



Don't Be Sad

*Don't be sad and lonely,
because I've gone away.
Think about me only,
when it's a brighter day.*

*Don't waste your time
crying, since I'm no longer here.
You have spent enough time,
showing me that you care.*

Wipe away your sadness, for tears won't bring relief.

*Cherish the memories, forget about your grief.
If I could be with you, that is where I would be,
But I have no power, to change life's destiny.
So try to be happy, don't mourn your life away,
For we'll be together, at the end of life's day.*



Gettysburg, South Dakota
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In Loving Memory of Imogene "Genee" Drew

*May 11, 1919
Rural Gettysburg, South Dakota*

*January 6, 2012
Gettysburg, South Dakota*

FUNERAL SERVICE: *1:00 p.m., Monday, January 9, 2012
United Methodist Church ~ Gettysburg, South Dakota*

OFFICIATING: *Pastor Jeff Adel*

CASKETBEARERS:

<i>Drew Baldridge</i>	<i>Rob Drew</i>
<i>Andrew Baldridge</i>	<i>Christopher Baldridge</i>
<i>Daryn Baldridge</i>	<i>Deryk Drew</i>
<i>Devyn Lemler</i>	<i>Kadyn Drew</i>
<i>Treyson Drew</i>	<i>Derick Stanley</i>

HONORARY CASKETBEARERS:
All of Genee's Great Grandchildren

USHER: *Larry Madsen*

ORGANIST: *Gail Larson*

VOCALIST: *Sarah Tanner*
"How Great Thou Art" "The Rose"

CONGREGATIONAL HYMNS:
"In the Garden" "He Touched Me"

INTERMENT:
Gettysburg Cemetery ~ Gettysburg, South Dakota

Imogene "Genee" Drew, 92, of Gettysburg, passed away, Friday, January 06, 2012 at the Oahe Manor in Gettysburg.

Imogene Britton was born May 11, 1919 in rural Gettysburg, SD to Rufus and Laura (Holmes) Britton. She attended country school and graduated from Gettysburg High School in 1937.

On January 20, 1938 Genee married Bill Drew in Pierre, SD. They made their home on the Drew family farm where they raised their family until moving into Gettysburg in 1949. Genee went to work as a clerk for Vail's Drug. She then spent the next 17 years working as a legal secretary for Neumayr Law Office in Gettysburg, and attorney offices in Pierre and Fort Pierre.

Genee enjoyed her time cooking, reading, completing crosswords puzzles, sewing and riding horses in her youth. She was a member of the United Methodist Church, United Methodist Women, the Jaycette's and the Gettysburg Saddle Club.

Genee is survived by her husband Bill of Gettysburg; her two children: Bob (Shirlee) of Gettysburg and Mona (Jim) Baldrige of Conde; seven grandchildren: Lori (Rod) Lemler, Bobi (Erno) Kallenberger, Rob (Amy) Drew, Deryk (Sherie) Drew, Drew (Heather) Baldrige, Daryn Baldrige, Derick Stanley; 13 great grandchildren: Devyn & Shelby Lemler, Ashley & Connor Drew, Kadya, Treyson, Peyton & Dylan Drew, Melisaa (Denton) Baldrige Porter, Andrew & Christopher Baldrige & Jessica (Nathan) Baldrige Smythe and one great-great granddaughter: Madeline Porter.

She was preceded in death by her parents; one son, Richard and one daughter-in-law, Jan Drew.

