

GRANDCHILDREN

There is not a grandmother in the world that loved her grandchildren more than Mom. She made a special bond with each and every grandchild and was sincerely interested in everything they did. She loved having them visit and being part of their lives. Grandma is watching over you from Heaven.

Grandchildren:

Marci Pirlet, Shawnette Wilmarth, Ryan Wilson (Dick)

Jason, Jeff and Clayton Otto, Kathy, Michelle and Kristy Enget (Diane)

Cody, Bailey, and Logan Wilson (David)

Jennifer, Jonathan and Christopher Hart (Deb)

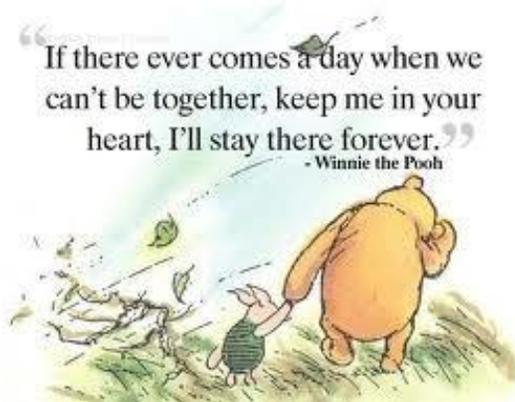
Tanner, Ashley, Kalei and Tatum Wilson (Tim)

Chloe, Ben, Samuel and Elijah Wilson (Rod)

Lexy, Lauren and Lily Becker (Georgene)

Great Grandchildren:

Macy and Kennedy Pirlet, Jacob Lidel and Samantha Wilmarth, Liam Wilson, Lyric Otto and Alex Enget, Markis, Hannah, Devonte, Abbi, Jeremiah, and Sierra Hart



Mary Jane Yvonne (Gabriel) Wilson

July 5, 1939-May 25, 2012



For Those I Love

For Those Who Love Me...

*When I am gone, release me, let me go...
I have so many things to see and do
You mustn't tie yourself to me with tears,
Be happy that we had so many years.
I gave you my love. You can only guess
How much you gave me in happiness.
I thank you for the love each of you have shown,
But now it's time I travel on Alone.

So grieve a while for me, if grieve you must,
Then let your grief be comforted by trust.
It's only for a while that we must part,
So bless the memories that lie within your heart.
I won't be far away, for life goes on.
So if you need me, call and I will come.
Though you can't see me or touch me, I'll be near.
And if you listen with your heart, you'll hear
All of my love around you soft and clear.
And then, when you must come this way alone...
I'll greet you with a smile and "Welcome Home."*

In Loving Memory of

Mary Jane Wilson

FUNERAL SERVICE

11:00 a.m. Wednesday, May 30, 2012
First United Methodist Church, Miller, South Dakota

OFFICIANT

Pastor Mary Ann Sheldon

SCRIPTURE

Psalm 23

SHARING OF MEMORIES

PRAYER

Prayer of St. Francis of Assisi
Lord's Prayer

MUSIC

Beyond The Sunset
One Day At A Time – Bobbi Larson
In The Garden
Kristi Prince, Pianist

PALLBEARERS

Jason Otto, Ryan Wilson, Clayton Otto,
Chris Hart, Logan Wilson, Tanner Wilson

HONARY PALLBEARERS

Jeffrey Otto, Jonathan Hart, Jacob Lidel

INTERMENT

GAR Cemetery, Miller, South Dakota

Mary Jane Wilson, age 72, passed away peacefully at Dougherty Hospice House in Sioux Falls on May 25, 2012.

Mary Jane was born July 5, 1939 to Frank R and Imogene (Holcomb) Gabriel in Faulkton, South Dakota. She lived and attended school in Rockham and Miller, SD. She married George Wilson on December 28, 1957. George and Mary Jane lived in Miller until moving to Huron in 1969.

Her unconditional love and caring for others were her greatest “gifts” to all of us who loved her. Along with those gifts, she gave us so many “life lessons” – to love one another, see the good in everyone, that truth is important and to leave the world a better place. She didn’t just teach us those things - she led by example. She was the epitome of “grace” ...she gave it freely and generously. Her greatest wish for her children was to love and care for each other always. Her family, and especially her grandchildren, brought her the most joy in life.

She was always striving to learn more about everything - from genealogy to astronomy to her flowers and birds. She loved to read. While raising her family, she taught Sunday school, was a Girl Scout and Boy Scout Leader and for many years, was a successful Avon Representative. She was a member of First United Methodist Church.

Mary Jane is survived by her husband George and 8 children, Dick (Sharon) Wilson of Sioux Falls, Diane (Kurt) Enget of Sioux Falls, David (Gail) Wilson of Scottsdale, AZ, Deb Hart of Huron, Tim (Cheryl) Wilson of Sioux Falls, Rod (Michelle) Wilson of Sioux Falls, Randy Wilson of Sioux Falls, and Georgene (Mike) Becker of Sioux Falls; 26 grandchildren and 13 great grandchildren; 3 sisters, Rita Rudloff of Huron, Gloria Clarke of Ottertail, MN and Susan Rasmussen of Kauhauna, WI and sister- in-law Joann (Richard) Kruger of Groton, SD, numerous nieces and nephews and father Frank.

She was preceded in death by her mother Imogene , step-father Lloyd Marsh, brother Gary Gabriel, brother-in-laws Ed Rudloff, Alan Rasmussen and Roger Clarke.