

God's Garden

*God looked around the garden,
And found an empty space.
He looked down upon the earth,
And saw your tired face.
He put His arms around you
And lifted you to rest.
God's garden must be beautiful
For He only takes the best.
He knew that you were weary,
and He knew you were in pain.
He knew that you would never
be well on earth again.
He saw the roads were getting rough,
and the hills were hard to climb.
So He closed your weary eyelids,
and whispered peace be thine.*



In Loving Memory
CELEBRATING A LIFE

Prayer Service:

7:00 p.m., Friday, July 13, 2018
Luze Funeral Home - Highmore, S.D.

Funeral Service:

10:00 a.m., Saturday, July 14, 2018
Our Savior Lutheran Church - Highmore, S.D.

Minister: Rev. Sara C. Kayser

Casketbearers: Grandchildren

Leanne Hoffman, Ken Hoffman, John Hoffman,
Kristi Hinkle, Jeremy VanTessel, Mychal Hoffman,
Kristi Dobesh, Lisa Kolda, Laura Kurtenbach,
Jacob Brothers, Garrett Brothers, Carrie Brothers

Honorary Casketbearers:

All Her Great Grandchildren

Ushers: Al Volek, Eric Volek

Guestbook: Noreen Nickelson, Jolene Volek

Pianist: Chantrel LaMont

Congregational Hymns:

"In the Garden" - "On Eagle's Wings"

Interment:

Medicine Hill Cemetery
Harrold, South Dakota

*Following the burial, everyone is invited to
lunch and fellowship at the East Wing of the
Hyde Co. Memorial Auditorium*



Clara Mae Hoffman

January 21, 1929 - July 8, 2018





Clara Mae Hoffman, 89, of Highmore, passed away Sunday, July 8, 2018 at the Highmore Health.

Clara Mae "Carrie" (Carroll) Hoffman was born January 21, 1924 at Florence, SD, to Johnny and Estella (Morrison) Carroll. She grew up south of Harrold and attended school in rural Harrold, SD; later graduating from Pierre High School.

She married Arnold Hoffman in December of 1947, in Miller, SD. They made their home in rural Harrold/Highmore, SD area. They were blessed with six children.

In 1985, they moved into Highmore and she worked for Straight's Corner, Highmore Health Care and Hoffman's Service, along with several other odd jobs. When she was not working, she enjoyed reading, watching baseball, square dancing, going to and watching rodeos, and spending time with family and friends.

At family gatherings, she would be sure to make some of her family's favorite foods. Macaroni and wieners, homemade buns, carrot and raisin salad, chocolate cake, and chocolate chip cookies were on the top of the list. Many of the fondest memories of her family revolve around the making and eating of the favorites.



Grateful for having shared her life are her four children: Jim (Ruby) Hoffman, Morris (Debb) Hoffman, Connie (Diane) Hoffman, all of Highmore, Myra (Tim) Brothers of El Reno, OK; 12 grandchildren: Leanne Hoffman, Ken (Amy) Hoffman of Highmore, John (Kim) Hoffman of Pierre, Kristi (Darrel) Hinkle of Holabird, Jeremy (Sarah) VanTessel of Lead, Mychal (Jennifer) Hoffman of Billings, MT, Kristi (Dane) Dobesh of Belle Fourche, Lisa (Kyle) Kolda of Sioux Falls, Laura (Josh) Kurtenbach, Mitchell, Jacob (Albert) Brothers, Los Angeles, CA, Garret (Heather) Brothers, Carrie "Sissy" (Jennifer) Brothers of El Reno, OK; 22 great-grandchildren: Samantha and Tate Hoffman, Joe and Morgan Hoffman, Carson and Brynn Stoeser, Brittany, Shelby, Justin, and Connor Hinkle, Ethan VanTessel, Payton and Mason Hoffman, Kasey, Avery, Kortney, and Emery Dobesh, Ava and Cruz Kurtenbach, McDaniel Brothers, Emma and Declan Brothers.

She was preceded in death by her husband, two infant sons, her parents, four brothers and two sisters.

Arrangements Entrusted To
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