



## Florence Evelyn Ross

September 26, 1924 - April 5, 2020

Florence Evelyn Ross, age 95, of Beach, North Dakota passed away on Sunday, April 5, 2020 at the Wibaux County Nursing Home in Wibaux, Montana. A Private Family Funeral Service will be held at First Lutheran Church. Interment will take place at the Beach City Cemetery. Silha Funeral Home of Beach has been entrusted with the arrangements.

Florence was born on September 26, 1924 at the Beach Hospital to William and Katherine (Booth) Larson. She lived on a farm twenty miles south of Wibaux, Montana with her parents; her brothers, Arthur and George and her sisters, Lucille and Inez. Her father passed away in 1928, at an early age of thirty-two years. Katherine and her children moved to her grandparent's home on a farm, south of Wibaux. Florence attended Prairie View School until the family moved to Wibaux to attend high school. She graduated from Wibaux High School with the class of 1943.

Florence was united in marriage to Orval Ross on September 23, 1943 in Billings, Montana. They lived on the Ross farm, north of Beach, where they farmed with Orval's father, Hugh and brother, Clair Ross. From this union three sons were born: Richard, Gary and Bradley.

Florence was employed as a library aide for the Beach grade school and high school for twenty-nine years. She was a member of the First Lutheran Church of Beach and was a charter member of Trivent of Beach Lutheran. Florence enjoyed oil painting and took lessons from Rosemary Landsberger of Bismarck, North Dakota. She also enjoyed attending basketball games.

Florence is preceded in death by her husband, Orval Ross; her parents, William and Katherine Larson; her sisters, Lucille Lynch and Inez Bergman; her brothers, Arthur and George Larson; a daughter-in-law, Maria Ross and grandchildren, Mary and Scott Ross.

Florence is survived by her three sons, Richard, Gary and Bradley Ross; her grandchildren; great grandchildren and great-great grandchildren.

Remembrances and condolences may be shared with the family at: [www.silhafuneralhomes.com](http://www.silhafuneralhomes.com).

# Cemetery Details

## Beach Lutheran Cemetery

Beach, ND 58621

# Events

Details are pending.

# Tribute Wall



“ Florence Evelyn Ross

December 07, 2022 at 04:10 PM



“ Rachel Keohane lit a candle in memory of Florence Evelyn Ross



Rachel Keohane - April 09, 2020 at 03:41 PM



“ Pat Feldmann lit a candle in memory of Florence Evelyn Ross



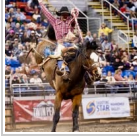
pat Feldmann - April 08, 2020 at 10:06 PM



“ Roxanne Ross McGrath lit a candle in memory of Florence Evelyn Ross



Roxanne Ross McGrath - April 08, 2020 at 12:51 PM



“ I loved this woman. When I was working for the school and things got crazy she was my lifeline. I would sneak down to the library and she would listen to me and put my feet back on the ground. I watched from afar, as she lovingly cradled her granddaughters as they suffered through the loss of their mother, her daughter-in-law, Maria. Florence was an inspiration to many without even knowing it. She is one of the people in my life who made me want to be a better person...like she was. May she rest in the arms of the angels. (Hug Maria for us dear Florence.)

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**Carol TescherObrigewitch** - April 08, 2020 at 11:26 AM

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“ We thought the world of Aunt Florence! You are in our thoughts and prayers. John and Angie Ross

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**Angie Ross** - April 07, 2020 at 05:24 PM

JH

“ Florence was a kind generous lady. She was a friend of mine through Lincoln Elementary School and First Lutheran church. We shared many good laughs for years. Her paintings are a legacy of all her dear talents. I shall dearly miss our visits at the ending of her life. She truly taught me how to handle facing our ending and to put it into God's hands! I shall dearly miss a forever friend.

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**Jo Heckaman** - April 07, 2020 at 03:42 PM

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What a dear friend and my right hand library aide Florence was for so many years. We shared lots of things school, family and community wise. She was an inspiration to many and will be missed. Peace to all.

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**Rae Ann Gilbertson** - April 07, 2020 at 05:23 PM



*What a classy lady and so much fun to be in her company. Florence brought joy to this world!*

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**Suzi Williams** - April 20, 2020 at 09:54 PM