



The Life of Mary Ann Fliehs (August 20, 1928 - June 16, 2016)

Forman, ND: The funeral for Mary Ann Fliehs, 87 of Forman, formerly of Cogswell, will be 10:30 a.m. Tuesday, June 21, 2016 at St. John's Lutheran Church of Britton, SD. Rev. Craig Grams will officiate and burial will be in Sunset Memorial Gardens in Aberdeen, SD. Visitation will be 5-7:00 p.m. Monday at the Price Funeral Chapel in Forman, ND.

Mary Ann (Nehls) Fliehs was born on August 20, 1928 near Groton, SD to Fred Henry and Dora Emma Anna (Hopps) Nehls. She grew up and attended school in the Groton area.

On November 7, 1945 she married Marvin Fliehs. They moved to Belle Glade, Florida in 1956 and returned to the Dakotas in 1959. At that time they took up farming in the Brampton, ND area. In 1963, they moved to a farmstead near Cogswell, ND. In the 1980's, Mary Ann began working at the Farmers Inn in Havana, ND and worked there for several years. Marvin passed away on November 19, 2014 and in April of 2015, Mary Ann moved to Forman to an apartment and lived there before entering the Four Seasons Healthcare in June of 2016.

Mary Ann was a member of St. John's Lutheran Church of Britton, SD. She also belonged to the American Legion Auxiliary. She enjoyed baking, especially donuts, cooking for her kids, playing cards at the Kwik Stop every morning and on Tuesday with her friends in Havana and with family, playing bingo and going to the casino.

Mary Ann fell asleep Thursday, June 17, 2016 at the Four Seasons Healthcare at the age of 87

Grateful for having shared her life are her four sons: Marvin (Julie) Fliehs, Jr., Cogswell, ND; Douglas Fliehs, Kidder, SD; Darwin (Sandra) Fliehs, Forman, ND; and Dennis (Lisa Janes) Fliehs, Cogswell, ND; five grandchildren: Kristy (Donavan) Hajek and Kirk Fliehs, both of Forman, ND; Erika (Sean) Parrow and Corey Fliehs, both of Havana, ND and Matt (Kaitlyn) Fliehs, Wilmot, SD; five great grandchildren: Alexius and Colby Hajek and LeiLani Ringer, all of Forman, ND; Brytan Fliehs, Wilmot, SD and Deagan Parrow, Havana, ND; two brothers: Maurice Nehls, Langford, SD and Carrol "Spike" (Pat) Nehls, Groton, SD; a number of nieces, nephews and their families, and a special dear friend and neighbor Deloris Wittich.

Preceding her in death were her maternal and paternal grandparents, her parents, two sisters: Grace Blondo and Bernice Prunty and two brothers: Dallas and Howard Nehls.

Condolences may be directed to the family in care of Dennis Fliehs – 12792 96th Street SE – Cogswell, ND 58017.