

Donna Jackson

Though your journey to heaven has been long and heartbreaking, you have reached home and found peace.

Donna Dee was born July 13, 1930 in Burwell, NE to Lillian and Roy Farmer. She passed away peacefully January 6, 2019 with her daughter, Peggy, by her side.

On August 20, 1950, Donna married Harold 'Sonny' Jackson in Valentine, NE. To this union three children were born: Peggy, Jerry & Kathy.

Donna's love for her family was unshakable. Her closeness with her parents and siblings, Joyce, Shirley, Marilyn, Marvin and David, continued throughout their lives. She enjoyed her nieces: Deanna, Darla, Deb, and Twila and nephews: Dennis, Gregg, Steve, Rex, Aaron and Ryan, very much.

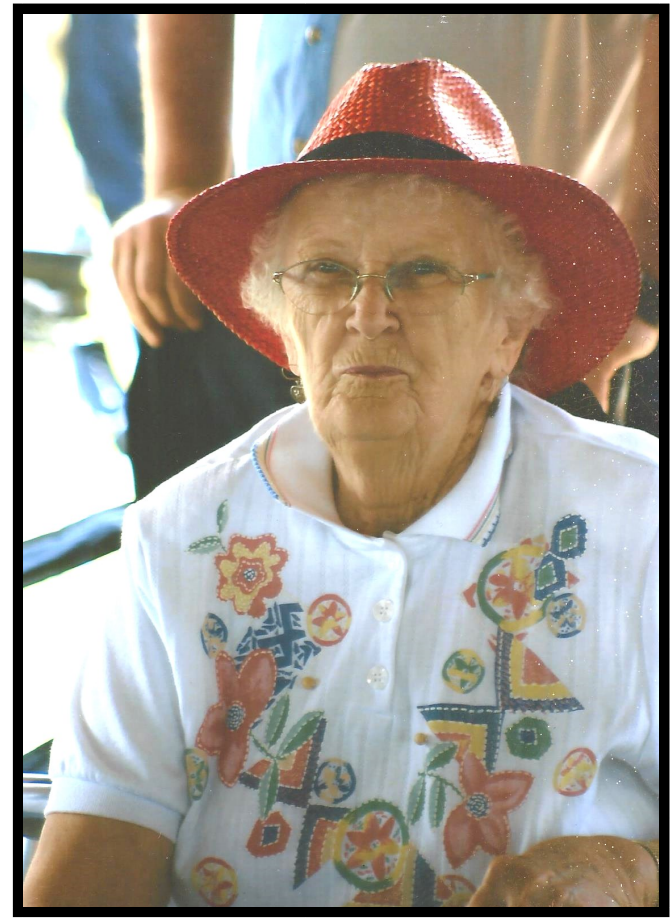
Donna loved and nurtured her three children to adulthood. In turn, she had three children who respected and loved her.

When the grandchildren started to arrive, Gram Donna and Grandpa Sonny were thrilled. They were blessed with ten grandchildren: Melisa, Jami, Justina, Lorena, Melinda, Becky, April, Brenda, Lindsey and Ty; ten great grandchildren: Marshall, Lane, Cole, Bradley, Joey, Jace, Wyatt, Easton, Kaden and Tatum; and one great granddaughter, Logen.

When Donna lost Sonny to cancer in 1989, her life on their small place south of Martin came to an end. She moved to town, which she enjoyed, and was off and running strong. The horrible disease of Dementia/Alzheimer's has been Donna's constant companion for over nine years. It was a blessing that Donna was unaware that she lost her only son, Jerry, in 2011, her sister Joyce and her brother David.

Donna and Sonny loved to dance, especially square dancing. Perhaps she and Sonny are once again laughing and dancing the night away.

Now you can look down upon all of your family again and know and remember them once more. Love you Mom.



In Loving Memory Of

Donna

In Celebration Of Life

Donna Dee Jackson

July 13, 1930 ~ January 6, 2019

Your mother is always with you. She's the whisper of the leaves as you walk down the street, she's the smell of certain foods you remember, flowers you pick, the fragrance of life itself. She's the cool hand on your brow when you're not feeling well, she's your breath in the air on a cold winter's day. She is the sound of the rain that lulls you to sleep, the colors of a rainbow, she is Christmas morning. Your mother lives inside your laughter. She's the place you came from, your first home, and your first friend, even your first enemy, but nothing on earth can separate you. Not time, not space, not even death.

Author Unknown

Arrangements By
Holmes Funeral Home ~ Valentine, NE
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Funeral Ceremony

Wednesday ~ January 9, 2019 @ 11:00 am
Lindsey Memorial Presbyterian Church
Martin, South Dakota

Officiant

Pastor Lisa Danielson

Musicians

Prelude/Postlude: Betty Olson
Accompanist: Carolyn Buckles

Congregational Hymns

'Amazing Grace' ~ 'Here I Am, Lord'

Pallbearers

Jami Fralick	Bruce Meier
Greg Claussen	Steve Claussen
Rocky Farley	Jim Farley
Dennis Tutsch	Greg Jackson

Interment

Prairie Lawn Cemetery
Cody, Nebraska