



Eileen Malkuch

January 7, 1908 - November 25, 2003

Eileen Marie Malkuch, age 95, of Glendive, passed away on Tuesday, November 18, 2003 at her home in Glendive. A Vigil service will be held at 7:00 P.M., Monday, November 24, 2003 in the Chapel of the Silvernale-Silha Funeral Home in Glendive. Mass of Christian Burial will be held at 11:00 A.M., Tuesday, November 25, 2003 at the Sacred Heart Catholic Church in Glendive with Father Joseph Ponessa officiating. Rite of Committal will be in the Dawson Memorial Cemetery in Glendive. Silvernale-Silha Funeral Home of Glendive is entrusted with arrangements. Eileen was born on January 7, 1908 in Butte, Montana, the daughter of Irish parents, Timothy and Johanna (Flanagan) McCarthy. She attended Butte public schools, graduating from Butte Central with the class of 1925. After earning a scholarship to St. Mary College in Leavenworth, Kansas, she graduated from there with a teaching degree in 1927. During the 1928 and 1929 school years, she taught north of Terry, Montana at Dersham School. Later, Eileen taught at St. Vincent's Academy in Helena in 1930 and 1931. In 1933, while teaching at Sunrise School in the Pleasantview area, she met Walter "Bud" Malkuch. They were married in Butte on May 27, 1935. After ranching and farming in the Pleasantview area until 1944, Bud and Eileen moved to the Deer Creek community, where they continued to farm and ranch until retiring in 1974. In October of 1983, they moved to the Manor Apartments in Glendive. Eileen's hobbies and interests included reading, crocheting, playing cards, and traveling with her family. One of the highlights of her life was three trips to

Ireland with her children to visit the area where her parents were born and raised. Eileen will be remembered for her zest for life, great wit, concern for others and independent spirit. She was preceded in death by her parents; three sisters; two brothers; a nephew; her husband Walter "Bud" in 1987 and one son, Larry in 1998. Survivors include her daughters, Kathy Springer and her husband Fred of Reardan, Washington and Dani McCollom of Lewistown, Montana; her son, Jerry Malkuch of Havre, Montana; grandson, Brett Springer and his wife Cathi of Houston, Texas; great grandsons, Austin and Dalton Springer and numerous nieces and nephews. Memorials may be made to the Glendive Medical Center Hospice, 202 Prospect Drive, Glendive, MT 59330; Sacred Heart Catholic Church, 316 W. Benham, Glendive, MT 59330; Dawson County Senior Citizens Center, 323 E. Barry, Glendive, MT 59330; or the charity of the donor's choice.

Tribute Wall



“ *Eileen Malkuch*

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