



Mary E. Altner

July 9, 1923 - December 14, 2017

Mary Elizabeth Altner, age 94, of Glendive, Montana, passed away on Thursday, December 14, 2017 at the Glendive Medical Center. Visitation will be held from 10:00 A.M. to 2:00 P.M. on Monday, December 18, 2017 at Silha Funeral Home in Glendive. Funeral Service will be held at 2:00 P.M. on Monday, December 18, 2017 at Silha Funeral Home in Glendive with Reverend Ruth McKenzie officiating. Interment will be held next spring in Barnesville Cemetery in Barnesville, Minnesota. Silha Funeral Home of Glendive has been entrusted with the arrangements.

Mary was born on July, 9, 1923 in Barnesville, Minnesota to parents George and Ella (Emerson) Metcalf. She was raised and educated in Barnesville. While at North Dakota State University Mary met the love of her life Allan Altner. The two were married in Barnesville on December 21, 1946. They would have celebrated their 71st wedding anniversary next week. To this union two children were born; Thomas and Sally. Mary and Allan moved to Glendive 1947 because of Allan's work at M.D.U. Mary enjoyed working in her flower garden and liked volunteering at her church. She was an Eastern Star. But her most favorite activity was spending time with her family on summer trips to the cabin on Pelican Lake in Minnesota.

Mary was preceded in death by her parents; her brother and his wife.

Mary is survived by Allan Altner of Glendive; children Thomas Altner of Worland, Wyoming, and Sally (Michael) Ellestad of Brooklyn Park, Minnesota; grandchildren Matthew Altner of Dickinson, North Dakota, Nathan Altner of

Laramie, Wyoming, and Jill (John) Jarchow of New Richmond, Wisconsin and one great grandchild, Ellea Jarchow.

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

Previous Events

Visitation

DEC 18. 10:00 AM - 2:00 PM (MT)

Silha Funeral Homes - Glendive, Montana
221 N. Meade Avenue
P.O. Box 848
Glendive, MT 59330
(406) 377-2622
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Service

DEC 18. 2:00 PM (MT)

Silha Funeral Home
221 North Meade Avenue
Glendive, MT 59330

Tribute Wall



“ *Mary E. Altner*

December 07, 2022 at 04:10 PM



“ *My condolences. May the Almighty comfort you in this difficult time.*

C Woods - January 05, 2018 at 10:26 AM



“ *Dear family of Mary.*

I was honored to work with Mary for a couple short months while she resided in the EMVH. Every day I worked I made a point to spend a bit of time with her, and I will tell you that she blessed me so much with her smiles and her wit. To Allan, whom I was also blessed to work with, I am so sorry for your loss.

God bless your family at this time, and may His arms of love wrap around you all and comfort you ...

Jo Bain

Jo Bain - December 20, 2017 at 10:31 PM



“ *Linda Deines sent a virtual gift in memory of Mary E. Altner*



linda deines - December 19, 2017 at 09:35 PM

PZ

“ Tom, I am so sorry to hear this. It is always so hard to lose a parent, no matter what the circumstances are. You are in our thoughts and prayers. Hugs.



Penny and Don Zimmerman - December 19, 2017 at 11:23 AM

KS

“ Karen Schock lit a candle in memory of Mary E. Altner



Karen Schock - December 18, 2017 at 03:21 PM

JL

“ Janette Legato lit a candle in memory of Mary E. Altner



Janette Legato - December 17, 2017 at 08:02 PM

CL

“ Dear Tom and Sally, I'm so sorry to hear “the old neighborhood” lost another sweet Mother. Feeling your sorrow..
Diane Kolstad Crockett



Crockett Diane L. - December 17, 2017 at 06:29 PM

LM

“ Our sympathies to you all in the loss of your mother. Praying for comfort. Sincerely, Gene & Les Micheletto



Leslie Micheletto - December 17, 2017 at 01:23 AM

DS

“ Donna And Jim Stanfill lit a candle in memory of Mary E. Altner



Donna and Jim Stanfill - December 16, 2017 at 01:41 PM

BT

“ Allan, Tom and Sally I'm so sorry for the loss of your mom she was a very sweet lady. Cherish your Memories and hold them close they will help get you through the difficult days ahead.
RIP Mary
Becky Tipton

Becky Tipton - December 15, 2017 at 05:40 PM

AA

“ Dear Tom and Sally, So sorry to hear about your Mom. Saw her and your Dad often at the grocery store where we would exchange a greeting. They were a part of Glendive for me. Hard to see them leave us, but they leave good memories behind. God's peace and my prayers, Avis Anderson

Avis Anderson - December 15, 2017 at 03:06 PM

CM

My sympathy to you in the loss of your Mom! May memories of happier times bring joy in your sadness! Correen Toepke Major

Correen Toepke Major - December 16, 2017 at 02:13 PM

BS

Your mom was a special friend and member of our church family. My prayers are with each of you.

Betty Shearer - December 17, 2017 at 10:10 PM

BB

Our sympathy to Alan, Tom and Sally! Mary was a kind and gentle lady!

Bill and Rosemary Bunting - December 19, 2017 at 11:28 AM