

*God saw you getting tired
When a cure was not to be,
So He wrapped his arms around you
And whispered, "Come With Me"
You didn't deserve what you went through,
So he gave you rest.
God's garden must be beautiful,
He only takes the best.
And when I saw you sleeping,
So peaceful and free from pain
I could not wish you back
To suffer that again.*

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Remembering
THE LIFE OF
Evelyn Thompson
December 29, 1927 - July 9, 2017



Evelyn Thompson, 89, of Pierre, passed away Sunday, July 9, 2017 at Avera Maryhouse, Pierre.

Evelyn Mae Thompson was born on December 29, 1927, in Osceola, South Dakota, to Roy and Ruth (Whites) Noe. Evelyn moved to Hyde County when she was 5 years old. She attended rural Hyde County elementary school and graduated from Highmore High School. She was baptized into the Lutheran Church in Seattle, Washington.

Evelyn moved to Seattle in 1948. She was united in marriage to Heyward O. Thompson on April 7, 1956, in Seattle, Washington. In November of 1978, she retired from General Motors as an accountant. After retiring, she enjoyed traveling to numerous country music concerts, working in her yard and garden, and kept up her dancing which she enjoyed all her life. She loved the water and all the activities that she was able to watch from her patio doors.

She was a member of the Beta Sigma Phi Delta chapter for many years and also an active member of the Fraternal Order of Eagles in Seattle. She moved to Pierre in August of 2011, where she resided until her death. She made several special friends while living in Pierre, including Merrill and Karen Olson and canine companion, Colby.

She is survived by her special niece, Marlene Carroll of Harrold, SD; nephew, Jim Olson of Pringle, SD; one brother, Gerald Noe of Bellingham, Washington; and several great nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Heyward O. Thompson; her parents, Roy and Ruth (Whites) Noe; and three sisters: Shirley Pullman, Doris Rubendall, and Donna June Olson.

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Funeral Service:

11:00 a.m., Thursday, July 13, 2017

Luze Funeral Home

Highmore, South Dakota

Minister: Rev. Sara C. Kayser

Casketbearers:

Bernie Carroll - Justin Carroll - Jon Gortmaker
Collin Carroll - Austin Carroll - Lane Gortmaker

Honorary Casketbearers:

Merrill Olson - James Olson
Jonathan Olson - Thane Escott

Congregational Hymn:

"Amazing Grace"

"How Great Thou Art"

Interment:

Highmore Cemetery

Highmore, South Dakota

Following the burial, everyone is invited for lunch and fellowship at Our Savior Lutheran Church