



## Marie Elizabeth Harr

January 19, 1923 - December 16, 2010

Marie Elizabeth Harr, 87, Bismarck, passed away December 16, 2010, at St. Alexis Medical Center. A memorial service will be held at 11:00 a.m., Tuesday, December 21, at Riverwood Baptist Church, Bismarck, with the Rev. Todd Fuerher officiating. Internment will be at Stewartsdale Cemetery in the spring. Marie was born January 19, 1923, to Charles and Hazel Brown Malard, in Bismarck. She was raised and educated in Menoken, and graduated from Bismarck High School in 1940. She also attended the State School of Forestry in Bottineau. On January 19, 1946, she married Chester Roberson, and of that union they had six children. Chester passed away in 1979. Marie was a Civil Service employee and worked for the North Dakota National Guard, Fraine Barracks, Bismarck, from 1942 until she retired in 1980. Marie married Lawrence Larry Harr July 11, 1973, where they lived in Bismarck. They enjoyed weekends and summers at their cabin at Brush Lake, and they met many wonderful friends there through the years. They moved from Bismarck to Mercer in the early 1970s, and they spent winters in Laughlin, Nevada. Larry passed away on December 29, 1999. Marie moved back to Bismarck in 2000, and in her "retirement" she worked for Enable and was a Senior Companion Program Volunteer. In 2005, Marie was the recipient of the President's Volunteer Service Award from the President's Council on Service and Civic Participation. The Award recognized Marie's dedication to volunteer service and signified that she served her community and country with distinction. Marie enjoyed crocheting, fishing, knitting, quilting, cooking,

baking, gardening, and canning, and everyone especially loved her donuts and pickled beets. She is survived by her children, Judy Bauman, Bismarck; Gary Dinah Roberson, Center; Randal Cathy Roberson, Williston; Rita Michael Bartholomew, Bismarck; and Bonnie Fred Wall, Bismarck. Marie is also survived by twelve grandchildren, fourteen great-grandchildren, one great-great-grandchild, and several cousins, nephews and nieces. She is also survived by three brothers, Leon, Eugene and Elroy; and three sisters, Anna, Charline, and Eunice. She was preceded in death by her parents; husbands, Chester Roberson and Lawrence Harr; son, Ryan Roberson; great-grandson, Justin Hulm; and sisters, Irene, Norma, Bertha, and Evelyn. She was also preceded in death by three infant sisters. Marie will be greatly missed by her family, friends, and all who knew her. Marie's wit, wisdom, and stories will be forever treasured.

# Tribute Wall

GW

“ Dear Family of Marie, I ran into Bonnie and Fred up at Olive Garden last Thursday. I asked how Marie was doing and was very sad to hear that she past away. My Mom Freda Daniel Willson went to school with her. My Mom told me that she always liked Marie. Marie was in the Baptist Home for awhile when my Mom was there. I kind of kept tabs on Marie through Fred and Judy she sat with Ken and I at the class reunion last summer. I send you my thoughts and prayers. Gale Willson Welch

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**Gale Welch** - March 17, 2015 at 12:00 AM

KM

“ Our deepest sympathy goes out to you and your family. You will be missed. Our apologies that we could not be there to say our goodbyes. Love Kathy Anderson, Meier Neice, Daughter of Bertha

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**Kathy Anderson Meier** - March 17, 2015 at 12:00 AM

LK

“ Aunt Marie, i will always remember the times we shared as a family when i was a child. I will miss you deeply. Please tell Ryan i said "hi". Love you very much, Lana 'Malard' Kershaw.

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**Lana Malard Kershaw** - March 17, 2015 at 12:00 AM

KA

“ Hi BeaUtiful! This grandma was the only one in my life and she made it so wonderful. I will miss you much. 143 PGH.. one day I will see you again!

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**Kandi** - March 17, 2015 at 12:00 AM

YS

“ I miss you more than I can say. I am thankful for the memories that will be with me always. Mike and I will be making your date pinwheels tomorrow. See you later.

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**Your Little Spook** - March 17, 2015 at 12:00 AM

CW

“ I will never forget Marie's famous chocolate spice cake. It was always such a treat! Marie was always so full of life and was always up for a great conversation. She will be missed. Our thoughts and prayers are with her entire family.

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**Claire & Michael Waldoch** - March 17, 2015 at 12:00 AM

PH

“ Rita and family - my thoughts are with you during this difficult time. Please know that many are thinking of you and sending you love. May you find comfort in the memories you have of your mom.

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**Peg Haug** - March 17, 2015 at 12:00 AM

TG

“ Rita and family~ my thoughts and prayers are with you during this time of grief.

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**Tricia Gereszek** - March 17, 2015 at 12:00 AM

JR

“ our thoughts and prayers are with all of you

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**jim and joan roberson** - March 17, 2015 at 12:00 AM