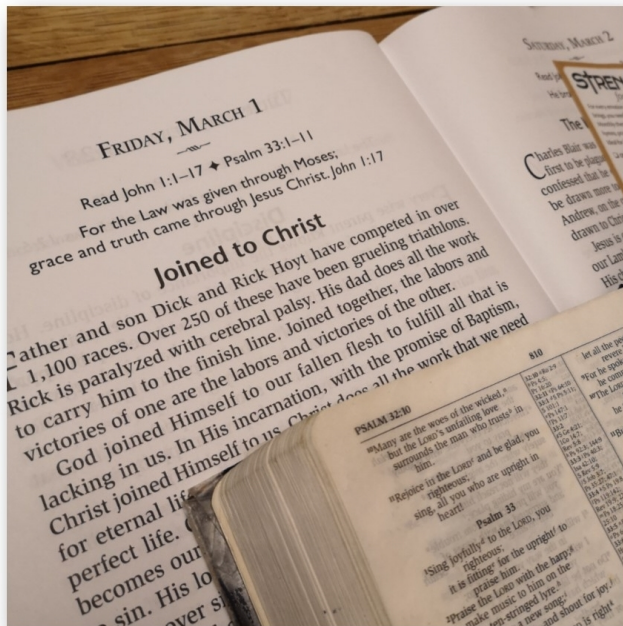


*Sing joyfully to the LORD, you righteous;
it is fitting for the
upright to praise him.
Praise the LORD with the harp; make music to
him on the ten stringed lyre.
Sing to him a new song;
play skillfully; and shout for joy
For the word of the LORD is right and true; he is
faithful in all he does.*

Psalms 33:1-4



Remembering
THE LIFE OF
Emma Knoch

November 15, 1935 - March 1, 2019

In Loving
M E M O R Y
Emma Knoch

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Emma Knoch (*nee Goetz*) was born in Marievka, Besserabia, Romania on November 15, 1935.

In 1939, the onset of WW II, her family was forced to flee their farm. They spent the next 6 years travelling between camps, dorms, and a three-year stay in Poland before reaching West Germany. In 1951 the family emigrated to Canada, settling in the Lethbridge area, working for sugar beet farmers.

Emma worked as live-in housekeeper/caregiver for a few families until she went to nursing school to become a registered nursing assistant and graduated in 1955. She married Frank Knoch May 12, 1962 and they had four children. They lived in Lethbridge and Calgary and settled in Cardston. Emma stayed home raising her children until they were all in school, then she returned to nursing, getting her certification as a Licensed Practical Nurse. She spent the last years of her career at the Blood Indian Hospital in Cardston and retired in 2002.

Emma was known mostly for her strong faith in God, love of music, and her hard work ethic. Her singing brought joy to those who heard her. She was a Sunday school teacher who inspired all her students to follow Jesus. She passed into His Presence peacefully at home with one hand on the Bible on Friday, March 1, 2019.

She is predeceased by her parents, Johaness and Emilie Goetz, her brothers, Arnold and Jakob Goetz and her daughter, Meta Knoch.

She is survived by her husband, Frank Knoch, her daughter, Elnora (Pierre) Pittman, her sons David (Suzanne) Knoch and Edward (Erin) Knoch, her sister, Wally Kimmel, twelve grandchildren, two great grandchildren as well as numerous nieces, nephews and cousins.

FUNERAL SERVICE

Maranatha Christian Reformed Church, Lethbridge, Alberta

Saturday, March 9, 2019 3:00 P.M.

Officiant Pastor Al Litchfield

Memorial Book Attendants

Caida Ell, Asaiah Knoch, Joel Knoch & Selah Knoch

ORDER OF SERVICE

Prelude Naomi Knoch

Processional..... Craig Webber (Musician)

Welcome Scripture & Prayer

Congregational Song *Amazing Grace*

Special Music "Holy City" by Edward Knoch

Eulogy..... Pierre Pittman

Special Music..... "The Entertainer" by Naomi Knoch

Special Music "How Great Thou Art" by Selah Knoch

Remembrances..... Family Members

Congregational Song..... *The Old Rugged Cross*

Scripture Reading..... *Job 19:25-27* read by Joel Knoch

Message..... Pastor Al Litchfield

Special Music..... "My Jesus, I Love Thee" by Courtney & Elnora Pittman

Announcements..... Pastor Al Litchfield

Congregational Song..... "Jesus Loves Me"

Recessional..... Craig Webber

RECEPTION

Following The Service Please Join The Family For A Time Of Fellowship And Refreshments Following The Service In The Maranatha Christian Reformed Church Hall.