#### **Helen Marie Bartlett**

Helen was born in Montana August 1, 1939, to Hiram "Junior" and Jean Mahoney. She attended school and grew up in the Broadus area until meeting her husband, Ralph F. Bartlett. The couple moved to Sturgis where they started their family, which included one daughter and four sons. Helen was a devoted mother to her children, and a cornerstone to grandchildren, great-grandchildren, and others. She was a constant in the lives of many.

Helen Bartlett, a longtime resident of Sturgis SD, passed away at her home Saturday September 28, 2019.

She is survived by all of her children, Tana Neel, Carl Bartlett, Ralph Bartlett Jr., Frank Bartlett, and Kenneth Bartlett; grandchildren: Clay Ford, Jean Earl, Anni Lukesh, and Mike Neel; Sid Weiss, Billy Bartlett, Amanda Williams, and Robert Bartlett; Kathleen Bartlett; and Nicole Bartlett, Max Bartlett, Christina Bartlett, and Jennifer Bartlett.

Helen was preceded in death by her husband, Ralph F. Bartlett, and grandson, Anthony Bartlett.

A memorial has been established to St. Jude's Children's Hospital.

Helen was a butterfly,
a butterfly lights beside us like a sunbeam,
and for a brief moment its glory and beauty belong to our world,
but then it flies again,
and though we wish it could have stayed,
we should be blessed to have seen it.

The family invites you to join them for fellowship and lunch at the Vet's Club in Sturgis following the committal service. We thank you for your presence and condolences.



In Loving Memory

Helen Marie Bartlett

August 1, 1939 ~ September 28, 2019



### "WHEN TOMORROW STARTS WITHOUT ME"

When tomorrow starts without me,
And I'm not here to see;
If the sun should rise and find your eyes
All filled with tears for me,
As much as I love you,
Each time that you think of me,
I know you'll miss me too
So when tomorrow starts without me,
Don't think we're apart,
For every time you think of me,
I'm right here, in your heart.





### In Memory Of

# Helen Marie Bartlett

## Date of Birth

August 1, 1939 Montana

#### Date of Death

September 28, 2019 Sturgis, South Dakota

#### **Funeral Service**

Friday, October 4, 2019 at 10:00 a.m. Kinkade Funeral Chapel Sturgis, South Dakota

**Clergy**Pastor Tom Martin

#### Songs

"Country Roads"
"When I Get Where I Am Going"

#### **Pallbearers**

Mike Neel Mick Lewis Ken Bartlett Frank Bartlett Carl Bartlett Nicole Bartlett

#### **Honorary Pallbearers**

Tanna Neel Ralph Bartlett Clay Ford Jean Earl Anni Lukesh Sid Weiss Billy Bartlett Amanda Williams Robert Bartlett Max Bartlett Christina Bartlett Jennifer Bartlett

**Final Resting Place**Black Hills National Cemetery
Sturgis, South Dakota