



Clara Trocinsky

August 7, 1911 - July 23, 2003

Clara Tillman Trocinsky, age 91, of Glendive, passed away on Saturday, July 19, 2003, at Magnolia Place care center in Billings. A Memory service for family and friends will be held at 7:00 P.M., Tuesday July 22, 2003 at the Chapel of the Silvernale-Silha Funeral Home in Glendive. Funeral services will be held at 10:00 A.M., Wednesday, July 23, 2003 at Our Savior Lutheran Church in Glendive with Pastor James Hageman officiating. Interment will be in the Dawson County Cemetery in Glendive. Silvernale-Silha Funeral Home of Glendive is entrusted with arrangements. Clara was born August 7, 1911 in Glendive, Montana. The daughter of Charles and Anna Tillman, Clara was raised on the Tillman homestead, near Bloomfield, Montana and attended Seven Mile grade school. Clara was quite the tomboy and she loved the country, sometimes riding horses to school. She attended school in Glendive and Billings Polytechnic Institute. After the death of her father in 1936 she took care of her mother in Glendive while working as a legal secretary. She met and fell in love with Tom Trocinsky and they were married in 1941 in Billings where they resided. Clara remained at home and cared for her mother until the time of her death in 1946. Her husband Tom, a railroader, was transferred to Mandan, ND in 1947 where they resided until 1949 at which time they were transferred back to Glendive with the Northern Pacific Railroad. Clara was a generous, loving person who was always giving and thinking of other people. She loved being with family and friends, her many nieces and nephews and grandnieces and nephews. Hosting family holiday

gatherings and playing cards were her delight. She loved winning at cribbage. Clara was an avid volunteer, an active member of Our Savior Lutheran Church in Glendive, she also enjoyed traveling, music and any occasion for a good time. Clara loved the Lord and lived her life in service to Him. She was an example to her family and a role model. Although Clara and her husband did not have any children she was a guiding light in the lives of her nieces and nephews. She will always be loved and truly missed by her family. Clara was preceded in death by her parents, her husband Tom, her dear friend Val Pfau, and her brothers Clarence and Harry Tillman. Her loving family includes nieces and nephews, Cherylee and Mike Popiel of Bozeman, Montana, and their children Brian Popiel and Lindsey Mercier, Charles and Loretta Tillman of Nampa, Idaho and their children Rich, Randy and Jon Tillman, Sharon Reil of Billings, Montana, and her children Matthew Reil, Desiree Gauer, Clint Reil, Johanna Fields, Julie Hugelen, Becky Reil and Anthony Reil. Jerry and Cindy Tillman of Bloomfield, Montana, and their children Laurie Tillman, Debbie Simmons, Chris Greiner, and Cindy's three boys; Adam, Pat and Greg, Thomas Tillman of Mohaje, Arizona and his children Troy and Travis Tillman, and Patricia and Jim Reynolds of Billings, Montana. and their children Rob Kubesh, Blaine Kubesh and Rachel Huncovsky, and numerous great-great-nieces and nephews. God Bless You Dear Aunt Clara. Your memories will always be with us.

Tribute Wall



“ *Clara Trocinsky*

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