

Arlys Hill, 81, of Dell Rapids, SD went home to be with Jesus on May 10, 2020.

Arlys Elaine Drovdal was born on May 4, 1939 to Arthur and Evelyn (Mitchell) Drovdal in Summit, SD. On July 6, 1961 she married Silas M. Hill. They lived in Chicago, IL, Watertown, SD, Albertville, MN and Monticello, MN. In 1972 they moved to Howard, SD. Arlys worked various jobs including waitressing, nursing assistant and her most enjoyable job of being a Senior Companion. In 1993 Arlys and Si moved to Elbow Lake, MN to retire. Arlys moved to Madison, SD in 2005 after Si passed away to be closer to family.

Arlys enjoyed spending time with her family and friends. Some of her fondest memories were summers spent at Pelican Lake in Ashby, MN. She also loved crafting and working with the elderly.

Grateful for having shared her life are her three daughters, Vicki Everett of Duluth, MN, Kathy (Bart) Blake of Dell Rapids, SD and Heidi Hill of Rapid City, SD; her grandchildren, Chris (Sandy) Drovdal, Jenny Everett of Duluth, MN, Zach (Laura) Hill of Green Bay, WI, Kayla (Jarrod) Brower, Kendall (Jesse) Olson and Nick (Merry) Hill of Sioux Falls, SD, Aaron (Kelsy) Blake of Harrisburg, SD, Brittani (Kylie) Walters of Fleetwood, PA, Eric Asbury of Feasterville, PA and Elizabeth Asbury of Rapid City, SD; her great-grandchildren, Emma, Addyson, Jordan, Baylee, Calvin and Baby Girl Olson to be born in September 2020, Mackenzie, Kylie, Brooke, Kane and Jonathon and her brother, Ken (Irene) Drovdal of Mandan, ND.

She was preceded in death by her parents, her husband, Si, her son, Rick, her daughter, Trudy, her brother, Gene and an infant sister, Karen Faye.

Memorials may be directed to River Community Church, Dell Rapids or West Central Baptist Church in Madison, SD.



In Memory of

Arlys Elaine Hill

Born - May 4, 1939 ~ Died - May 10, 2020

Funeral Service

River Community Church

Dell Rapids, South Dakota

Tuesday, May 12, 2020 ~ 10:00 a.m.

Clergy

Pastor Andy Wright

Casketbearers

Chris Drovdal

Aaron Blake

Zach Hill

Jesse Olson

Nick Hill

Jarrod Brower

Interment

Apostolic Lutheran Cemetery

Lake Norden, South Dakota

I'm Free...

*Don't grieve for me, for now I'm free,
I'm following the path God laid for me.
I took his hand when I heard his call,
I turned my back and left it all.*

*I could not stay another day,
To laugh, to love, to work, to play.
Tasks left undone must stay that way,
I've found that peace at the close of the day.*

*If my parting has left a void,
Then fill it with remembered joy.
A friendship shared, a laugh, a kiss,
Ah yes, these things I too will miss.*

*Be not burdened with times of sorrow,
I wish you the sunshine of tomorrow.
My Life's been full, I savoured much,
Good friends, good times, a loved one's touch.*

*Perhaps my time seemed all too brief,
Don't lengthen it now with undue grief.
Lift up your heart and share with me,
God wanted me now, He set me free.*

*Funeral Arrangements by Kahler-Brende Funeral Home
Dell Rapids, South Dakota*