



Lucylle Colbrese

April 14, 1930 - February 15, 2022

Lucylle Colbrese, age 91 of Glendive, Montana, passed away on Tuesday, February 15, 2022 at the Glendive Medical Center in Glendive. Born to George and Avis Williams in Golva, ND on April 14, 1930 she was one of 13 children. Lucylle attended school in Carlyle, MT then moved to Glendive in 1946 where she attended DCHS. She met and married the love of her life, Carl Colbrese, Jr. in 1947. To them a daughter, Linda, was born in 1949 which soon afterward they moved to Miles City. David, Kerry, Alane, and Cynthia were born there. Lucylle worked at the Holy Rosary Hospital from 1965 to 1967. The Colbrese family then moved back to Glendive where Dad helped his sister, Francis Tomalino operate Tomalino's Radio and TV. Kimberly was born in 1967. Mom then went to work in the OB department for 11 years loving every minute. She was a member of the VFW Ladies Auxiliary for many years. Carl & Lucylle owned Carl's TV and Appliance from 1973 until 1991. They traveled extensively including 6 trips overseas. After retiring, they enjoyed being home with family. She liked playing cards and scrabble. She loved planting flowers and caring for her plants. In 2001, Mom got her first computer and even her own smart phone, although sometimes autocorrect would get the best of her. Mom enjoyed her time at the Senior Citizens Center having lunch and playing cards. She especially enjoyed Sunday home cooked spaghetti dinner, a tradition that started way back with Ta & Grandma Colbrese. She loved seeing her grandchildren and great grandchildren together. After her husband (Carl) passed away, she helped her son, Kerry at

KC's Sound & Service until 2003. At 76 years of age, she started a new job working at the Glendive Chamber of Commerce as a greeter and secretarial duties. After 6 years she retired but continued volunteer work there until 2013. Survivors include son, Kerry Colbrese (Lee Hubbell) of Mesa, AZ, daughters Alane (James) Hemphill of Concord, NC and Kimberly Colbrese of Glendive. Grandchildren Nicholas (Darci) Colbrese, Philip (Sarah) Colbrese, Adam (Kim) Dietrich, Brian (Moriah) Dietrich, Steven Meland, Chase (Sami) Colbrese, Heddi Koncilya, Katie (Edgar) Romero, Andrea (Corey) Dinardi and Cody Trangmoe. Great Grandchildren Jacobi Dietrich, Alayna Dietrich (Courdray Phillips), Kendall Dietrich (Nicholas Montero), Brooklyn Dietrich, Calais Trotman, Gage Colbrese, Morgan Colbrese, Kendon Meland, Anna Meland, Linda (Romy), Aubree, Landon, Elias, Myra, Ben and another on the way. Great-Great Grandchildren Elliya, Amara, Cameron, and Abigail. Sister, Nancy Goodale of Beach ND and 3 sisters-in-law, Janet Bjelland of Billings, Jackie Colbrese of Black Hawk, SD and Inger Williams of Portland, OR and numerous nieces and nephews.

Preceding her in death were her parents, infant daughter, Cynthia, in 1965, husband, Carl, Jr, in 1996, daughter, Linda Koncilya, in 2004 and son, David Colbrese in 2016, sisters Hazel Workman, Dorothy Burke, Ruth Hahn and Leona Jakobson, brothers Floyd Williams, Lawrence Williams, Russell Clarke, Robert Williams, and Harvey Higby.

Because mom so loved gatherings with her family and friends, we will have an informal gathering of coffee & goodies on Saturday, February 26th at 2:30 in the dining room of Grandview. A Celebration of Life will take place Sunday, June 5th at 11:00 at the Kiwanis Group Use Shelter in Makoshika. Silha Funeral Home of Glendive has been entrusted with the arrangements.

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

Previous Events

Gathering

FEB **26**. 2:30 PM (MT)

Dining Room Of Grandview
1711 North Merrill Avenue
Glendive, MT 59330

Celebration of Life

JUN **5**. 11:00 AM (MT)

Kiwanis Group Use Shelter Makoshika State Park
1301 Snyder Street
Glendive, MT 59330

Tribute Wall

AB

“ I sent a Christmas card to Aunt Lucylle and it was returned so I looked up obituaries. I am so sorry for your loss. I have been in touch with her a few times a year after my dad, Harvey Higby died. She wrote me letters and Christmas cards. I moved last March so I don't know if an attempt to be informed of her passing but didn't receive. I would have come to her memorial. What a sweet lady. My condolences.

Angie Barron - December 27, 2022 at 09:41 PM



“ Lucylle Colbrese

December 07, 2022 at 04:10 PM

DS

“ Denise Stoddart lit a candle in memory of Lucylle Colbrese



Denise Stoddart - June 02, 2022 at 01:23 AM

BJ

“ I enjoyed every minute that I had with your Mom. She was one of the best.



Bob and Dixie Justice - June 01, 2022 at 03:02 PM

JH

“ Kim & Family, Sorry to hear of your mothers passing. Prayers to all.

Jana Hance - May 31, 2022 at 10:20 AM

LS

“ LaNette Simonton lit a candle in memory of Lucylle Colbrese



LaNette Simonton - March 10, 2022 at 04:19 PM

PA

“ Pat lit a candle in memory of Lucylle Colbrese



Pat - February 25, 2022 at 07:51 PM



“ Medium Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Lucylle Colbrese.



February 19, 2022 at 08:40 PM

GK

“ I was sad to learn of Lucylle's passing. She was a very special lady. I always enjoyed seeing her. I'm so sorry for your loss. My thoughts & prayers go out to all of you.

Gwen Kurtz - February 19, 2022 at 12:16 PM



“ Dovey Goodale lit a candle in memory of Lucylle Colbrese



Dovey Goodale - February 19, 2022 at 11:05 AM

DD

“ Daryl & Betty Lou Dekaye lit a candle in memory of Lucylle Colbrese



Daryl & Betty Lou Dekaye - February 18, 2022 at 11:54 PM

MM

“ Marie Meland lit a candle in memory of Lucylle Colbrese



Marie Meland - February 18, 2022 at 11:53 PM

MM

“ *She was a lovely lady. I'm praying for Peace and Comfort for your family. Sue, Steve, Anna, and Kendon, much love to you.*



Marie Meland - February 18, 2022 at 09:04 PM

KB

“ *My condolences to the family of Lucylle Colbrese. RIP... You will be missed.*

Kathy Boldt - February 18, 2022 at 08:38 PM

JB

“ *Julie Borst lit a candle in memory of Lucylle Colbrese*



Julie Borst - February 18, 2022 at 02:19 PM

JB

“ *Kim and Cody, sorry to here of your mom and Grandma. She was a sweet lady.*

Julie Borst - February 18, 2022 at 02:18 PM

CC

“ *My thoughts and prayers are with you all!! I just loved your Mom!!*

Cindy Cudmore - February 18, 2022 at 01:21 PM

DB

“ Our deepest sympathies during your time of loss. May your wonderful memories comfort you and help ease the pain of her loss.



Dale & Alisa Boehning - February 18, 2022 at 11:42 AM



“ My deepest sympathy to Lucille's family. She was a very nice lady.
Sincerely,
Myrna Kintz



Myrna Kintz - February 17, 2022 at 10:59 AM

PF

“ I remember Lucille when I had all my babies he was so sweet and kind. Went out of her way as a nurse god bless her rest in piece Lucille.



pat feldmann - February 17, 2022 at 10:54 AM



“ Sorry about your loss of your grandma and mom.
Tyler Pust

Tyler Pust - February 17, 2022 at 10:41 AM

TP

“ *Sorry about your loss of grandma and mom.*
Tyler Pust

Tyler Pust - February 17, 2022 at 10:38 AM

CH

“ *Carol Hanson lit a candle in memory of*
Lucylle Colbrese



Carol Hanson - February 16, 2022 at 09:33 PM

BA

“ *Barbara Anvik lit a candle in memory of*
Lucylle Colbrese



Barbara Anvik - February 16, 2022 at 08:50 PM

BT

“ *Colbrese Family! I'm so sorry to hear about*
your loss of your Precious Mother!
She was such a special lady! Always would
stop to visit when we saw each other!
Cherish all your memories and hold them close!
RIP Lucylle
Becky(Chouinard)Tipton



Becky Tipton - February 16, 2022 at 07:13 PM

JN

“ *Jack & Kathy Nicholson lit a candle in memory of Lucylle Colbrese*



Jack & Kathy Nicholson - February 16, 2022 at 06:29 PM

GP

“ *Thoughts and Prayers to the family.*



Ginger-Kelly Pulse - February 16, 2022 at 03:39 PM

LS

“ *So Sorry to hear of your loss. Lucylle was one of a kind and always was able to put a smile on my face. I only hope that I was able to repay that kindness to her. He spunk and quick wit will be greatly missed.*



Lindsay Sadorf - February 16, 2022 at 12:43 PM