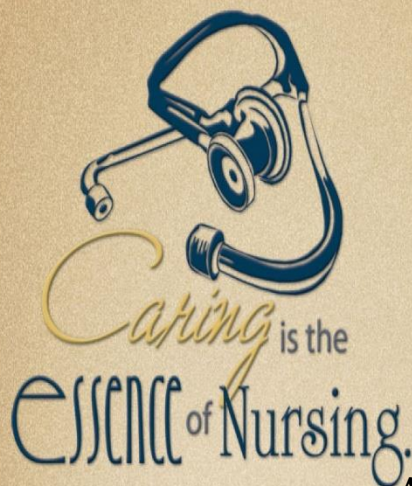




A Mother's Love

Though tears may fall and hearts may ache,
Her memory, we will always take.
A gentle soul, a loving heart,
A mother's love, a work of art.

Her laughter rings, a sweet refrain,
A warmth that chases away the pain.
Her wisdom guides, a steady hand,
A legacy etched in this land.

Though gone from sight, she's not gone far,
She shines as brightly as a star.
In every breeze, in every ray,
Her love will light our every day.

We hold her close within our souls,
Her love forever, it enrolls.
A mother's love, a timeless grace,
Forever etched in time and space.

--Unknown Author

In Loving Memory Of

Ardyce Lawayne Hadrick

June 18, 1932
Orient, South Dakota

April 10, 2025
Faulkton, South Dakota

PRAYER SERVICE:

7:00 p.m., Tuesday, April 15, 2025
United Church of Faulkton ~ Faulkton, South Dakota

CELEBRATION OF LIFE SERVICE:

10:30 a.m., Wednesday, April 16, 2025
United Church of Faulkton ~ Faulkton, South Dakota

OFFICIATING: Pastor Shawn Stoll

EULOGIST: Rev. Darla Hadrick

CASKET BEARERS:

Jack Smith, Dennis Smith, David Hadrick,
Troy Hadrick, Lee Smith, and Kelly Melius

HONORARY CASKET BEARERS:

Ardyce's Siblings, Kids, and Grandkids
Eastern Star and Legion Auxiliary

USHERS: Alan Hadrick and Rodney Witte

MUSICIAN:

Diane Hansen

VOCALIST:

Chris Hammond ~ "Wings of a Dove"

MUSIC:

"Amazing Grace"
"How Great Thou Art"

INTERMENT:

Faulkton Cemetery
Faulkton, South Dakota

Memories

Ardyce L. Hadrick, 92, of Faulkton passed away Thursday, April 10, 2025, at Faulkton Senior Living.

Ardyce Lawayne Witte was born on June 18, 1932, in Orient, SD, to Arthur and Mildred (Leafgreen) Witte. She grew up on a farm outside of Orient, along with her eight younger siblings. She attended school in Orient, played basketball in high school, and graduated in 1950. She then attended nursing school in Pierre and earned her LPN nursing degree. She moved back to Faulkton, SD, and started her nursing career at the Faulk County Memorial Hospital, working there for over 54 1/2 years and one year at Meadows Assisted Living.

She married Charles Hadrick on September 26, 1954, at the Faulkton Methodist Church. Four children joined them, Lester, Larry, Duane and Betty.

Ardyce was instrumental in starting the Faulkton Ambulance Service and served on the ambulance crew. Ardyce was a member of the United Church of Faulkton. She was involved in the Faulkton community and belonged to the Order of Eastern Star, VFW Auxiliary Post 3179, Legion Auxiliary Post 102 and Autumn Leaves. She loved playing cards, especially pinochle, with her family and friends. She also enjoyed crocheting, quilting, sewing, needlework and reading. Many of her beautiful quilts and afghans are treasured by her family.

Ardyce will be forever loved by her children: Lester and Gloria Hadrick, Larry and Laurie Hadrick, Duane and Deb Hadrick, and Betty and Tim Geist; grandchildren: Josie and Rich Benz, Angie Misterek, Derek and Krista Hadrick, Emily Hadrick, Nathan Hadrick, Chris and Erica Hadrick, Shanna and Jamie Scherbenske, Andee and Kody Conlon, Nathan and Lindsey Geist, Amanda and Frank Besser; great grandchildren: Colton Barnett, Keelyn Barnett, Ashton Hadrick, Raelyn Hadrick, Dayea Eugenio, Theodore Hadrick, Emerson Hadrick, Weston Scherbenske, Scherbenske Twins, Jackson Geist, and Harlow Besser. She will also be missed by her siblings and spouses: Burt and Pauline Witte, Pete and Mary Witte, Judy and Duane Smith, Chuck and Bridgette Witte, Mary Ann Worm, Gordon and Karen Witte, her sisters-in-law, Jean Hadrick, Jan Hadrick and Marilyn Hadrick, along with numerous nieces, nephews, and friends.

Ardyce was preceded in death by her husband, Charles; parents, Arthur and Mildred Witte; father and mother-in-law, Louis and Bertha Hadrick; siblings and in-laws: Jim and Donna Witte, Patty Meier, Paul Worm, Donald Hadrick, Harold Hadrick, and Robert Hadrick; grandson, Gabriel Geist; great grandchildren, Charlotte Hadrick and Connor Geist; nephews, James Worm and Charles Witte; and great-nephew, Shadoe Pfiefer.

In lieu of flowers, memorial gifts may be given to the Eastern Star Home in Redfield, 126 W 12th Ave, Redfield, SD 57469, Faulkton Area Medical Center Foundation, PO Box 100, Faulkton, SD 57438, Faulkton Senior Nutrition Program, PO Box 391, Faulkton, SD 57438, or a charity of your choice.

In Loving Memory



Ardyce Hadrick

1932 ~ 2025

