

# *When I'm Gone*

When I come to the end of my journey  
and I travel my last weary mile,  
just forget, if you can, that I ever frowned  
and remember only the smile.

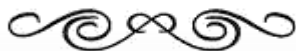
Forget unkind words I have spoken;  
remember some good I have done.

Forget that I've stumbled and blundered  
and sometimes fell by the way.

Remember I have fought some hard battles  
and won, ere the close of the day.

Then forget to grieve for my going;  
I would not have you sad for a day,  
but in summer just gather some flowers  
and remember the place where I lay,  
and come in the shade of the evening  
when the sun paints the sky in the west.

Stand for a few moments beside me  
and remember only my best.



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Margaret Roberts, age 96, Clark, formerly of the Raymond community, the widow of Russ, died early morning, October 17, 2019, in the Avantara Clark Care Center.

She was born Margaret Lucke on July 23, 1923, at Doland, the daughter of Erwin and Myrtle Lucke.

Margaret grew up in the Doland/Raymond area, graduated high school and went on to obtain her teachers certificate. She then taught country school north of Raymond until her marriage to Russell Roberts on July 11, 1943, at Montgomery, Alabama. Russ was in the Army Air Corps. In 1944, after his discharge, the couple returned to the Raymond area and engaged in farming. She helped on the farm in many ways. In the early 1970's they owned and operated the Double R Bar & Grill in Raymond where she helped cook. Russ died in 2002. Margaret moved to the Wookey Center in 2004 and then into the Clark Care Center in 2017.

In her free moments she loved to garden, can, raise flowers – especially peonies, work on puzzles, and play games and cards. For a time she sold World Book Encyclopedias, earning enough sales for a trip! In the community she was a longtime and faithful member of the Raymond Presbyterian Church, its Women's groups, and a member of the Raymond American Legion Auxiliary.

Preceding her in death were her parents, husband, and children, Davin, Dana, and Barbara Kay and a son-in-law, Butch Claussen.

Survivors include her daughter, Jeanne Claussen of Clark, grandchildren, Russell, Robin, Ryan, Donny, Dana, Darrell, and Dylan and several great grandchildren and great-great grandchildren.



## *Celebrating the Life of Margaret Roberts*



### *Services from*

Furness Funeral Home  
Clark, South Dakota  
Friday, October 25, 2019  
11:00 AM

### *Officiant*

Minister Michelle Mehlberg

### *Music*

Pianist—Deb Waldner

### *Casketbearers*

Members of the Family

### *Interment*

Prairie Valley Cemetery  
Raymond, South Dakota



Following the services, please join the family for a lite lunch  
& a time of fellowship in the Furness Funeral Home Fellowship Area  
prior to leaving for the cemetery.



The family of Margaret Roberts thanks you for your presence here today,  
for your thoughts, prayers, and other acts of kindness shown to them.