

# **Betty Margaret Park**

Betty was born May 1, 1924, at her family home outside of Amboy, Minnesota, to Hope (Hazel) and Corliss Grover. She attended elementary school at Sterling Township and graduated from Amboy High School. She attended Minnesota State University and Mankato State Teacher's College earning a teaching degree. She taught in Dutton and Ledger, Montana. She met John "Jack" Park, the love of her life, while in Dutton, marrying on September 27, 1946. They operated the

family farm and ranch outside of Dutton for 35 years, having four children. Betty was an active member of the Dutton United Methodist Church, 4-H Leader, and Order of Eastern Star. After Jack died in 1981, Betty became house director for the Alpha Gama Delta sorority for seventeen years at Montana State University in Bozeman. While employed as a sorority house director she was recognized as Alpha Gama Delta's National House Director of the Year. Upon retirement in 1999, she moved to Great Falls, Montana, to reconnect with friends and family. She moved to Hot Springs, SD in 2008, later moving to Rapid City. High points in her love of travel were trips to the United Kingdom, Israel, and a cruise to Alaska. Time with her grandchildren and great-grandchildren was especially treasured.

Betty Margaret Park, 89, Rapid City, died Saturday, October 19, 2013, at Fountain Springs Healthcare with added care provided by Hospice of the Hills.

Survivors include children, Corliss (Joe) McKamey, Great Falls, MT, Sally (Wayne) Hageman, Hot Springs, SD, and John (Ann) Park, Dutton, MT; sister, Harriet (Wesley) Bonnett, Amboy, MN; brother, Gordon (Janet) Grover, Mankato, MN; seven grandchildren; and eight greatgrandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her spouse, John G. Park; baby daughter, Betsy Ellen; sister, Helen Briggs; brother, Winton Grover; and her parents, Corliss and Hope Grover.

A memorial has been established.

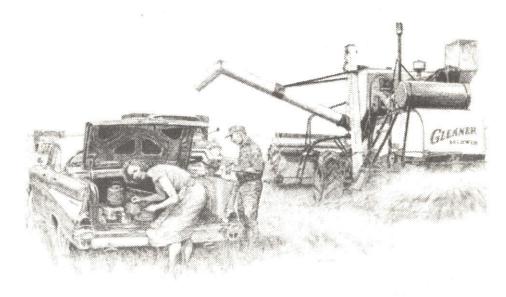
Condolences may be sent to the family at www.kinkadefunerals.com.

# In Loving Memory Of



Betty Park

1924 ~ 2013



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# In remembrance of our Mother and all the women who helped feed the world.



My 3-Way Mirror

I needed a skirt so went shopping and with that came my discovery. I stepped into a 3-way mirror and was so surprised at what I saw - so sad - I checked again and saw the same person. I had no idea how the whole me looked. Yes, I have several mirrors in my home, but I only saw one part of me as I check my hair or one side at a time in my full length mirror. Right then I realized how important the whole person is; the mental, physical, and spiritual. One part isn't enough to be concerned about; it does not give the true picture.

One of Betty's favorite lessons

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#### Born

May 1, 1924 Amboy, Minnesota

#### Died

October 19, 2013 Rapid City, South Dakota

# Celebration of Life

Saturday, October 26, 2013, at 11:00 a.m. United Methodist Church Dutton, Montana

## **Officiating**

Rev. Alice Ebi Kestler Rev. Grover Briggs

## **Musical Selections**

"In The Garden"
"Brother Van's Harvest Song"
"I Need Thee Every Hour"

### Inurnment

Saturday, October 26, 2013, at 10:00 a.m. Dutton Cemetery Dutton, Montana