



Lillian H Busch

July 1, 1929 - September 17, 2011

Lillian H. Busch, 82, Bismarck, died September 17, 2011, at Missouri Slope Lutheran Care Center, Bismarck. Services will be held at 1:30 pm Friday, September 23, at Parkway Funeral Service, 2330 Tyler Parkway, Bismarck, with Rev. Rebecca Aardahl officiating.

Burial will be in the North Dakota Veterans Cemetery, Mandan. Visitation will be held from 12:00 Noon until 8:00 pm Thursday, September 22, at Parkway Funeral Service, and will continue one hour prior to the service. Lillian was born July 1, 1929, in Elgin, ND, the daughter of Carl and Elizabeth Wiedrich Zeller. She lived in Beulah, ND, until moving to Bismarck, ND. She met Immanuel "Mel" Busch in Bismarck and they were married on July 3, 1949, in Turtle Lake, ND. Lillian was a devoted wife to Mel and lived on both the Atlantic and Pacific coasts while he was serving our country in the US Navy between 1943 and 1967. She was a homemaker and raised four children, Gary, Gail, Douglas and Cheryl. The family later moved to Spokane, WA, where she worked as a clerk and head auditor for Fred Meyers until she retired in 1981. Lillian and Mel moved back to Bismarck in 1981. Lillian is survived by her husband, Mel, Bismarck; her children, Gail Steven Ford and Cheryl Jim Collins, all of Spokane, WA, Gary Patti Busch, Bullhead City, AR, and Douglas Busch, Bismarck, ND; nine grandchildren, 11 great-grandchildren and three great-great-grandchildren; her sisters, Carol Boehler, Zap, ND, Inez Renz, Lacey, WA, Mardell Reichenberg, Hazen, ND, Violet Rempher, Woodinville, WA, Marion Smith, E. Wanatchee, WA, and Florence Sailer,

Olympia, WA; her brothers, Eldon Zeller, Olympia, WA, and Gordon Zeller, West End, NC. She was preceded in death by her parents and one brother, Clifford Zeller.

Tribute Wall

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“ *Our condolences to Lillian's family and siblings. We are sorry to hear of her passing. Jim & Myra McDonald*

Myra Miller McDonald - March 17, 2015 at 12:00 AM

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“ *To the Worlds Best Grandma...who taught me to eat slurpies, pixie stixs, fleisch kuecklas, oreo's with milk, who would let me roll down the hill, play tamborines, sing and play dress up and tricked me into listening for trains, cars, and airplanes at bedtime and who eventually tickled my back until I was sleepy!! In the midst of all the fun, she taught me the most imortant lessons in life: to laugh at myself, a little mischievousness is good,to have fun, to be generous, to always have hope, and to love like there is no tomorrow!! Grandma...our birthday will never be the same without you...thank you for loving me and sharing your heart so mine could be what it is today! I love you...*

Rachael Schweiger - March 17, 2015 at 12:00 AM

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“ *May you RIP Aunt Lil We will all miss you here. May the lord comfort your family in this time of need.*

Karen Smith - March 17, 2015 at 12:00 AM

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“ *Aunt Lil, May God and the angels welcome you home with love and harps. You will be greatly missed. Our love goes with you!*

Diane Langendorf - March 17, 2015 at 12:00 AM