

Ruth Ann Wynn

Ruth "Ruthie" Ann Wynn was a caring wife, mother, grandmother, great-grandmother, sister, aunt, caregiver, and friend to everyone she met. On May 12, 2021 in Rapid City, SD, while holding the hand of her soul mate, Robert and surrounded by her loving family, she passed away.

Ruth was born on October 7, 1937, in Wessington Springs, SD, to Gust and Ann (Fuchs) Wiezorek. She had six brothers and sisters. Her parents moved to Spearfish, SD, and she helped them with planting, harvesting, and selling vegetables at their family vegetable stand in lower valley. Ruth met Robert in 1957 in Spearfish and they didn't leave each other's side for 64 years. She was a loving mother to three daughters: Anita Larsen, Kayleen Plunkett, and Bonnie Cady. In 1973, she opened Ruthie's Kiddieland Daycare, across from BHSU in Spearfish, where she cared for hundreds of children for 25 years.

Ruthie loved camping, fishing, hunting, and gardening. Upon retiring, they moved to Sundance, WY, where she was known for her beautiful yard, huge woodpiles for the woodstove, and her massive gardens. In the summer, she would spend countless hours caring for her garden, including chasing deer out in the middle of the night on a regular basis. In the fall she would harvest her garden, stock her pantry full of canned goods and share the rest of her harvest with family and the community.

In 2012, Ruth and Robert moved to Rapid City, where she continued her love for reading, gardening, cooking/baking, and preparing massive feasts for her family during holidays and family gatherings. She loved trying new recipes, and when she found a great recipe, she shared with family, friends, neighbors, and even cashiers at the grocery store. Her one love for baking was cookies, hundreds of them! She would freeze and give them away to anyone who stopped by. If you had the pleasure of meeting Ruthie, you would know the lasting and inspiring impact she had on everyone she met with her humor and love that she so freely shared.

Ruth is survived by her husband, Robert Wynn; three daughters, Anita (Curt Wolff) Larsen of Rapid City, Kayleen (Clark) Plunkett of Whitewood, Bonnie (Bart) Cady of Mills, WY; four grandchildren, Tristy Vazquez, Sheena Cossette, Shane Boice, and Rhiannon Cady; seven great-grandchildren Tori, Kaedyn, Alaina, Natalie, Alex, Liam, and Reed.

Ruth was preceded in death by her parents, two brothers, Robert Wiezorek, and Walt Wiezorek; and two sisters, Peggy Kolbrek, and Betty Gottardo; and one grandchild, Robert Cox.

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



In Loving Memory Of

Ruth Ann Wynn

October 7, 1937 ~ May 12, 2021

We thank you for your presence and condolences.



I'm Free

*Don't grieve for me, for now I'm free
I'm following the path God has laid you see.
I took His hand when I heard His call
I turned my back and left it all.
I could not stay another day
To laugh, to love, to work or play.
Tasks left undone must stay that way
I found the peace at the close of day.
If my parting has left a void
Then fill it with remembered joys --
A friendship shared, a laugh, a kiss
Oh yes, these things I too will miss.
Be not burdened with times of sorrow.
I wish you the sunshine of tomorrow.
My life's been full, I savored much,
Good friends, good times, a loved one's touch.
Perhaps my time seemed all too brief --
Don't lengthen it now with undue grief.
Lift up your hearts, and peace to thee --
God wanted me now: He set me free.*

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Born

October 7, 1937
Wessington Springs, South Dakota

Died

May 12, 2021
Rapid City, South Dakota

Memorial Service

Thursday, May 20, 2021, at 2:00 p.m.
Kinkade Funeral Chapel
Sturgis, South Dakota

Musical Selections

"Wind Beneath My Wings" "Heaven"
"Annie's Song"

Honorary Urnbearers

All Great-Grandchildren:
Tori Hurley Kaedyn Schon Alaina Schon
Natalie Boice Alex Boice Liam Cady Reed Cossette

