



Marian (Mrs. Bernard)

March 30, 1923 - August 2, 2011

Marian Louise Kern was born to Anthony “Tony” and Grace (Anderson) Uselman on March 30, 1923 in Wadena, MN. She died on August 2, 2011 at the age of 88 years, at Fair Oaks Lodge in Wadena. Marian Uselman and Bernard Adam Kern were married on April 22, 1947 at St. Ann’s Catholic Church in Wadena. As a devoted wife, mother, grandmother and homemaker she filled her days with caring for her family, sewing, going to garage sales, dancing and traveling. She was a member of Christian Mothers and St. Ann’s Ladies Aid. Marian was preceded in death by her husband Bernard on March 31, 1991; her parents Tony and Grace; son Thomas; brother Donald; sisters Lucille Meyers, Alice Shue, Frances Sunstrom, and Mildred Lorentz. She is survived by her son Duane of Perham; daughters Virginia (Vern) Wiederich of Hewitt, Vivian (Gary) Brahmer of Luck, WI, Pat Warner of Weatherford, TX, and Theresa (Melvin) Allen of Waterford, MI; 10 grandchildren & 22 great-grandchildren. The Mass of Christian Burial was celebrated on Monday, August 8, 2011 at 11:00 a.m. at St. Ann’s Catholic Church in Wadena, with Father Arlie Sowada as celebrant. Honorary pallbearers were Marian’s grandchildren & great-grandchildren. Pallbearers were Mark Wiederich, Chris Wiederich, Todd Wiederich, Ryan McManigle, Josh Allen, and Tyler Warner. Burial was in Calvary Cemetery in Wadena.

Tribute Wall

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“ *Ginger, Vivian and Patty and the rest of the family. My deepest sympathy on the loss of your mother. I remember her as a loving and caring lady and although we moved when I was young, she always had time to visit when I did see her. The last time I saw her was at my mothers vistation and I remember how excited I was that she would come and I can still feel that big hug we shared at that moment. I will treasure that always. Patty, I won't forget the nice things you had to say about Larry either, and I'm sure they are visiting in heaven today. Be comforted to know that God had a place prepared for her. A place of peace. That doesn't fill the emptiness you feel now though, but it helps. God bless all of you.*

Gary Rohr

Gary Rohr - August 02, 2011 at 12:00 AM

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“ *I haven't seen Marion in at least 20 years but that still doesn't change the fact that she was such a nice lady who wouldn't say a cross word about anybody.*

Duane and siblings, you have my sincere condolences during your time of sorrow, with hope that time heals quickly. Don't worry, you know shes' chirping at Bernard big time about now.

jim stoneman - August 02, 2011 at 12:00 AM