



Joan Nygaard

April 25, 1931 - December 30, 2003

Joan Nygaard, 72, died December 30, 2003 at her home. Services will be held at 2 PM Saturday at Evangel Temple, Bismarck, with the Rev. Arland Dwelle officiating. Burial will be in the Mandan Union Cemetery. Visitation will be 3-9 PM Friday at Eastgate Funeral Service, Bismarck. Visitation will continue one hour prior to the service at the church. Joan Darlene Anderson was born April 25, 1931 in Lignite, ND to Albin and Anita Sloan Anderson. She was raised and educated in Lignite. Joan married Verlin C. Nygaard on February 6, 1949 in Columbus. The family lived in Columbus until December 1965 when they moved to Mandan, ND and later to Bismarck. Joan enjoyed spending time with her children and grandchildren at Hardees, Wendys, and McDonalds, where Joan enjoyed ordering her "diet Coke". She spent numerous hours reading her Bible and watching TBN. She liked to sing along with the children while hanging out around the piano. She attended Evangel Temple and enjoyed going to Prime Time. Joan is survived by eight children, Doyle and Sandra Nygaard, Bismarck, Dione and Ronald Clagg, Caldwell, ID, Jeff and Trella Nygaard, Pamela and Mark Schwede, and Michael and Elana Nygaard, all of Bismarck, Sharla and Robb Dale, Shreveport, LA, LaShawn and Scott Cooley, Ann Arbor, MI, and DeAnn and Tony Cooley, Muscatine, IA; twenty one grandchildren; seven great grand children; two sisters and brothers-in-law, Delores & Ralph Benson, Portland, OR and Frances and Wayne Noe, Pennsylvania; one brother and sister-in-law, Darrell and Kathryn Anderson, Enid, OK; and one half sister, Gladys Bonnie, Velva, ND. She was preceded in

death by her husband, Verlin; two granddaughters, Larissa Cooley and Zoe Schwede; one brother, Wayne Albin Anderson; two half brothers, Clifford Bonnie and Carl Bonnie; and one half sister, Peggy Bonnie.

Tribute Wall

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“ My dear Grandma Joan, I wanted to write to you and tell you how much I miss you but I know your enjoying yourself in the presence of the king! I think of you often. It seems God always sends me a reminder of you! Sometimes my kids do something so funny I think hey Grandma Joan would laugh! No one will ever know how much I miss our card games! I really wish I had someone to play them with I have been teaching my son phase 10 he is catching on fast you would be proud! Well I've said enough, until we meet again and with all the love in my heart!

jennifer cooley stagg - March 17, 2015 at 12:00 AM