



## Helen Anna Granmoe

January 25, 1920 - July 4, 2025

Helen Anna Granmoe, age 105 of Glendive, Montana passed away on Friday, July 4, 2025 at the Heritage Assisted Living in Glendive. Visitation will be held from 6:00 PM until 8:00 PM on Tuesday, July 8, 2025 at the Silha Funeral Home in Glendive. Mass of Christian Burial will be at 10:00 AM on Wednesday, July 9, 2025 at Sacred Heart Catholic Church in Glendive with Father Francis Schreiber officiating. Rite of Committal will be in the Dawson County Cemetery in Glendive. Silha Funeral Home of Glendive has been entrusted with the arrangements.

Helen was born on Jan. 25, 1920 in Glendive, a daughter of Patrick W. and Jane (Daly) McGovern.

Helen was raised and educated in Dawson County attending rural Valley View country school and graduated from Dawson County High School with the class of 1938. Following graduation Helen worked her way through college earning her Teacher's Certificate from Western Montana College in Dillon and taught in rural Dawson County schools.

She met George Granmoe and they were married in July 1941. They became established in farming in the Lindsay area until 1961 when they moved to Glendive. George became the operator of the Glendive Livestock Sales Co. where he was active in until the time of his death in 1991.

Helen moved to the Meadowlark apartments in 2008. She was a dedicated homemaker involved in her family activities. Attending the Grandchildren's sporting events was important for her. She enjoyed sewing, crafts, and daily walks.

Helen volunteered countless hours in the Glendive School system and GMC Extended Care. She was a member of Altar Society, Sacred Heart Quilters, Sacred Heart Choir, Catholic Daughters, Lindsay Homemakers, GMC Hospital Auxillary, and Women of the Moose.

Helen was preceded in death by her parents; Jane and Pat McGovern, her husband, George, in 1991, brother Gerald McGovern, and sisters; Lucile Schneider, Grace Berbert, Ruth Ekland, Elaine Roos, and Mary Slagsvold. She was also preceded in death by Granddaughter, Deidre Edwards.

Survivors of Helen include: Ronnie (Janette) Granmoe; Glendive, Georgia (Gary) Nentwig; Maricopa, AZ, Ray (Lynn) Granmoe; Glendive, Rita (Gary) Edwards; Glendive, Mary (Bob) DeWit; Manhattan, MT, and Fay McKnight; The Woodlands; TX. Helen is survived by 17 Grandchildren, 22 Great grandchildren, and 4 Great Great Grandchildren.

In lieu of flowers; memorials can be given to Glendive Senior Center, Glendive Frontier Museum, and the Dawson College Foundation.

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

# Cemetery Details

## Dawson County Cemetery

Corner of North Sargent Ave. and East Allard  
Street  
Glendive, MT 59330

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JUL 8. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (MT)

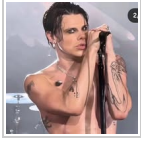
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## Mass of Christian Burial

JUL 9. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (MT)

Sacred Heart Catholic Church  
316 West Benham Street  
Glendive, MT 59330

# Tribute Wall



“ *What a wonderful age to live to.  
You were blessed to have her so long.  
Our sympathy to Rita, Ronnie & Ray. As well  
as the rest of Helen's family.  
Prayers for Peace.  
~~~Kymber and Rayne Allen  
aka: Kymberley (Sell) Allen*



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**Kymberley Allen** - July 23, 2025 at 12:00 AM

DT

“ *Rita, so sorry to hear of your mother's passing. At 105 her life must  
have grand!*

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**Diane Walker Tompkins** - July 22, 2025 at 09:29 AM

JS

“ *Helen was so special to me! I had the honor  
of being her hairdresser for many years! I  
loved our visits, her positive attitude and how  
proud she was of her family and faith!! I asked  
her one time the biggest change in 103 years  
and she said people!! I will never forget her precious smile!!! Kevin  
has gained one amazing angel!*



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**Jacky Boje Saur** - July 14, 2025 at 07:54 PM

DB

“ Condolences to the family of Helen Anna Granmoe during this difficult time. Cherish old memories of the great times you had with her. Prayers for all.



Denise Borotrager - July 10, 2025 at 07:29 PM

MA

“ Helen, a dear lady with such a kind spirit. Sincere condolences to her families and friends. A life well lived, may she rest in peace.

Mary Lou Ayre - July 10, 2025 at 07:56 AM

GS

“ Our thoughts and prayers are with the Granmoe families..

Gordy and Judy Schmitt - July 08, 2025 at 07:40 PM

CR

“ Prayers to the family during this precious time. Helen will be missed by many.

Carol Chouinard Riddle - July 07, 2025 at 11:15 PM

JB

“ Jim And Alice Bachmeier lit a candle in memory of Helen Anna Granmoe



Jim and Alice Bachmeier - July 07, 2025 at 10:06 PM

HS

“ *Helen Bjerkreim Schmitz lit a candle in memory of Helen Anna Granmoe*



Helen Bjerkreim Schmitz - July 07, 2025 at 09:23 PM

RD

“ *My very deepest sympathy to the Granmoe family. She was a very loving and and careing lady. Alway helpful to all. She will be deeply missed.*



Rita Van Dusen - July 07, 2025 at 03:37 PM

AR

“ *Andeen Raymond lit a candle in memory of Helen Anna Granmoe*



Andeen Raymond - July 07, 2025 at 01:18 PM



“ *So sorry to hear of Helen's passing. Wow, 105! She led a very long and beautiful life. We would see her walking all the time all over town. She was such an active lady. Our sympathy to the family. Cherish the memories!  
Arvid and Sherry Corneliusen*

Sherry Corneliusen - July 07, 2025 at 09:59 AM

GK

“ Grace Koffler lit a candle in memory of Helen Anna Granmoe



Grace Koffler - July 07, 2025 at 07:49 AM

DE

“ Don and Deb Evans sent a virtual gift in memory of Helen Granmoe



Don and Deb Evans - July 06, 2025 at 10:36 PM

DV

“ Deb Pete Vogel lit a candle in memory of Helen Granmoe



Deb Pete Vogel - July 06, 2025 at 09:18 PM

PL

“ Pam Lewis lit a candle in memory of Helen Granmoe



Pam Lewis - July 06, 2025 at 09:01 PM

MK

“ *Mary Kutzler lit a candle in memory of Helen Granmoe*



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**Mary Kutzler** - July 06, 2025 at 06:56 PM

KW

“ *Our condolences to Helen’s family. She was a special lady and so respected in our community. I enjoyed working with her at kindergarten screenings throughout the years. She really enjoyed seeing the kids. I hope she’s enjoying catching up with her heavenly sisters. Take care.*

*Wilbur & Karen Wallace*

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**Karen Wallace** - July 06, 2025 at 06:39 PM

DS

“ *Denise Stoddart lit a candle in memory of Helen Granmoe*



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**Denise Stoddart** - July 06, 2025 at 06:27 PM

KS

“ *To the Granmoe family. Noren and I are so sorry to hear of your loss. Helen was one of those ladies that always greeted you with a smile and a little conversation. May she rest in peace in the lord’s hands*



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**Karen Shanley** - July 06, 2025 at 04:32 PM

SS

“ *Sorry for Alls Liss*



Sue Nentwig Schwindt - July 06, 2025 at 04:17 PM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Helen Anna Granmoe.*



July 06, 2025 at 03:02 PM

MK

“ *Myrna Kintz lit a candle in memory of Helen Granmoe*



Myrna Kintz - July 06, 2025 at 02:40 PM



“ *Linda Wyse lit a candle in memory of Helen Granmoe*



Linda Wyse - July 06, 2025 at 12:18 PM

RB

“ *Helen was a delightful, kind lady and one I truly admired. My sincere sympathy goes out to her family. Rest in peace Helen!* ”

Rosemary Baldwin - July 06, 2025 at 09:31 AM

KR

“ *It was such an honor and privilege to come to know Helen, what a truly remarkable lady. I will miss sharing a conversation with her, seeing her get her daily walking in and her beautiful smile. If ever someone earned angels wings, it was Helen. Her legacy lives on in a family that shared so much love throughout her life. Rest in eternal peace, sweet Helen. ♡* ”

Kristine - July 05, 2025 at 10:55 PM

LD

“ *Linda Deines lit a candle in memory of Helen Granmoe* ”



Linda Deines - July 05, 2025 at 10:43 PM

CH

“ *Helen was the epitome of poise, kindness, and devotion. We are all blessed to have been gifted Helen in our lives. She was absolutely radiant. As they say, "The world is a better place..." most definitely because of her. Rest in peace, dear lady and enjoy your sweet eternal rewards.* ”

Connie Hilger - July 05, 2025 at 10:28 PM

JL

“ Thinking of all Helen’s family. She was a very special lady who was an inspiration to many. She will be missed.



Janette Legato - July 05, 2025 at 10:06 PM

KJ

“ Kay McDonough Jensen lit a candle in memory of Helen Granmoe



Kay McDonough Jensen - July 05, 2025 at 10:04 PM

JS

“ Ms Helen was such a sweet lady and amazing, I enjoyed listening to her sing she had the most beautiful voice. She will be missed. To Helen’s family, my thoughts and prayers are with you all.

jess swanson - July 05, 2025 at 09:47 PM

MM

“ Marla McCormick lit a candle in memory of Helen Granmoe



Marla McCormick - July 05, 2025 at 09:35 PM

AA

“ To the family of Helen Granmoe: You lost the matriarch of your family and the community lost a dear soul. She was a model of courtesy, faith, and a loving spirit. She approached life with a special gift of God's grace and shared it with all of us. You especially will miss her, but so will we all.  
Remembering Helen with love, Avis Anderson

Avis Anderson - July 05, 2025 at 06:35 PM

DH

“ Dustin H. purchased the Country Basket Blooms for the family of Helen Anna Granmoe.



Dustin H. - July 05, 2025 at 05:50 PM

DH

“ Dustin H. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Helen Anna Granmoe.

Dustin H. - July 05, 2025 at 05:50 PM



“ Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Helen Anna Granmoe.



July 05, 2025 at 05:47 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Helen Anna Granmoe.

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“ Helen was an amazing lady. Loved visiting with her. Rest in Peace Helen 🌹🌹 Sending Prayers to your Family  
Gary and Lynn Ingraham



Lynn Ingraham - July 05, 2025 at 05:18 PM



“ Condolences to all of Helen's family! She lived a very active life and will be missed! Loved having a little chat with her when we would happen to meet. She was a very sweet lady.

Cherise Patterson - July 05, 2025 at 05:13 PM



“ shirley wolff lit a candle in memory of Helen Granmoe



shirley wolff - July 05, 2025 at 02:15 PM



“ Please accept my condolences, following the death of your mother. She was a wonderful woman, whom mother thought a great deal.  
Sondra Krogstad

Sondra Krogstad - July 05, 2025 at 01:32 PM

CH

“ *Carol Chouinard Hanson sent a virtual gift in memory of Helen Granmoe*



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**Carol Chouinard Hanson** - July 05, 2025 at 12:18 PM