



Beverly Rafferty

March 4, 1937 - March 6, 2006

Beverly Rafferty, 69, died surrounded by her family March 6, 2006 at St. Alexius Medical Center. A memorial service will be held at the Congregational Church, Hettinger, Thursday, March 9, at 2:00 p.m MST. Cremation has taken place. Beverly D. Brabazon was born in the family home near Lodgepole, SD on March 4, 1937 to Lyle and Emily Griffin Brabazon. She was raised in Haynes, ND, near the South Dakota border, and graduated from Haynes High School. She lived in many places during her life as a result of her husband's military career. She moved to Tamarac, FL, in 1984 and worked for Attorneys, Title and Insurance Company in Pompano Beach. She devoted her life to her children and grandchildren. In 2001 she moved to North Dakota so that her daughter could care for her. Beverly was dearly loved by her family, friends and co-workers. Beverly is survived by her children, Randy Janice Rafferty of Tamarac, Florida, Ricky Rafferty of Ontario, Canada, and Denita Mark Grosz of Mandan; her eight grandchildren, Sandra Paul Friedrich, Raymond Caroline Rafferty, Christopher Rafferty, and Angie Rafferty, all of Florida, Amanda, Katrina, and Melissa Grosz, all of Mandan, North Dakota, and a grandson who was placed for adoption in North Dakota, Charles; five great-grandchildren; two brothers, Dennis Doreen Brabazon of Lemmon, South Dakota, and Ronald Brabazon of Yumatilla, Oregon; and two sisters, Jean Rosenberg of Astoria, Oregon, and Bernice Engelhorn of Mandan, North Dakota. She was preceded in death by her parents; one brother, Jackie; two sisters, Patsy and Delma; and one nephew, Bobby Joe Brabazon. In lieu of flowers memorials

are preferred to the American Lung Association. Beverly's greatest wish was to have everyone educated on the danger of tobacco use.

Tribute Wall

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“ I went to Haynes today where mom grew up. I so miss her. I hope she knows what a beautiful loving person she was here on earth and know that I was proud to be her daughter Thank you all for your thoughts. I remember her loving to come back to SD and see family and friends.

Denita grosz - March 17, 2015 at 12:00 AM

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“ You are in my thoughts and prayers!

Angie Ross - March 17, 2015 at 12:00 AM

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“ Just a note to say I am sorry about Beverly We shared the same great grandmother Alvira Brabazon and I remember her as a child //
Regards Garth Galbraith

Garth Galbraith - March 17, 2015 at 12:00 AM

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“ To you and your family, I am touched by the thoughts and prayers that were given to me. I am sorry you never was able to know what happened to me and how great my life has been. For those who read this, the obituary identifies me as the grandson who was given away to adoption Denita, I hope to contact you soon as I would like to speak with you on the phone. If anyone reads this that can contact her, please email me.

Charles - March 17, 2015 at 12:00 AM