Remembering the life of....

Hildur Lenora (Wright) Wiebusch passed away peacefully December 26, 2018, after spending a cherished Christmas surrounded by her family from near and far.

Fildur was born September 25, 1932 to Ralph and Clara (Carlson) Wright. She graduated from Arthur High School and attended Interstate Business College in Fargo, ND. Hildur worked for the First State Bank in Arthur for a number of years and also was the accountant at the Good Samaritan Center in Arthur. She married Robert Wiebusch in 1952, and they made their home in Arthur, ND, raising four children, Sandra, Robert Allen, Larry and Mark.

Hildur was an active member of the St John's Lutheran Church, Ladies Aid, PTO, and volunteered for numerous committees. She was the



heart of the family and kept everything running smoothly. Even if she was very tired, she could be found at the kitchen sink cleaning vegetables, which Bob had just brought in from their large garden. She never missed a pinochle game, which included child or grandchild sitting on her lap, teaching them how to play.

Hildur dearly loved being with family. There was always a house full of people to make dinner for, and she made anyone who dropped by feel welcomed at the table. She was a proud mother and grandmother. She could be found in her living room playing board games with the kids/grandkids or taking them to the park. Everyone who knew Hildur would say she was a caring, patient, loving, and grateful person. It was a challenge, but she and Bob spent many hours fishing with very busy, active children.

Hildur is survived by daughter Sandy (John) Barbacovi of Ironwood, MI, sons Allen (Carol) of Grand Forks, Larry (Nancy) of Detroit Lakes and Mark Wiebusch of Argusville. Surviving grandchildren are Eric (Emily Burchell) Fitting, Ross (Margaret) Fitting, Nicholas (Justine) Wiebusch, Daniel (Michele Tate) Wiebusch, Hunter (Dani Turcotte) Wiebusch and Sydney Wiebusch. Extended family grandchildren are John (Rose) Barbacovi, Jaime Swanson, Nate (Josh) Busko, and Adam Swanson. Great-grandchildren include Payton Rye, Gage, Kyler, Brooklyn, Ezra and Aubrey Barbacovi; Brother Leon (Betty) Wright; sister Elaine Fliginger, and many nieces and nephews.

Hildur was preceded in death by her beloved husband, Robert, in 2015; parents, Ralph and Clara Wright; sister Arlene Swenson; brothers Ralph Wright Jr and Leonard Wright; granddaughter Dana Fitting.





Dearest Mom,

We find comfort knowing you are now in heaven far from the pain you endured so long. Our hearts and minds are full of wonderful warm memories, even if there are tears streaming down our cheeks.

We are so happy you are with Dad, who has been anxiously waiting for you for three long years, keeping a chair open for you at the pinochle table.

You taught us by example the lifelong values we try to live by and hope we make you proud.

You were always the last to go to bed and the first up in the morning, greeting each with a cup of hot coffee and a smile.

You put everyone else first and always seemed happy with what you had, even if it was not much. You appreciated the little things in life, like handmade birthday cards or visiting over a cup of coffee.

The budget was tight when we were young, but we seldom knew. You would go without to give us our desired wants.

You had that special touch to calm a crying child and continued to rock them asleep when your head was nodding and eyes closing.

You were our greatest mentor and showed us to love from our hearts. How can we thank you, except to be like you.

I was fortunate and will forever remember the night before your spirit lifted you up. I brushed your hair, as you had mine many times, and rubbed lotion on your tired, wrinkled hands that had wiped so many tears and comforted the young and old.

Mom, you were an angel on earth and now you have your wings.

Give Dad and Grandma a hug from us and kiss little Dana when you tuck her in.

We will always hold you close to our hearts.

All our love always,

Sandy, Allen, Larry and Mark

Celebrating the life of

Hildur Wiebusch

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MEMORIAL SERVICE
St. John Lutheran Church
Arthur, North Dakota
Saturday, January 12, 2019 ~ 11 a.m.

Officiant

The Rev. Trichelle Kirchenwitz

Eulogy

Nicholas & Daniel Wiebusch

Music

Nancy Wiebusch, soloist
"On Eagles Wings"
Beth Buchholz, organist
Hymns: "Softly & Tenderly"
"Amazing Grace"

Honorary Pallbearers

Eric Fitting Ross Fitting
Nicholas Wiebusch
Hunter Wiebusch
Nate Busko Sydney Wiebusch
Adam Swanson
Jaime Swanson John Barbacovi, Jr.

The family wishes to express their appreciation for your kindness and support during this difficult time. Please join them for fellowship immediately following the service.