



Irene Pearl Hintz

Irene was born May 11, 1916, in a sod house south of Meadow, SD, to Gottlieb and Mary (Suffa) Sorg. She attended the Coal Springs School for 8 years, Lemmon High and the Grand Central High School. Being the fourth daughter of five girls, Irene willing to be outside, worked along-side her father.

Irene met her future husband, Tobias Hintz, in the church they both attended. With the help of Loydia and Ralph Baker (Irene's oldest sister and brother-in-law), Irene and Toby eloped and were united in marriage June 15, 1938, at Red Elm, SD. To this union, Carole Elaine, Gene Allen, and Dennis Tobias were born.

They lived the early years of their marriage in the Meadow area. In 1964, they moved to Eagle Butte, SD. Irene worked as a maid for the Wheel Inn Motel, then as caregiver/housemother at SDYA House. In the later 1970's Irene started a daycare in her own home where she babysat until she was 82 years old. Irene was proud of all the children she cared for. In later years, it was not out of character to announce when she saw them that she had "changed their diapers." Irene was a very strong woman and overcame many obstacles in her life. In the fall of 2007, Irene bought a house in Faith and moved there.

Irene Pearl Sorg Hintz, 98, Faith, passed away at her home Sunday, August 24, 2014.

She is survived by her daughter, Carole (Tom) Sternad, Faith; son, Gene Hintz, Colorado; daughter-in-law, Judy Hintz, Dickinson, ND; eight grandchildren; thirteen great-grandchildren; and seven great-great-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her parents; her husband; her son; four sisters and their husbands; one grandson; and one great-granddaughter.

Memorials have been established to the Faith Ambulance and the Elm Springs Community Church.

Condolences may be sent to the family at www.kinkadefunerals.com.



In Loving Memory Of



Irene Pearl Hintz

1916 ~ 2014

*The family invites you to join them for fellowship and lunch at the Faith Community Center following the committal service.
We thank you for your presence and condolences.*



After The Clouds

*After the clouds, the sunshine,
After the winter, the spring,
After the shower, the rainbow,
For life is a changeable thing;*

*After the night, the morning,
Bidding all darkness cease,
After life's cares and troubles,
The comfort and sweetness of peace.*



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Born

May 11, 1916
Meadow, South Dakota

Died

August 24, 2014
Faith, South Dakota

Funeral Service

Saturday, August 30, 2014 at 10:00 a.m.
Faith Community Center
Faith, South Dakota

Clergy

Pastor Harold Delbridge

Special Musical Selections

"I Love To Tell The Story"
"When He Reached Down His Hand For Me"
"I Want To Stroll Over Heaven With You"
"On My Journey Home"
"This World Is Not My Home"
"I'll Fly Away"

Pallbearers

Tyler Hintz ~ Todd Sternad ~ Jett Petersen
Joesy Hauser ~ Kacey Bauman ~ Claire Speake

Honorary Pallbearers

All Grandchildren And Great-Grandchildren

Interment

Faith Cemetery
Faith, South Dakota