



Myrna Lea Miller

September 2, 1941 - December 29, 2021

Our sister, Myrna (Ueckert) Miller, age 80, of Dickinson, North Dakota beat Alzheimer's and went to be with the Lord on Wednesday, December 29, 2021. A Memorial Service will be held at 2:00 P.M. on Tuesday, January 4, 2022 at St. Paul's Lutheran Church in Beach with Pastor Anthony Ahrendt officiating. Interment in the Beach Lutheran Cemetery will take place at a later date. Silha Funeral Home of Beach has been entrusted with the arrangements.

Myrna was born on September 2, 1941 at Johnstone Memorial Hospital to Erv and Polly Ueckert. She was the first of five children. Myrna started her education at the Oldis Country School and went on to graduate from Beach High School in 1959. She attended NDSU and proudly graduated with the class of 1963.

Myrna began her career as a Home Economist in Lamar, Colorado. From there she moved to Goldendale, Washington, where she was a Home Extension Agent for Klickitat County and then Clark County. Myrna loved serving the people and teaching them new skills to make their lives better. She passed her extensive knowledge of fabrics and sewing onto youth and 4-H members and local homemaker clubs. Her free time was spent gathering the abundant fruits of Washington State and preserving them to share with family and friends. Myrna retired from extension work in 2001 and moved back to Beach to be near her family.

Myrna's life can be defined in one word, "Dedication". She was totally dedicated to her family, her work, and living life to the fullest. She is famous

for her handmade Pendleton Wool shirts, homemade pizza for her "Shortest Day of the Year" party, and popcorn balls. At Christmas time she made tons of cookies making sure she made everyone's favorite and of course rum cake! It just wasn't Christmas until Myrna came home. She was the greatest aunt to her nieces and nephews attending graduations and every wedding. Myrna was known for encouraging them and all of us to live up to our potential. Myrna was welcomed home to heaven by her grandparents, her parents, her baby sister, Sheila; her former husband, Dean Miller; and the former friends who went before her.

Myrna has left a hole in the hearts of her sister, Donnie (Don) Erstad; her brothers, Gordie (Cheryl) and Ross Ueckert; her nieces, Sheila, June, Julie and Kayla; her nephews, Shane, Cody and Conner; her great-nephews and nieces, family and friends.

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

"I fought the good fight, I finished the race, I kept the faith." 2 Timothy 4:7

Cemetery Details

Beach Lutheran Cemetery

Beach, ND 58621

Previous Events

Memorial Service

JAN 4. 2:00 PM (MT)

St Paul's Lutheran Church
387 S Central Ave
Beach, ND 58621
(701) 872-4700

Tribute Wall



“ *Myrna Lea Miller*

December 07, 2022 at 04:10 PM



“ *Sending my condolences to the family of Myrna. We worked together in Clark County and she was my travel companion for many years. I went the Myrna to Sumter SC and we stayed at Donny's house about 40 years ago. She was a good friend and mentor and will be missed by all those whose lives she touched through the years.*

Joanne Ross

Joanne Ross - January 09, 2022 at 10:53 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Myrna Lea Miller.*



January 02, 2022 at 07:37 PM



“ *Deepest sympathy to Myrna's family, especially Donnie and Gordie. I remember visiting her in her dorm room in Fargo when we were at Concordia. Yes she was so dedicated. And years later we went chokecherry and Buffalo berry picking in her pickup.. I will miss her*

Sharon Dietz - December 31, 2021 at 09:00 AM

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“ Laurie and Wendi purchased the Crystal Cross Bouquet for the family of Myrna Lea Miller.



Laurie and Wendi - December 30, 2021 at 01:50 PM