



Ella Siegle

June 20, 1924 - October 13, 2015

Ella Siegle, age 91, of Cracker Box, Glendive, Montana, passed away peacefully surrounded by her children on Tuesday, October 13, 2015 at her home of 69 years. Visitation will be held from 5:00 P.M. until 8:00 P.M. on Monday, October 19, 2015 at the Silha Funeral Home in Glendive. A Family and Friends Service will be held at 7:00 P.M. on Monday, October 19, 2015 at Silha Funeral Home in Glendive. Funeral Services will be held at 11:00 A.M. on Tuesday, October 20, 2015 at Grace Lutheran Church in Fallon, Montana with Reverend Howard Schreibeis officiating. Interment will be held in the Dawson Memorial Cemetery in Glendive. Silha Funeral Home of Glendive has been entrusted with the arrangements.

Ella was born June 20, 1924 in Marsh, Montana to Henry and Emma (Kosel) Selzle. She was raised on the family farm with her two sisters Edna and Elnora. She attended grade school at rural Strobel School and graduated from Terry High School in 1943. While attending high school she worked at the Kempton Hotel for room and board. Ella was united in marriage to Fred Siegle on November 24, 1946 at Trinity Lutheran Church on Bad Route, just a half mile from where she would spend the next 69 years. In December of 1946 they purchased unit # 36 from Buffalo Rapids Irrigation Project. Her husband, Fred and her father, Henry helped build the project and Ella was one of the last remaining original residents living on the Buffalo Rapids Project.

Ella was a 4-H Leader, a member of the Hill and Dale Homemakers Club, Grace Lutheran Church LWML, and church quilters guild. She enjoyed working in her beautiful large yard, making birdhouses, sewing and numerous other craft projects, playing cards, putting puzzles together, and cooking and baking for not only her own but a very large extended family. She also was an avid church member of Grace Lutheran Church of Fallon. She enjoyed spending precious time with her family and Sunday gatherings at her home has become a family tradition. Her favorite time of year was Christmas and her Christmas Village was one of her most beloved possessions. She was an angel on earth to her family and everyone that knew her, and she has left a void in all of their lives.

Ella is survived by her son and caretaker, Richard Siegle; daughters, Flo Olson (Mark) of Anchorage, Alaska, Charla Dukart of rural Glendive, Vicki Lindvig (Bob) of Fallon, Montana; Louise Schaffel (Jim) of Billings, Montana, and Gena Martinson (Ken) of Billings; son-in-law Max Underwood (Gail) of Billings; grandchildren, Heather Carter (Bobby), Shawn Dukart (Mel), Shane Dukart (Beth), Kristian Lindvig, Jeremy Olson, Lisa Ballew (Ben), Sadie Lindvig (Justin), Ashley Underwood, and Stephanie Schaffel; and great-grandchildren, Teryn Dukart, Madison and Alex Peaton, Gavin and Lexie Dukart, Cooper and Coby Ballew, Kaylee Lindvig, and Destinee Olson.

Should friends desire memorials may be made to Glendive Medical Center Hospice, 202 Prospect Drive, Glendive, Montana 59330.

Cemetery Details

Dawson Memorial Cemetery

2816 West Towne Street
Glendive, MT 59330

Previous Events

Visitation

OCT 19. 5:00 PM - 8:00 PM (MT)

Silha Funeral Homes - Glendive, Montana
221 N. Meade Avenue
P.O. Box 848
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Family & Friends Service

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Service

OCT **20**. 11:00 AM (MT)

Grace Lutheran Church
421 Curry Avenue
Fallon, MT 59326

Tribute Wall



“ *Ella Siegle*

December 07, 2022 at 04:10 PM



“ *Aunt Ella was so awesome. She reminded us of all the good in the world and the way it use to be. She was always interesting, fun and there to help when needed. She was the last of a great generation, but then we now have the rest of you to carry on and we think you do an amazing job - what a fun, supportive family! Our love and support is sent your way - wish we could be with you thru this! Hugs ~ Jim & Chris*

Christine Feickert - October 19, 2015 at 03:19 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Ella Siegle.*



October 15, 2015 at 11:29 PM



“ *Marjorie and Bill McLaren purchased the Heavenly Heights Bouquet for the family of Ella Siegle.*



Marjorie and Bill McLaren - October 15, 2015 at 09:48 PM

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“ So very sorry to hear about your mom. I remember picking sweet corn in the Siegles field when I was in high school. She and Fred were so kind. Our sympathies to all of you. You'll be in our thoughts and prayers. Love to all.
Lance and Lisa Kalfell and family.

Lisa Kalfell - October 15, 2015 at 01:53 PM

PZ

“ We were so saddened to hear of Ella's passing. I will miss running in to her and catching up! She was one of my favorite neighbor ladies while growing up. Always a kind word and a smile! God's blessings to you all! Hugs and love.

Penny and Don Zimmerman - October 14, 2015 at 09:00 PM