



*God looked around His garden
And He found an empty place,
He looked down upon the earth
And saw your face.*

*He put His arms around you
And lifted you to rest.
God's garden must be beautiful
He always takes the best.*

*He knew that you were suffering
He knew you were in pain,
He knew that you would never
Get well on earth again.*

*He saw that the road was getting rough,
And the hills are hard to climb.
So He closed your weary eyelids
And whispered "Peace be thine."*

*It broke our hearts to lose you,
But you didn't go alone.
For part of us went with you
The day God called you home.*



Gettysburg, South Dakota
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In Loving Memory of

Katherine Dutt

May 26, 1917
Onaka, SD

October 1, 2015
Gettysburg, SD

CELEBRATION OF LIFE SERVICE:

11:00 a.m., Thursday, October 8, 2015
United Methodist Church ~ Gettysburg, South Dakota

OFFICIATING: Pastor Jeff Adel & Pastor Julie Nygaard

CASKETBEARERS:

Erick Brenner, Kevin Snow, Ron Hauck,
Paul Bonen, Susie Dutt, Larry Pettigrew

HONORARY CASKETBEARERS:

Tolstoy Christian's Quilters
Avera Oahe Manor Staff & Residents

USHERS: Lee Stotz & Kevin Geditz

PIANIST: Gail Larson

VOCALIST: Pastor Jeff Adel
"Where the Roses Never Fade"

HYMNS: "Precious Lord, Take My Hand"
"Trust and Obey" "Shall We Gather at the River"

INTERMENT:

German Zion Cemetery ~ Tolstoy, South Dakota

Katherine Dutt, 98, of Tolstoy, passed away Thursday, October 1, 2015 at the Avera Oahe Manor, Gettysburg.

Katherine Dufloth was born May 26, 1917 in Onaka, SD to Gottlieb and Carrie (Schneider) Dufloth at the family home which was located in the lumberyard. In later years, as a child, the family moved to Tolstoy.

Katherine completed school through the 8th grade. Following her schooling, she helped around the family farm, did painting and wall papering for many people, and worked in the telephone office.

In 1941 Katherine was united in marriage to John Buechler. To this union two children were born: Rolleen and Ramona. John passed away in 1967. Then in 1973, she married Edgar Dutt, gaining two step children, Elaine and Connie.

Katherine retired in the 1990's but continued to live in the Tolstoy area until entering the Avera Oahe Manor in 2012. She was very active in her community with teaching Sunday school at the United Methodist Church, Tolstoy Christian's Quilters and the United Methodist Women. She was crowned the Tolstoy's Centennial Queen. Katherine enjoyed spending free time baking, gardening, sewing, visiting with friends, and playing softball in her younger years.

Those left to cherish Katherine's life are her daughters: Rolleen (Jerry) Hauck of Gettysburg and Ramona (Bernel) Stankey of Bath; step daughters: Elaine (Vern) Snow of Tolstoy and Connie (Larry) Benke of Jamestown, ND; one grandchild, Ron (Kris) Hauck; six step grandchildren: Kevin Snow, Kari (Eric) Brenner, Kim (Paul) Bonen, Ryan Benke, Lori (Evan) Skattum, Heidi Benke; two great grandchildren: Rylee and Haylee Hauck; two step great grandchildren: Allison and Bennet Brenner; and one sister, Grace Pettigrew of Rapid City.

She was preceded in death by her parents; both husbands; two brothers: Earl and Howard Dufloth; sister, Virgil Comstock and two grandchildren: Russell and Lisa Hauck.



When I Must Leave You

When I must leave you
for a little while,
Please do not grieve
and shed wild tears
and hug your sorrow
to you through the years,
But start out bravely
with a gallant smile;
And for my sake
and in my name
Live on and do
all things the same,
Feed not your loneliness
on empty days,
But fill each waking hour
in useful ways,
Reach out your hand
in comfort and in cheer
And I in turn will comfort you
and hold you near;
And never, never
be afraid to die,
For I am waiting
for you in the sky!

HELEN STEINER RICE