



## MaryRose Peplinski

December 8, 1930 - January 5, 2023

MaryRose Peplinski, age 92, of Wibaux, Montana passed away peacefully in her sleep, in the early morning hours of January 5, 2023 at the Wibaux County Nursing Home in Wibaux. Visitation will be held from 6:00 P.M. until 8:00 P.M. with a Vigil Service at 7:00 P.M. on Friday, January 13, 2023 at Silha Funeral Home in Wibaux. Mass of Christian Burial will be held at 10:00 A.M. on Saturday, January 14, 2023 at St. Philip's Catholic Church in St. Philip's, Montana with Father Jose Panickamveli officiating. Rite of Committal will take place at St. Phillip's Catholic Cemetery. Silha Funeral Home of Wibaux has been entrusted with the arrangements.

MaryRose was born on December 8, 1930 in Glen Ullin, North Dakota to Valentine and Margaret (Gartner) Hoffman. She attended grade school in Glendive, Montana and high school in Miles City, Montana. It was here that MaryRose met her high school sweetheart, Paul Peplinski. After high school, MaryRose worked for MDU, until she married Paul in 1952, and they moved to the family farm. Together they raised four children, David, Dan, Karen and Connie.

MaryRose was active in her church as a member of St. Philip's Altar Society, was Sacristan at St. Philip's for many years, was in charge of ministry scheduling and taught CCD. She served as secretary for the Ashline Telephone Company and owned Crossroads Variety for twenty-seven years. MaryRose loved playing cards, bowling, games, gardening and her flowers. She was an excellent cook and made Sunday dinners for her family, which

always included a pie or some dessert. MaryRose loved following her kids, grandkids and great-grandkids sporting events and was known as “Mom”, “Grandma”, “Grandma Pepsi”, and “Grandma Candy”.

MaryRose was preceded in death by her husband, Paul of sixty-two years; her parents, Valentine and Margaret and her three sisters, Pauline, Betty and Katie.

MaryRose is survived by her sons, Dave (Sandi) Peplinski and Dan (Cathy) Peplinski both on the family farm; her daughters, Karen Wojahn of Beach and Connie (Jeff) Roberts of Wibaux; Nine grandchildren, Misty Farnstrom, Dale Peplinski, Chad Peplinski, Lisa Lester, Jodi Knaub, Julie Schirado, JessiKay Noll, Travis Wojahn and Bud Roberts; twenty-seven great-grandkids, with one due in June; one sister, Maggie (Ed) Kessel of Billings; one brother, Ray Hoffman of Missoula, and one sister-in-law, Rosemary Ashford of Cimarron, Kansas.

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

# Cemetery Details

## St. Philip's Cemetery

St. Philip's, MT

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JAN 13. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (MT)

Silha Funeral Homes - Wibaux, Montana  
204 South Wibaux Street  
Wibaux, MT 59353  
(406) 796-2421  
silha@midrivers.com

## Vigil Service

JAN 13. 7:00 PM (MT)

Silha Funeral Homes - Wibaux, Montana  
204 South Wibaux Street  
Wibaux, MT 59353  
(406) 796-2421  
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## Mass of Christian Burial

JAN 14. 10:00 AM (CT)

St. Philip's Catholic Church  
St. Philip's, MT



# Tribute Wall

ST

“*Mary Rose might have been small in stature but she made up for it with her BIG personality. She really was quite the prankster! One year my husband and I were in Missoula at my folks' house and she snuck into the bathroom while he was in the shower. She stood on the toilet seat so she could dump a pitcher of cold water on him. He screamed "Mary Rose!!" as she scampered out the door, laughing all the way. She kept everyone on their toes but endeared herself to all of us just the same! She was loved and will be missed!*  
*Phil and Shelly Trunkle*

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**Shelly Trunkle** - January 13, 2023 at 05:27 PM

JS

*My sincere condolences to the entire family of Mary Rose. I babysat for many of you all years ago and have fond memories of you all, and truly loved Mary Rose and Paul. I have a great memory of being at the farm when Paul's Mother was making soap. Prayers for you all.*

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**jeanne sokoloski** - January 23, 2023 at 10:49 PM

MS

“*Mary Savage lit a candle in memory of MaryRose Peplinski*



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**Mary Savage** - January 13, 2023 at 04:12 PM

MS

“ My Aunt Mary Rose was larger than life and so much fun to be around. I have many fond memories of her. She loved to pull pranks. Years ago, the family gathered in Missoula to celebrate a milestone birthday for our grandfather Val. The gathering happened to be during the Lenten season. In our time together we chatted about what we were fasting for Lent. I shared that I was fasting candy, ice cream and popcorn. Sometime during the weekend Mary Rose discovered which purse was mine and found a way to sneak a bunch of candy in my purse. Of course, she pulled many family members in on her scheme, and she was waiting for "the moment" when I would retrieve something from my purse. When I discovered the candy in my purse, she made a big scene. She teased me relentlessly for sneaking candy in my purse and accused me of breaking my fast. She undoubtedly enjoyed watching me defending myself. When I discovered who was behind it, she laughed and laughed and thought she was so sneaky and funny. When Mary Rose was around you could always expect fun and laughter! She will be greatly missed.

*I'm so grateful that Deborah and I made a trip to Beach to see her the fall of 2021. It's now another cherished memory for me of my wonderful Aunt!*

*Mary (Pisk) Savage*

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**Mary Savage** - January 13, 2023 at 01:16 PM

TS

“ The Smith Family of MO & SD purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of MaryRose Peplinski.



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**The Smith Family of MO & SD** - January 13, 2023 at 12:07 PM



“ *Serene Retreat was purchased for the family of MaryRose Peplinski.*



January 12, 2023 at 01:12 PM



“ *Ray Hoffman purchased the Enchanted Cottage for the family of MaryRose Peplinski.*



**Ray Hoffman** - January 11, 2023 at 10:23 PM



“ *Scott and Mary Hoffman and family. purchased the Crystal Cross Bouquet for the family of MaryRose Peplinski.*



**Scott and Mary Hoffman and family.** - January 11, 2023 at 10:13 PM



“ *So sorry to hear Mary Rose has passed away. She was an awesome lady & will be missed. Prayers for the family 🙏*

**Diane Nelson** - January 10, 2023 at 01:27 PM

NM

“ Nancy Mischel-Keller lit a candle in memory of MaryRose Peplinski



Nancy Mischel-Keller - January 10, 2023 at 11:04 AM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of MaryRose Peplinski.



January 09, 2023 at 01:19 PM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of MaryRose Peplinski.



January 08, 2023 at 11:45 PM

LS

“ Lori Schulte lit a candle in memory of MaryRose Peplinski



Lori Schulte - January 08, 2023 at 11:41 PM

ME

“ *Mark Dawn Egan lit a candle in memory of MaryRose Peplinski*



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**Mark and Dawn Egan** - January 07, 2023 at 01:08 PM

SL

“ *Sam Lawrence lit a candle in memory of MaryRose Peplinski*



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**Sam Lawrence** - January 06, 2023 at 02:07 AM

SL

“ *Sam Lawrence lit a candle in memory of MaryRose Peplinski*



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**Sam Lawrence** - January 06, 2023 at 02:05 AM

MH

“ *Maggie George Holom lit a candle in memory of MaryRose Peplinski*



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**Maggie & George Holom** - January 05, 2023 at 08:19 PM