

# Josephine Hushka

Josephine Hushka, 72, of Groton, died November 14, 2001 at Avera St. Luke's Hospital in Aberdeen. Mass of Christian Burial was held Saturday, Nov. 17 at St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Catholic Church, Groton. Father David Janes officiated. Burial followed in the Union Cemetery under the direction of Paetznick-Garness Funeral Chapel, Groton.

Josephine Ann Paluck was born on March 16, 1929 to John and Ann (Radakowski) Paluck in New Hradec, N.D. She attended school in Belfield, N.D., graduating from high school in 1946. On November 16, 1948 she married Benjamin Hushka in Dickinson, N.D. The couple owned and operated The Wilton Cafe and Hotel in Wilton, N.D.; from 1948-1961. They then moved to Groton.

Josephine was a member of St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Catholic Church and its Altar Society.

Survivors include her husband, Ben, of Groton, two sons: DuWayne (Diane) Hushka of Faulkton; Ben (Marcie) Hushka of Fargo; one daughter Deb (Jeff) Richardson of Blaine, Minn.; one step-brother George Paluck of Spokane, Wash.; one step-sister Evelyn Stuss of Portland, Ore.; six grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

She was preceded in death by her birth mother, father and step-mother.

