



Donna Eckes

January 1, 1753 - October 14, 2006

Donna Eckes, 90, of Beach, North Dakota passed away on Wednesday, October 11, 2006 at St. Joseph Hospital in Dickinson, North Dakota. Visitation will be from 9:00 A.M. to 8:00 P.M., Friday, October 13, 2006 in the Chapel of the Silvernale-Silha Funeral Home in Beach. A Vigil will be held at 7:00 P.M., Friday, October 13, 2006 in the Chapel of the Silvernale-Silha Funeral Home in Beach. A Mass of Christian Burial will be celebrated at 10:30 A.M., Saturday, October 14, 2006 at St. John the Baptist Catholic Church in Beach, North Dakota with Rev. David Richter officiating. Rite of Committal will follow at St. John's Cemetery in Beach. Silvernale-Silha Funeral Home of Beach is entrusted with arrangements. Donna was born on September 13, 1916, in Slope County, North Dakota, the daughter of Carl and Bridget (O'Malley) Knudson. She received her education in the Amidon, North Dakota public school and graduated from highschool in New England, North Dakota. Donna was married to William Lester Eckes in Amidon on December 2, 1939. They moved several times before settling in Beach in 1946, where she resided until the time of her death. Donna was a member of St. John the Baptist Catholic Church, St. Ann's Guild and the American Legion Auxiliary. She was a Gold Star Mother and an avid Bridge player. Donna was preceded in death by her parents; her husband William L Eckes; three children, William C. "Bill" Eckes, Karlin "Tiny" Reetz, and John "Jack" Eckes; three grandchildren; three brothers and two sisters. Donna is survived by her daughters, Margot Eckes of Beach, North Dakota, Bridget Schmidt and her husband Lee of Sioux Falls,

South Dakota, and Mary Jean Clegg and her husband Bill of Golden Valley, Arizona; her son, Robert Lester Eckes and his wife Pat of Las Vegas, Nevada; daughter-in-law, Pat Eckes of Dickinson; thirteen grandchildren, Diane Wood , Lana Solbrilsky, Lori Reetz, Robin Reetz, Robert Reetz, Marty Wyse, Kristi Pechtl, Bill Eckes, Greg Eckes, John Eckes, Nicole Buss, Adrian Bieber and Audrey Bieber; and one brother Thomas Knudson of Ft. Yukon, Alaska.

Tribute Wall



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