



Dorothy Callahan

January 1, 1920 - May 13, 2007

Dorothy Lillian Callahan passed away early on Sunday morning, May 13th, at the Aicota Health Care Center in Aitkin where she has been a resident for the past 3 years. Dorothy was born to her parents Vincent & Selma (May) Smith on January 1, 1920 on the family farm in Bartlett Township. She was united in marriage to Emmet William Callahan on June 16, 1942 in Verndale. Emmet and Dorothy made their home in Verndale. Dorothy enjoyed baking, working on puzzles, following the Minnesota Twins and the local sports teams, making a home for her family and spending time with her grandchildren. Dorothy was preceded in death by her husband Emmet on Nov. 16, 1979; son Bryan on Oct. 6, 2001; her parents; brother Warren; son in law Douglas Ludovissie and 2 grandchildren William & Katie. She is survived by her son Mark (Joni) of Verndale; daughters Sharon Ludovissie of Rapid City, SD, Shirley (David) Winegar of McGregor, Marilyn (Robert) Neuerburg of Verndale; 11 grandchildren & 9 great-grandchildren; brother Melvin (Margaret) Smith of Wadena; sisters Beatrice (Monroe) Nichols of Staples, Lillian (Wilbur) Messer of New Hope, Evelyn Pundt of Wadena, Phyllis Pundt of Brainerd, Helen (Archie) Coson of Wadena, Delores Quick of St. Paul & Rosella Rudy of Las Vegas, NV. The Mass of Christian Burial will take place on Friday, May 18th at 11:00 AM in the St. Fredericks Catholic Church in Verndale with Fr. John Fleischhacker as celebrant. Pallbearers will be Chad Ludovissie, James Ludovissie, Daniel Winegar, Joseph Winegar, Michael Winegar, Steven Winegar, Jason Neuerburg, Nathan Neuerburg and Matthew Callahan. Burial

will take place in the St. Fredericks Catholic Cemetery.

Tribute Wall

JN

“ *Enjoyed coffee, cookies and visiting at her house.*

Her smile was contagious.

Jim & Sharon Neuerburg - May 13, 2007 at 12:00 AM

PT

“ *We would just like for you all to know that our thoughts and prayers are with you in this time of loss.*

Pam Resch Roger Thompson - May 13, 2007 at 12:00 AM

DA

“ *Dear Shirley and Family, Sorry for your lose. Now Dorothy is at rest, and in a HAPPY place. Take Care and be HAPPY for her. Love, Debbie*

Debbie Anderson - May 13, 2007 at 12:00 AM

DT

“ *We were so sorry to hear about your loss. I remember Dorothy always smiling and I loved talking with her. I'll never forget being invited to her house for Christmas Eve when I first moved here. I bet Santa never saw so many presents! Lots of love was in that home. For those of you who liked the sugar cookies I used to make for the bank that were so delicious....Dorothy's recipe.*

Deb Tangeman - May 13, 2007 at 12:00 AM

BL

“ Grandma, I will never forget your sweet words; the smile that you gave when we walked in your door; making cookies with you (with a few extra chocolate chips on the top); the visits; the sleepovers at your house; ALL the card games that we played; the list could go on, but most of all your love that you gave to each person that you knew. We love you and you will be missed.
Your Granddaughter Becky

Becky Ludovissie - May 13, 2007 at 12:00 AM

PW

“ Just wanted the family to know how sorry I am to learn about your mother. I still remember the times we were over to the house and how friendly your mom was to all the kids. She didn't seem to care how many there was, everyone was always welcome. Just wanted to let you all know I am thinking about you in this sad time.

God Bless

Pat (Wing) Wendorf

PAT WENDORF - May 13, 2007 at 12:00 AM