



## Eva Terry

August 25, 1932 - September 21, 2020

Note: The family has chosen a later date than previously listed.

The Mass of Christian burial for EvaFern “Eva” Terry, of Sartell and formerly of Wadena, will be celebrated at 11:00 a.m. on Monday, October 5, at St. Ann’s Catholic Church in Wadena, with Father Aaron Kuhn as celebrant. Burial will be in Calvary Cemetery, Wadena, MN. A reception at the VFW in Wadena will follow the burial.

Visitation will be held at the Johnson-Schuller Chapel in Wadena on Sunday, October 4, from 5:00 until 8:00 p.m. with Parish Prayers at 5:00 and Christian Mother’s rosary at 6:00 p.m. Visitation will resume at the church on Monday from 9:30 a.m. until the time of the Mass.

EvaFern went home to be with her heavenly Father on Monday, September 21, 2020, at 8:56 a.m., at the St. Cloud Hospital.

EvaFern Mildred Sharp was born on August 25, 1932, to Floyd Austin Sharp and Esther Mary (Thomas) Sharp of rural Verndale, MN. Eva grew up on a farm with eight brothers and sisters, surrounded by her favorite animal, horses. She attended Verndale schools until the tenth grade. She moved to Minneapolis and worked as a waitress at Woolworths Department store until 1954 at which time she moved back home with her family. In 1955, she

welcomed her first daughter, Mary Lynn. In August of that year she met the love of her life Wendell Terry. They married September 24, and later, welcomed two more daughters, Theresa and Ellen. Eva and Wendell moved to Wadena where they bought a home and raised their children. Eva enjoyed spending time with her family and friends. She played cards, danced, colored, and enjoyed putting puzzles together. She was a foster grandparent for over 15 years in Wadena.

Eva was a kind, giving Catholic woman. If you had the privilege of knowing her it was obvious family was very important to her and she had a passion for giving, volunteering, faith and children. She welcomed a grandson, five granddaughters and nine great grandchildren. These children and grandchildren brought her great love and joy. Eva touched many lives in her 88 years on earth.

Eva is survived by her sister Virginia Rittari, Verndale MN; brother Larry (Jean) Sharp, Duluth MN; daughter Ellen Niska, St. Cloud; son-in-law Stan Kaste, Staples MN; grandchildren Craig (Steph) Kaste, Shakopee MN; Heather (Dale) Davis, Staples MN; Tiffany (Jamal) Sturup, New Hope, MN; Jaclyn (Jeremy Murph) Niska, Saint Cloud MN, Danielle Niska, Saint Cloud MN; Micaela Niska, Saint Cloud MN; and great grandchildren Lily, Odin, Garrett, Grayson, Evan, Noah Kenzington, Kezadiah, and Konstance; along with many nieces, nephews, cousins and friends.

She was preceded in death by her husband Wendell; parents Floyd and Esther Sharp brothers: Bernard, Charles, and Walter; sisters: Beulah, Leville and Dorothy; daughters Mary Terry and Theresa Kaste.

Honorary pallbearers will be Garette Kaste, Odin Davis, Evan Sturup, Grayson Kaste, Kezadiah Butler and Noah Sturup. Serving as pallbearers will be Gordon Sharp, Bill Wegscheid, Daniel Piepho, Raymond South,

Rodney South and Ryan Frederick

# Cemetery Details

## Calvary Cemetery

Franklin Dr. & 6th St SW  
Wadena, MN 56482

# Previous Events

## Prayers

OCT 4. 5:00 PM (CT)

Johnson-Schuller Chapel  
205 4th Street Southwest  
Wadena, MN 56482  
(218) 631-3632

## Visitation

OCT 4. 5:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

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## **Rosary**

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OCT 4. 6:00 PM (CT)

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## **Visitation**

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OCT 5. 9:30 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

St. Ann's Catholic Church  
514 1st St. SE  
Wadena, MN

## **Service**

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OCT 5. 11:00 AM (CT)

St. Ann's Catholic Church  
514 1st St. SE  
Wadena, MN

# Tribute Wall



“ *Schuller Family Funeral Homes created a Tribute Video in memory of Eva Terry*

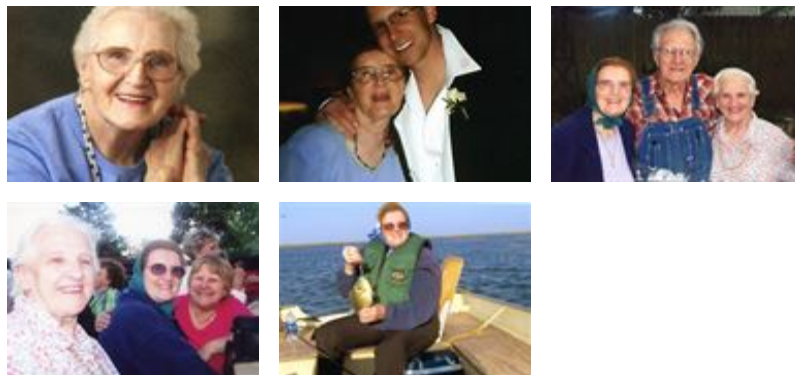


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**Schuller Family Funeral Homes** - October 04, 2020 at 08:58 PM



“ *33 files added to the album Life Tributes*




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**Schuller Family Funeral Homes** - October 04, 2020 at 05:28 PM

RM

“Eva was my babysitter as long as I can remember! Even after we were grown she always had time to go up to Boondocks for coffee and cookies! It was her that introduced me to cookies with tons of whipped cream! We would sit up at Boondocks in the afternoon and enjoy cookies, while she enjoyed her coffee. (I was never a coffee person). She was a part of my family growing up and she will always be remembered and loved! My heartfelt condolences to her whole family! She was a beautiful soul who will be missed deeply! I will light a candle for peace for your loss! Know you are not alone, many celebrate the amazing woman that she was. She lives on in all of us!



Ravyn Mortenson (aka Sara Beth Kawlewski)

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Ravyn SB Mortenson - October 03, 2020 at 08:45 PM

EL

Thank you for the beautiful memory. She so enjoyed babysitting. Drinking coffee with friends and pumpkin cookies at Boondocks

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Ellen - October 14, 2020 at 03:06 PM

JB

“So sorry to hear of your loss Ellen, girls, family. We will always remember Janell's mom, Eva and us visiting together. She was always a giving person. Our heart hurt for her loss. We will miss her deeply. RIP Eva.

"JJ" Joel & Janell Brever

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joel brever - October 03, 2020 at 10:54 AM

BH

“ I came to know Eva through my Mother Norine Halaas, They new each other for years and both ended up living in Sauk Rapids, MN two floors apart. Later they both lived in St Cloud, where my mother still resides. I would love to be able to bring my mother, but know that with her memory it is not a possibility. Know that my mother loved spending time with Eva, and I to found Eva to be a beautiful person. Rest in Peace, Eva!



Berni Halaas - October 01, 2020 at 05:45 PM

EL

Thank You

Ellen - October 04, 2020 at 12:38 PM

EL

“ My mother, best friend, my confidant so many special memories. Mom, I love and miss you. All I have are memories and pictures but oh, what great memories they are! Your loving and giving spirit will live on in all those you have touched.



Ellen - October 01, 2020 at 04:23 PM

EP

“ *Evonna Pflipsen lit a candle in memory of Eva Terry*



Evonna Pflipsen - September 30, 2020 at 06:23 PM

EL

*Thank you*

Ellen - October 01, 2020 at 04:11 PM

CS

“ *Coni & Mike Carter and Bob Sharp purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Eva Terry.*



Coni & Mike Carter and Bob Sharp - September 30, 2020 at 12:56 PM

SL

“ *So sorry for your loss. May God's arms keep your faith strong, prayers for you all.*



Sher Linnes - September 30, 2020 at 12:36 PM

EL

*Thank you*

Ellen - October 01, 2020 at 04:10 PM

JN

“ A Grandma's Love!❤️

*Grandma always held my heart right from the very start.*

*Her arms were open wide, she had the safest place to hide.*

*Inside grandma's hug, I was safe and snug.*

*Grandma's love always appeared, then trouble disappeared.*

*Grandma made me happy, because she loved me.*

*Grandma wiped away my tears, and chased away my fears.*

*Grandma's love will always be, a precious memory to me.*



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**Jaclyn Niska** - September 29, 2020 at 12:06 AM

EL

*I love the post . She did love you girls.*

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**Ellen** - September 29, 2020 at 04:12 PM

CC

“ Aunt Eva was always a person that was there for me my whole life. She has a special place in my heart and I will miss her. I know how much she was loved by her family.

*In loving memory, Coni and Mike Carter*

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**CONSTANCE CARTER** - September 26, 2020 at 07:06 PM

EL

*Thank you Conie and Mike. You held a special place in her heart. God bless you.*

Ellen - September 29, 2020 at 04:13 PM

MH

“ *Marladene Heinen lit a candle in memory of Eva Terry*



Marladene Heinen - September 23, 2020 at 09:00 PM

JJ

“ *Jon Johnson lit a candle in memory of Eva Terry*



Jon Johnson - September 23, 2020 at 06:58 PM

RR

“ *Rocky Reese lit a candle in memory of Eva Terry*



Rocky Reese - September 23, 2020 at 01:59 PM

JG

“ *Juliana Geiser lit a candle in memory of Eva Terry*



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**Juliana Geiser** - September 23, 2020 at 10:50 AM

BD

“ *Bob And Kathy Derby lit a candle in memory of Eva Terry*



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**Bob and Kathy Derby** - September 22, 2020 at 09:28 PM

GW

“ *Glen Donna Wood lit a candle in memory of Eva Terry*



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**Glen Donna Wood** - September 22, 2020 at 05:50 PM

SS

“ *1 file added to the tribute wall*



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**Sandy and Ray South** - September 22, 2020 at 04:20 PM

MF

“ Marie Fraune lit a candle in memory of Eva Terry



Marie Fraune - September 22, 2020 at 12:21 PM

SS

“ Eva was a sweetheart. I bought her lunch many times over the years at the Boondocks. Missed her when she moved away. God has a special place for Eva and she has a special place in my heart.



Sally Schaffhausen Siegler - September 22, 2020 at 12:13 PM

TH

“ Tammie Klawitter Hamlin lit a candle in memory of Eva Terry



Tammie Klawitter Hamlin - September 22, 2020 at 11:23 AM

RJ

“ My sympathy and blessings to Eva's family. She was a very devoted Catholic and I missed seeing her at church after she moved away from Wadena. May she now rest in God's loving arms.

Rose Johnson - September 22, 2020 at 10:47 AM

PD

“ *Patty Desrocher lit a candle in memory of Eva Terry*



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**Patty Desrocher** - September 22, 2020 at 10:36 AM

JB

“ *Eva was such a kind and friendly lady. It's been a few years since I've seen her.....I always enjoyed conversations with her. Peace to Eva and her family. Jeanie (Wegscheid) Brever*

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**Jeanie Brever** - September 21, 2020 at 10:57 PM

SS

“ *Rest in peace dear special lady. We love you and will miss you. When u get to heaven they will have a special horse for you to ride off on, as we know your love for them. You will always be in our thoughts and prayers. Love you lots . We are looking out and taking special care of your sister Virginia, my mom. Love to you and your family from your nephew Ray and Sandy South God Bless dearest Auntie.*

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**Sandy/Ray South** - September 21, 2020 at 07:57 PM

DK

“ *Dan Kern lit a candle in memory of Eva Terry*



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**Dan Kern** - September 21, 2020 at 07:53 PM

JP

“ *Jerry And Kathy Peterson lit a candle in memory of Eva Terry*



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**Jerry and Kathy Peterson** - September 21, 2020 at 02:52 PM

EL

*Thank you*

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**Ellen** - September 25, 2020 at 10:15 PM