

Amanda Kaiser, 90, of Highmore, passed away Thursday, March 23, 2017 at the Golden Living Center in Redfield.

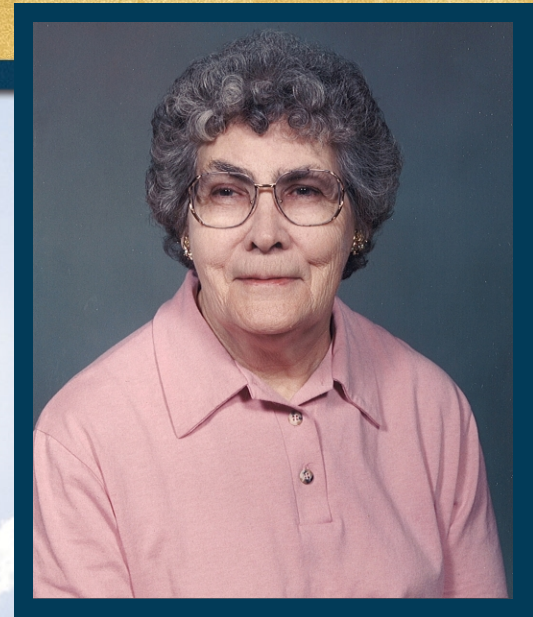
Amanda was born on May 13, 1926 at Gettysburg, SD to Patrick and Maria (Loding) Miles. She graduated from Gettysburg High School in 1946. On January 10, 1949, she married Leo Kaiser from Hoven, SD. They lived in Hoven and Leo was a self-employed carpenter as he made beautiful wood cabinets for customers. In 1954, they moved to Highmore, SD where Leo accepted a position as a Sales Associate with the Watkins Home Products. Amanda was employed for the Highmore Post Office as a janitor for 20 years. Both Amanda and Leo were employed as the janitor of the Thunderbird Bowling Alley and Café for many years.

Amanda was active in the Catholic Daughters and various positions in the St Mary's Catholic Church. She enjoyed spending time together with oldest daughter, Jane, at Red Hats Lady Social Club events. She also enjoyed knitting, crocheting, and sewed quilts for people but enjoyed most of all, spending time with her twelve grandkids and six great grandkids.

The cherished loved ones surviving Amanda are her three sons: Jack (Judith) Kaiser, Britton, Donald Kaiser, Highmore, and Gerald (Carla) Kaiser, Tuttle OK; three daughters: Deborah Strampher, Kansas City, MO, Cindy (LeRoy) Delzer, Rapid City, SD, and Becky (Bruce) Iverson, Garvin, MN; son-in-law, Ken Rausch, Pierre; grandchildren: Corey (Julie) Strampher, Kansas City MO; Travis (Jaclyn) Strampher, Kansas City, MO; Brian Rausch, Baton Rouge, LA; Brandon Rausch, St Croix, USVI; Brittany (Dan) McDonald, Pierre; Kelly (AJ) Ruggeri, Cedar Rapids, Iowa; Brent (Ollie) Kaiser, Highmore; Kristina (Beau) Peterson and Jennifer Delzer, Rapid City; Zach and Nichy and Cassandra Iverson, Garvin, MN; great grandchildren: Natalie, Caitalyn, Serena Ruggeri, Alyssa Ries (Ruggeri), Brayden and Paityn (Kaiser); two sisters: Emma Bryant, Sturgis, and Marie Torgeston, Euclaire, WI; one sister-in-law, Darlene Miles, Spearfish; brother-in-law, Robert (Lena) Kaiser, Pierre; and sister-in-law, Viola Kaiser, Denver, CO.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Leo in 1999; daughter, Jane in 2006; brothers, Ted and Fred Miles; and sister, Alice (Miles) Frost.

Arrangements Entrusted To
Luze Funeral Home - Highmore, South Dakota
www.familyfuneralhome.net



Remembering
THE LIFE OF
Amanda F. Kaiser

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FUNERAL MASS:

10:30 a.m., Friday, March 31, 2017

St. Mary's Catholic Church

Highmore, South Dakota

CELEBRANT: Father Chester Murtha

CASKETBEARERS: Grandchildren

Cory Strampher, Travis Strampher, Brian Rausch,

Brandon Rausch, Brittany McDonald, Kelly Ruggeri,

Brent Kaiser, Kristina Peterson, Jennifer Delzer,

Zachariah Iverson, Nichole Iverson, Cassandra Iverson

HONORARY CASKETBEARERS: Great Grandchildren

Natalie Ruggeri, Caitalyn Ruggeri, Serena Ruggeri,

Alyssa Ries, Brayden Kaiser, Paityn Kaiser

LECTORS: Zach Iverson - Kristina Peterson

OFFERTORY: Don, Gerald, Jack Kaiser

ORGANIST: Katherine Porter

SONG LEADER: Victor Nemec

MUSIC SELECTIONS:

"Be Not Afraid" #430

"On Eagles Wings" #435

"Amazing Grace" #431

"I Am the Bread of Life" #364

"Song of Farewell"

"How Great Thou Art" #423

INTERMENT:

St. Mary's Catholic Cemetery

Highmore, South Dakota

I am home in Heaven dear ones;

Oh, so *happy and bright!*

There is perfect joy and beauty

In this everlasting light.

All pain and grief is over,

Every restless tossing passed;

I am now at

peace forever.

Safely home in Heaven at last.

There is work still waiting for you,

So you must not idly stand,

Do it now, while life remaineth -

You shall rest in Jesus' land.

When that work is all completed,

He will gently call you Home;

Oh, the rapture of that meeting,

Oh the joy to see you come!

Following the burial, everyone is invited to join the family for lunch and fellowship at the parish hall.