

Dorothy Engelmann, 79, of Miller, passed away Thursday, April 23, 2015 at the Good Samaritan Society in Miller.

Dorothy Ann, second daughter of Roy Allison and Stacy Anna (Koc) Haefs, was born November 3, 1935. The family resided in Ree Heights until 1940 when they moved to Miller. Dorothy graduated from Miller High School in 1953. After graduation, she began working in the school office. After three years, she quit to marry Karl Engelmann on May 12, 1956, in the old St. Ann's Catholic Church. They lived on the family farm south of Miller.

Dorothy returned to work at the school in January of 1958, working off and on for a total of 44 years. The last 22 years as the business manager; retiring in 1998.

Karl and Dorothy enjoyed traveling and camping, seeing many of God's wonders. Dorothy was a member of the little flower band Altar Society until becoming a part of the church Altar Society. She was baptized into the Catholic faith and was a devote member of St. Ann's Catholic Church. Praying the rosary daily was very important to Dorothy.

Listening to the Ham Radio was a favorite pastime of Karl and Dorothy. She continued even after Karl became a "silent key" (passed away). Her call signal was KBOYPN.

Grateful to have shared in her life are her children: Marilyn Engelmann of Miller, and Chuck (Sue) Engelmann of Brookings; five grandchildren: Andy, Laura, Pete, Zeke, and Rachel, all of Brookings; two great grandchildren: Hannah and Asher of Brookings; sister-in-law, Fannie Engelmann of Miller; and nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by her parents; her husband; and one sister, Mary Alice Vaughn.

*Arrangements Entrusted To*



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November 3, 1935 – April 23, 2015



*In Loving Memory*

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**Mass of Christian Burial:**

10:30 a.m., Wednesday, April 29, 2015

St. Ann's Catholic Church

Miller, South Dakota

**Celebrant:** Father Chester Murtha

**Casketbearers:**

Neil Stevens – Clate Stevens – Andy Engelmann  
Pete Engelmann – Dale Engelmann – Gene Engelmann

**Organist:** Carol Schulz

**Vocalist:** St. Ann's Choir

**Congregational Hymns:**

*"Precious Lord, Take My Hand"*

*"The Lord is my Shepherd"*

*"You Are Mine"*

*"Gentle Woman"*

*"Song of Farewell"*

*"How Great Thou Art"*

**Interment:**

G.A.R. Cemetery

Miller, South Dakota

Your mother is always with you.  
She's the whisper of the leaves as you walk  
down the street. She's the smell of  
certain foods you remember, flowers you pick.  
The fragrance of life itself.  
She's the cool hand on your  
brow when you're not feeling well.  
She's your breath in the air on a cold winter's day.  
She is the sound of the rain that lulls you to sleep.  
The colors of a rainbow. She is Christmas morning.  
Your mother lives inside your laughter.  
She's the place you came from. Your first home.  
And she's the map you follow with every step you take.  
She's your first love. Your first friend. Even your first enemy.  
But nothing on earth can separate you.  
Not time. Not space. Not even death.

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