



Loretta Edna Dohmeier

October 11, 1933 - June 11, 2016

Loretta Edna Lillich was born on October 11, 1933, on a farm southwest of Bird City, Kansas, to Edna Marie (Stutheit) and August Christian Lillich. She was baptized on November 5, at St. John's Lutheran Church in Bird City, and confirmed in 1948.

Loretta attended rural schools until consolidation of the school district when she was in eighth grade. She then attended eighth grade through her senior year at Bird City High School, graduating in 1951. Loretta attended Wartburg College in Waverly, Iowa, for two years, graduating with a teachers degree. She taught in Kennard, Nebraska, for two years in the elementary school there.

Loretta married Ervin Dohmeier on August 1, 1954, at St. John's Lutheran Church in Bird City. To this union four children were born, Catherine, Mark, Debra and Daniel. Their first parish was at Fredricksburg Lutheran in Minden, Nebraska. In the following years they served multiple parishes in Minnesota. Due to failing health, Ervin took early retirement and they moved to Belgrade, Minnesota. He died in November 1998. In 2001, Loretta moved to Alexandria, MN, to be near family.

In her earlier years, she substitute taught in the public school in Brownton. Loretta was involved in Sunday School, Vacation Bible school, church choirs and church women's groups. She enjoyed sewing, quilting and crocheting, sharing these talents with family and friends. Sewing and tying quilts was her passion. She used this passion and talent to help make quilts for Lutheran

World Relief.

Loretta died and went to heaven on Saturday, June 11, 2016, at Knute Nelson Home at the age of eighty two. Loretta is survived by her children, Cathy (Byron) Bruce, Mark (Jan) Dohmeier, Deb (James) Sater and Dan (Sandy) Dohmeier; 10 grandchildren, Shannon and John Bruce, Jacob and Matthew Dohmeier, Sarah, Miranda and Abigail Sater, Olivia, Benjamin and Simon Dohmeier; sisters, Elaine Korten Hof, Delores (Stan) Dorsch, Janice DeLozier; many brothers- and sisters-in-law, nieces and nephews. She is preceded in death by her husband, Ervin; nephew, James DeLozier; and brother- in-law, David Korten Hof.

Previous Events

Visitation

JUN **15**. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Bethesda Lutheran Church
1204 N. Nokomis
Alexandria, MN 56308

Prayer Service

JUN **15**. 7:00 PM (CT)

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Funeral Service

JUN **16**. 11:00 AM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ Anderson Funeral Home and Crematory created a Tribute Video in memory of Loretta Edna Dohmeier



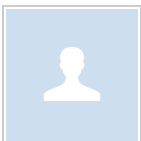
Anderson Funeral Home - June 15, 2016 at 09:38 AM

JD

“ To Cathy, Mark, Deb and Dan: My sincerest and deepest sympathy for the loss of an incredible grandmother, mother, sister and aunt. You are certainly in my thoughts and prayers. May the many great memories of your mom help you through this difficult time. God Bless to each of you and your families and I hope that some day in the not so distant future we can see each other.

Joel Dohmeier

Joel Dohmeier - June 15, 2016 at 05:11 PM



“ Florist Choice Bouquet was purchased for the family of Loretta Edna Dohmeier.



June 15, 2016 at 11:40 AM

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“ Ann, Rick, Ben and Liz Reckow purchased the Spring Has Sprung Mixed Basket for the family of Loretta Edna Dohmeier.



Ann, Rick, Ben and Liz Reckow - June 13, 2016 at 05:26 PM



“ Quiet Expressions was purchased for the family of Loretta Edna Dohmeier.



June 13, 2016 at 03:28 PM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Loretta Edna Dohmeier.



June 13, 2016 at 03:08 PM

ML

“ Dear Sater family,
I want to express my sincere condolences in the loss of Loretta. I did not know her well, but always appreciated seeing her in the church pew and her work in and for the church. She was obviously a loved member of your family, and a valued member of the Bethesda family. Her graciousness will be missed.
Mary Lou Thunselle
(I am away during both services, so will be unable to attend.)

MLThunselle - June 13, 2016 at 01:51 PM

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“ *Stan & Dee Dorsch, Jeff, Scott, Jennifer & families purchased the Pink Potpourri Bouquet for the family of Loretta Edna Dohmeier.*



Stan & Dee Dorsch, Jeff, Scott, Jennifer & families - June 13,
2016 at 01:20 PM