

Germaine Garwood

Germaine 'Geri' Garwood passed away June 2, 2019. She was born in Rosebud, South Dakota to George & Julia (DeCory) Rogers on May 9, 1935. She graduated high school from St. Francis, SD and earned her teaching certificate from Chadron State College.

Geri's first teaching job took her north of Whitman, Nebraska where she taught K-8th grades in a one-room school house. She met Dick Garwood at a neighborhood dance. They dated three months and were married on June 30, 1955.

Dick and Geri shared 40 years together and had seven children: Lorna Garwood of Whitman, Steve Garwood of Valentine, Teddy Michael, Christy Fester of Alliance, Carolyn Garwood, Robin (Darrel) Seidler of Hyannis and James Garwood of Hyannis; 13 grandchildren, 23 great grandchildren and 1 great-great granddaughter; 2 sisters-in-law: Ellen Shackleford and Maryann Lincoln; and many nieces and nephews.

Geri was preceded in death by her parents; husband Dick; infant son Teddy; daughter Carolyn; nine sisters and five brothers; her parents-in-law; 2 brothers-in-law; and 1 sister-in-law.

Cards of condolence may be sent to the family in care of Robin Seidler, PO Box 289, Hyannis, NE 69350.



In Loving Memory Of

Geri

In Celebration Of Life

Germaine A. Garwood

May 9, 1935 ~ June 2, 2019

*God saw you getting tired
And a cure was not to be.
So He put His arms around you
And whispered, "Come with me."
With tearful eyes we watched you suffer
And saw you fade away.
Although we loved you dearly,
We could not make you stay.
A golden heart stopped beating,
You're now at peaceful rest.
God broke our hearts to prove to us,
He only takes the best.*

Arrangements By
Holmes Funeral Home ~ Valentine, NE
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ROSARY & PRAYER SERVICE.....7pm Wednesday, June 5, 2019
St. Nicholas Catholic Church
Valentine, Nebraska

FUNERAL MASS.....10am Thursday, June 6, 2019
St. Nicholas Catholic Church

LUNCHEON FOLLOWING.....St. Nicholas Catholic Church

OFFICIANT.....Fr. Lou Nollette

ORGANIST.....Anne Clark

VOCALIST.....Michelle Sage

SONGS OF COMFORT..... 'Ava Maria'
'On Eagle's Wings'
'Here I Am Lord'

PALLBEARERS.....Jeff Garwood, Matt Garwood, Justin Seidler
Brady Seidler, Michael Minnehan
Brian Fester, Kyle Atherton, Duane Sanchez

HONORARYAll Relatives, Family and Friends

INTERMENT1:30pm (MST) Thursday, June 6, 2019
Whitman Cemetery, Whitman, NE

OFFICIANT.....Fr. Lou Nollette

SPECIAL SONG..... 'Jealous of the Angels' - Donna Taggart

GET-TOGETHER FOLLOWING.....Community Hall
Whitman, Nebraska