



Jeanne Beaver

August 16, 1928 - January 1, 2012

Jeanne Louise Beaver was born on August 16, 1928 in Pipestone, MN to David and Margaret (Borreson) Long. Jeanne lived on a farm in rural Verndale until a couple of years ago when her health necessitated a move into a care facility. Jeanne passed away on January 1, 2012 at Harmony House in Motley at the age of 83. Jeanne graduated from Verndale High School in 1944 at the age of 15. She was the valedictorian of her class. She then attended the McPhail School of Music in Minneapolis, with an emphasis as a lyrical soprano. For many years, Jeanne was a piano instructor in Verndale and Sebeka. She also did income tax preparation for many years. On November 22, 1971, Jeanne married Leonard "Bud" Beaver in Verndale. Bud passed away in 2000. Jeanne enjoyed taking care of her flowers, painting, music, and traveling. She was active with the Wadena Concert Association, Christian Women, and the Hope Chapel Women's Group. Preceding Jeanne in death are her husband, her parents, and her brother, Merlyn. Jeanne is survived by her brother-in-law, Don (Bernice) Beaver of Verndale; and several nieces, nephews, and cousins. Funeral services will be held Friday, January 6 at 2:00 PM at Hope Chapel in rural Verndale with Pastor Neal Malcore officiating. Pallbearers are Jerry Nanik, Allan Anderson, Kem Kern, Joe Schmitz, Gary Beaver, and Clarence Horsager. Interment is in the Greenlawn Cemetery in Verndale.

Tribute Wall

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“ *Jeanne was my piano teacher when I was in elementary school. I also attended Hope Chapel growing up and remember her beautiful singing voice would fill the church. Thoughts and prayers to her family.*

Paula (Schill) Anderson - January 01, 2012 at 12:00 AM

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“ *Jeanne & Leonard used to drive to Pipestone every year on Memorial Day. We would go to a local restaurant, have dinner and then visit for several hours. After Leonard died Jeanne continued these trips until her health interceded Her Dad, Mother, and Brother are buried in Woodlawn Cemetery here in Pipestone and Jeanne diligently cared for the graves. She had a brilliant mind and we have missed seeing and visiting with her. So, until we meet again----our fond farewell. Verne & Wilm Deen*

Verne & Wilma Deen Long - January 01, 2012 at 12:00 AM