# Remembering the life of....

Mary Ellen Ausk, 87, Chaffee, ND died on Sunday, Feb. 16, 2020 at Essentia Health, Fargo, ND.

Mary Ellen Krueger was born June 13, 1932 at home in Casselton, ND to Gay and Augusta (Hanusch) Krueger. When she was 7, the family moved to West Fargo on Sheyenne Street. She graduated from L. E. Berger High School in 1951. She then went to work at the Union Stockyards where she met her future husband Harvey J. Ausk. They were married on Nov. 25, 1952 in West Fargo, and they made their home on a farm near Chaffee, ND.

Mary Ellen, known to many as "Mitzi" loved to paint ceramics, crochet and collect antiques. She also enjoyed gardening, flowers and canning. She loved her family very much.

She is survived by her sisters, Violet Beaton and Gayle (Rejean) Goodreau; three children, Steven (Theresa) Ausk and their children, Jacklyn, Chelsea and David who live on the home farm near Chaffee; Julie Ausk who lives near Chaffee on her own farm; and Lyle (Sue) Ausk and their daughter, Megan who live in Kindred, ND.

Mitzi was preceded in death by her parents; husband, Harvey in 2013; and a brother, Richard Krueger.





# MISS ME -BUT LET ME Go...

WHEN I COME TO THE
END OF THE ROAD
AND THE SUN HAS
SET FOR ME,
I WANT NO RITES
IN A GLOOM FILLED ROOM,
WHY CRY FOR A SOUL SET FREE

Miss me a little- but not too long,
And not with your head bowed low.

Remember the love that we once shared,
Miss me - but let me go.

For this is a journey that we all must take,
And each must go alone.

It's all a part of the Master's plan,
A step on the road to home.
When you are lonely and sick of heart,
Go to the friends we know.
And bury your sorrows in doing good deeds,
Miss me – but let me go.

### CELEBRATING THE LIFE OF

# MARY ELLEN AUSK

Funeral Service
West Funeral Home Chapel
West Fargo, North Dakota
Friday, February 21, 2020 ~ 11:00 a.m.

#### Presider

Fr. Chris Markman
St. Patrick's Catholic Church - Enderlin, ND

#### Music

Craig Olson, soloist
"Morning Has Broken"
"Amazing Grace"
Alex Swanson, pianist
Selected CD "Hallelujah"

# **Pallbearers**

Jacklyn Ausk Trevor Baumgartner
Chelsea Ausk Cameron Walsh
David Ausk Levi Gilbertson Megan Ausk

# Interment

St. Leo's Catholic Cemetery Casselton, ND

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