



Verna L. Sokoloski

December 9, 1914 - August 22, 2015

Verna L. Sokoloski, age 100, of Wibaux, Montana, passed away at the Glendive Medical Center in Glendive, Montana on Saturday, August 22, 2015. Visitation will be held from 6:00 P.M. until 8:00 P.M. at the Silha Funeral Chapel in Wibaux. A Rosary Service will be held at 7:00 P.M. on Tuesday, August 25, 2015 in the Chapel of the Silha Funeral Home in Wibaux with Rev. Xavier Arimboor and Deacon Jim Wosepka as Celebrants. A Mass of Christian Burial will be celebrated at 10:00 A.M. on Wednesday, August 26, 2015 at St. Peter's Catholic Church in Wibaux. Rite of Committal will be held in St. Phillip's Cemetery in St. Phillip's, Montana. Silha Funeral Home of Wibaux is entrusted with arrangements.

Verna was born on December 9, 1914 at the family farm, south of Wibaux, near St. Phillip's, a daughter of John and Pauline (Efta) Marciniak. Verna was educated in the southern end of Wibaux County near St. Phillip's. She met Stanley Sokoloski and later married him on October 10, 1940 in St. Phillips. After their marriage they farmed and raised their family in the St. Phillips area. Stanley and Verna moved into Wibaux in 1978 where she lived until her death. Verna was a member of St. Peter's Catholic Church and also a member of St. Phillip's Alter Society. Verna loved quilting in the winter and raising large gardens in the summer. She loved entering her canning and produce items in the Wibaux County fair every year and won many blue ribbons. Verna was canning garden produce up to the time of her death. She was an excellent cook and especially enjoyed cooking for family and friends. Verna will be

dearly missed by all of her family and friends.

Verna was preceded in death by her parents, John and Pauline Marciniak; two brothers, John and Raymond Marciniak; seven sisters, Sophia Goroski, Helen Bruski, Theresa Dobrowski, Pauline Dobrowski, Rosie Granat, Elizabeth Sousa and Ann Marynik.

She is survived by two sons, Duane Sokoloski and his wife, Joyce of Seattle, Washington and Larry Sokoloski and his wife, Linda of Roberts, Montana; one daughter, Lynnette Sokolowski of Billings, Montana along with six grandchildren; fourteen great-grandchildren and one sister, Marion Wosepka. In lieu of flowers memorials may be made to the St. Phillip's Cemetery fund in care of Kathleen Goroski.

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

Previous Events

Visitation

AUG **25**. 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

AUG **25**. 7:00 PM (MT)

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Mass of Christian Burial

AUG **26**. 10:00 AM (MT)

St. Peter's Catholic Church
313 1st Avenue Southwest
Wibaux, MT 59353

Tribute Wall



“ *Verna L. Sokoloski*

December 07, 2022 at 04:10 PM



“ *Duane, Larry and Lynette,
Just heard about Verna's passing. I am so grateful to have a few
fond memories of this gracious, salt of the earth woman!*

*She was so welcoming when we sprung surprise visits on she and
Stanley traveling with kids back and forth between Missoula and
Wibaux. She filled us with the most incredible food and sent us on
our way with preserved goodies and baked goods.*

*My husband Bruce coveted her decades of knowledge and records
about growing all plants...saying "no botanist, agriculturist or
ecologist has a data-set like Verna has kept spanning decades".*

*Please know we are thinking of you and hope your memories of her
bring you peace.*

Anne Sokoloski Maxwell- Bozeman

Anne Maxwell - September 05, 2015 at 02:27 PM



“ *My sincerest condolences to your family for your loss, I can't
imagine how you all must be feeling. I hope you can take comfort in
promise that God gives us, that we will see our dear loved ones who
have passed away in death.*

Rae Lauren - August 31, 2015 at 12:52 PM

DL

“ Dale And Lorraine Lunder lit a candle in memory of Verna L. Sokoloski



Dale and Lorraine Lunder - August 26, 2015 at 10:46 AM

DL

“ We want to send our sympathy for you loss of Verna. What a wonderful, vibrant, long lived lady she was! We consider our lives blessed to have known her. This world has lost a great gardner!! We are so sorry we can't be there this morning as we are on the road. Our prayains and best wishes are with you all.
Love to you all,
Dale and Lorraine

Dale and Lorraine Lunder - August 26, 2015 at 10:44 AM

PW

“ Pauline White lit a candle in memory of Verna L. Sokoloski



Pauline White - August 25, 2015 at 10:43 AM

RM

“ Larry & Dwayne, What a special lady your mother was. I have many memories of her from my growing up years. You and your families are in my prayers. God Bless
Rose Marie Johnson

Rose Marie - August 24, 2015 at 10:41 PM

RJ

“ Rose Marie (Susa) & Ron Johnson lit a candle in memory of Verna L. Sokoloski



Rose Marie (Susa) & Ron Johnson - August 24, 2015 at 10:34 PM

SF

“ Sebastian, Romi, Joe, Walter, Dolores and family purchased the Florist Choice Bouquet for the family of Verna L. Sokoloski.



Sebastian, Romi, Joe, Walter, Dolores and family - August 24, 2015 at 08:52 PM

DS

“ Daryn & Dorothy Smith lit a candle in memory of Verna L. Sokoloski



Daryn & Dorothy Smith - August 24, 2015 at 07:09 PM



“ Crystal Cross Bouquet was purchased for the family of Verna L. Sokoloski.



August 24, 2015 at 10:41 AM

CH

“ *Carol Hanson lit a candle in memory of Verna
L. Sokoloski*



Carol Hanson - August 23, 2015 at 09:15 PM