth and saw your tired face.

He put his arms around you, lifted you to rest.

God's garden must be beautiful, for He only takes the best.

He knew that you were suffering.

He knew you were in pain.

He saw the road was getting rough,
and the hills were hard to climb.

So He closed your weary eyes,
and whispered, "Peace be thine".

It broke our hearts to lose you, but you did not go alone. For part of us went with you, the day God called you home.

#### Arrangements

Anderson Funeral Home Alexandria, Minnesota In Loving Memory of

# Mardelle M. Warren

March 7, 1924 † May 22, 2019



#### **Mass of Christian Burial**

St. Mary's Catholic Church Alexandria, Minnesota Saturday, May 25, 2019, 1:30 PM

#### **Officiant**

Father Steve Binsfeld

## Musical Selections By

Laurie Youngers Toni & Alex Edwards

### **Honorary Pallbearers**

Brianna Gustafson Hailee Warren Toni Edwards Taylor Owen

#### **Pallbearers**

Danielle Nelson Carrie Weimert Sara Wescott Maggie Whiting Cassie Haskell Holly Buchholz

#### **Entombment**

St. Mary's Cemetery Alexandria, Minnesota