

## Rose Marie (Zambon) Kovacevich



Rose was born August 11, 1930, in Lead, SD to Clemente and Rina (Bonato) Zambon. Her father was from Italy and her mother was from the Bonato Ranch, west of Belle Fourche by Aladdin, WY. She graduated from Lead High School in 1948, and was a resident of Lead for over 60 years. On May 4, 1968, Rose married James Joseph Kovacevich in Lead at St. Patrick's Catholic Church. She worked 44 years at the Homestake Mining Company starting as a tour guide while still in high school and retiring as the Executive Secretary for the General Manager. In the early 90's they relocated to Whitewood, SD where James built a home in Whitewood Forest Acres.

Rose's life's highlights were: her career with Homestake Mining, building their cabin near Savoy on the road to Roughlock Falls and its many, many memories, fishing nearly every year in Alaska, visits to Canada, Italy, Monte Carlo, Croatia, Panama, Singapore and Hong Kong, and most of all her lifelong love of the Black Hills and Lead.

Rose (Zambon) Kovacevich, 84, Lead, died Saturday January 24, 2015, at the Belle Fourche Healthcare in Belle Fourche.



Rose is survived by her husband James, Belle Fourche; brother, Del (Jean) Zambon, Whitewood; sister-in-law, Marion Zambon, Rapid City; many cousins; nieces and nephews; and very special friends, Connie Haselhorst and Cindy Gillies.

She is preceded in death by her parents, Clemente and Rina; brother, Clement Zambon; and sister, Irene (Zambon) Miller.

Condolences may be sent to the family at [www.kinkadefunerals.com](http://www.kinkadefunerals.com).



*The family invites you to join them for fellowship and lunch  
in the church hall immediately following the service.  
We thank you for your presence and condolences.*

## *In Loving Memory Of*



*Rose Marie (Zambon) Kovacevich*

*1930 ~ 2015*



*The Twenty-Third Psalm*

*The Lord is my shepherd, I shall not want.  
He maketh me to lie down in green pastures:  
He leadeth me beside the still waters.  
He restoreth my soul: He leadeth me in the  
paths of righteousness for His name's sake.  
Yea, though I walk through the valley of  
the shadow of death, I will fear no evil:  
for thou art with me; Thy rod and  
thy staff they comfort me.  
Thou preparest a table before me in the presence  
of mine enemies: thou anointest my head  
with oil; my cup runneth over.  
Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me  
all the days of my life: and I will  
dwell in the house of the Lord forever.*

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*Rose Marie (Zambon) Kovacevich*

*Born*

August 11, 1930  
Lead, South Dakota

*Died*

January 24, 2015  
Belle Fourche, South Dakota

*Mass Of Christian Burial*

Wednesday, February 4, 2015 at 10:00 a.m.  
St. Patrick's Catholic Church  
Lead, South Dakota

*Celebrant*

Father Leo Hausmann

*Special Musical Selections*

"In The Garden" "Amazing Grace"  
"On Eagle's Wings" "The Old Rugged Cross"

*Honorary Pallbearers*

All Family And Friends

*Inurnment*

Black Hills National Cemetery  
Sturgis, South Dakota