



Gladys Berger

December 5, 1919 - March 15, 2016

Gladys Berger peacefully departed this earth on Tuesday, March 15, 2016 at the Wibaux County Nursing Home in Wibaux, Montana. Visitation will be held from 9:00 A.M. until 5:00 P.M. and from 6:00 P.M. until 8:00 P.M. on Thursday, March 17, 2016 at the Silha Funeral Home in Beach, North Dakota. A Prayer Service will be held at 7:00 P.M. on Thursday, March 17, 2016 at the Silha Funeral Home in Beach. Funeral Services will be held at 2:00 P.M. on Friday, March 18, 2016 at the Beach Evangelical Church with Pastor Ben Baker officiating. Interment will follow services at the Beach City Cemetery. Silha Funeral Home of Beach has been entrusted with the arrangements.

Gladys Rena Ridenhower Berger was born on December 5, 1919 to John Victor and Jessie (Franzen) Klein at Sentinel Butte, North Dakota. She grew up in the Square Butte area and attended the Square Butte School.

Gladys married Robert "Bob" Ridenhower on February 3, 1939 in Wibaux. They worked on ranches in the Sentinel Butte area until moving to Trotters in the early 1940's. She raised a big garden and did lots of cooking and canning for her family of eight. The family moved to a farm east of Sentinel Butte in the fall of 1950. Bob farmed and worked for the NPRR. During those years, Gladys worked at various jobs including Bublitz Jewlery, Johnstone Memorial Hospital and painting numerous houses and barns. Six children were born to them: Robert James, Gladys Jean, Howard, Judy, Marilyn and Gary. Bob passed away in 1973 and Gladys continued painting for several years. She was united in marriage to Edward Berger on April 8, 1983. They were married

for thirty-one years, until Ed's passing in 2014. Gladys gained three step-daughters, Shelly, Lynette and Rynell from this marriage.

Gladys enjoyed visiting with folks, sewing, quilting, crocheting and knitting. She had many friends who enjoyed her friendly smile and generous concern. Gladys was a long time member of the Beach Evangelical Church. She taught Sunday school and enjoyed Women's Fellowship for many years.

Gladys was preceded in death by her parents, Vic and Jessie; her husband Bob and her husband Ed; her sons, Jim and Howard Ridenhower; her brothers, John and George Klein and Ed Olson and her sisters, Mabel Olson and Alice Wentland.

Gladys is survived by her daughters, Jean (George) Stull of Yankton, South Dakota, Judy Ridenhower of Beach, Marilyn (Joe) Snyder of Bismarck, North Dakota; her daughters-in-law, Linda Ridenhower of Beach and Linda Wright of Chula Vista, California; her son, Gary (Lois) Ridenhower of Beach; her stepdaughters; Shelly (Rod) Mills of Nampa, Idaho, Lynette (Harlan) Thiel of Cheyenne, Wyoming and Rynell Schlasky of Brookings, South Dakota; thirteen grandchildren; four step-grandchildren; eighteen great grandchildren; two great-great grandchildren and numerous nieces and nephews.

Remembrances and condolences may be shared with the family at: www.silhafuneralhomes.com.

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Cemetery Details

Beach City Cemetery

Beach, ND 58621

Previous Events

Visitation

MAR 17. 9:00 AM - 5:00 PM (MT)

Silha Funeral Homes - Beach, North Dakota
125 4th Avenue Southwest
P.O. Box 488
Beach, ND 58621
(701) 872-3232
silha@midstate.net

Visitation

MAR 17. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (MT)

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Prayer Service

MAR 17. 7:00 PM (MT)

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Service

MAR 18. 2:00 PM (MT)

Grace Church
1060 3rd Avenue NW
Beach, ND 58621

Tribute Wall



“ Gladys Berger

December 07, 2022 at 04:10 PM



“ I remember visiting at the Ridenhower home east of Sentinel Butte. I was in the same grade as Marilyn. Gladys was always such a nice sweet woman and always made me feel welcome. May she rest in peace.

Carol Tescher Obrigewitch - March 25, 2016 at 08:24 PM



“ Wayne and Mavis Clinton purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Gladys Berger.



Wayne and Mavis Clinton - March 17, 2016 at 05:34 PM



“ Gladys was a very delightful lady and will be missed by many. Prayers to her family. Alice Kunick

alice kumick - March 17, 2016 at 02:45 PM

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“ *Brad Kubas purchased the Country Basket Blooms for the family of Gladys Berger.*



Brad Kubas - March 17, 2016 at 11:37 AM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Gladys Berger.*



March 17, 2016 at 08:49 AM