



## Rosemary Harrison

November 19, 1934 - September 11, 2004

Rosemary Elaine Harrison was born to her parents Walt & Sarah (Helmberger) Klein at their home on Marion Lake on November 19, 1934. She was the youngest of seven. She graduated from Perham High School and attended St. Cloud Teachers College. Teaching brought her to Wadena where she met the love of her life, Harry Harrison. Rosemary and Harry were united in marriage at St. Joes Parish of rural Perham on July 12, 1958. Their love brought four children, Jeff, Jodi, Ric and Heidi. They too married and gave her the gift of eleven grandchildren, Joshua, Abby, Wade, Benjamin, Casey, Duke, Ella, Austin, Wyatt, Harry Hunter and Hannah. She devoted herself to her family. She taught them faith and love. Nana's faith in God upheld her to be the strength of her family. A special joy was to have her family together in church. She was preceded in death by her parents, Walt and Sarah Klein, her brothers Peter, Albert and Walt. She is survived by her husband Harry, her sons, Jeff & Kathy, Ric & Cheryl of Wadena MN, and daughters Jodi & Brian Vangsness of Alexandria MN, & Heidi & Jeff Samuelson of Parkers Prairie MN and her grandchildren. She is also survived by her sisters, Helen Adams (Richville), Elizabeth Adams (Richville) & Bernice Rosenthal (New York Mills), along with many nieces, nephews and friends.

# Tribute Wall

JC

“ Rosemary "Graceful"

*Rosemary was a graceful and gracious woman. She always had a kind word and a smile to share. She was never too busy to listen. She opened her heart and shared her love with all those who knew her. The world was a better place with her here and those who knew her were better for it. She will be missed.*

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**Jim Harrison & Michelle Clark** - September 11, 2004 at 12:00 AM

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“ Dear Harry, Jeff, Jodi, Rick, & Heidi:

*My thoughts and prayers are with you during this time of loss. I want you all to know how much Aunt Rosemary touched my life. When we would come to visit from California, I remember the great times we had at the lake fishing, water skiing, playing, storytelling, and those great conversations around the dinner table. And who could forget those incredible meals Aunt Rosemary would make. She always made me feel part of the family and was very dear to me. I will always remember her infectious laugh, kind heart and wonderful spirit. She will be truly missed but will always remain with me in spirit. I look forward to the day I can once again see her in Heaven. I for one, am truly blessed that she was in my life and part of my family. I am sorry I could not make the celebration of life for Aunt Rosemary but please know that I am with you in spirit. God Bless you all. Much love, Sharon*

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**Sharon Smith** - September 11, 2004 at 12:00 AM

RK

“*Rosemary was the epitome of beautiful. She never judged people but accepted them for who they were. I loved her smile and her quite personality. She will be truly missed by everyone. Please accept my condolences.*

*Robin Kautto*

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**Robin Uselman Kautto** - September 11, 2004 at 12:00 AM

GV

“*Dear Harry, Jeff, Jodi, Ric, Heidi, your spouses and all the grandchildren.*

*We wish to express our sincere sympathy in the loss of Rosemary.*

*Such a beautiful and delightful lady.*

*Always so cheerful and full of energy.*

*We so enjoyed the many times with all of you.*

*Again we are so saddened as you are.*

*Are love and prayers are with all of you.*

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**Glenn & Donna Vangsness** - September 11, 2004 at 12:00 AM