

My Grandma In Me

*I think of you often
Even though I'm not there*

*I think of all the stuff you taught me
Throughout all the years*

*Your smile is amazing but your
heart is bigger
You have always worried and
cared for many others.*

*Lessons were learned and skills
were taught
I remember you as no one to cross
treating me with fairness and nothing
but love.*

*You made sure all is well in this world
You stepped up to many challenges
more than you probably knew
but that's my grandma
strong, driven and provided for a numbered few.*

*My heart will always hold you no matter when and where
just know that strength you've taught me will get me there*

*Moving forward I will cherish you
remember all that is good and what you would do*

*May God bless you and those you love
We will cross paths again, up above*

*Until then my heart and soul will never forget
How you've loved for all with no regrets*

*I hold and love you,
Forever and always in my heart*

*My Grandma in me will never part.
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In Loving Memory of
Helen Aunly Herman
January 16, 1931—January 11, 2021



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Mass of Christian Burial to Celebrate the Life of

Helen Aunly Herman

Friday, October 15, 2021 1:00 pm

Our Lady of the Sacred Heart Cathedral, The Pas, Manitoba

Presider: Rev. Paul Bringleston

Music Ministry: Rochelle Rydberg

Order of Service – Eucharist Celebration

Pre-Music/Song:

Welcoming and Opening Prayer

HYMN: “Here I am Lord” (G&P 542)

Memories of the Heart: Ed and Roseanne Patenaude

Liturgy of the Word:

1st Reading: Ecclesiastes Harold and Alice Ginter

Psalm 27: “*I believe, I believe I shall see the goodness of the Lord, In the Land, In the Land of the Living.*”

2nd Reading: 1 Corinthians 15:51-57 Faye Thorne

Gospel:

Homily:

Prayers of Intercession

Liturgy of the Eucharist:

Preparation of the Gifts

HYMN: “On Eagles Wings” (G&P 598)

Eucharistic Celebration: (Consecration of Bread and Wine)

Lord’s Prayer and Communion Rite

HYMN: “Be Not Afraid”

Prayers of Commendation: “Songs of the Angels” CBW 10C

HYMN: “In The Garden”

Recessional Music:

Heaven gained an Angel on Monday, January 11, 2021 when Helen Herman passed away surrounded by her family and friends.

Helen was born to Edward and Jeanie Heatherington on Friday, January 16, 1931 in Swan River, Manitoba. During her early years she moved around a lot as her dad was working for the railroad.

Helen met and married Wayne Mitchell and had two beautiful daughters, Patricia who has since joined her mom in the after life and Dianne. They divorced when the girls were young and Helen moved them back to The Pas where she went to work for Manitoba Telephone Systems as an operator.

A few years later she was reintroduced to Otto Herman who had suddenly lost his wife and they started to date. They were married in 1969 and with that “I do” she inherited six more daughters, Carol, Eileen, Violet, Charlotte, Paula and Tracey the youngest of the Herman girls. When Otto asked her how she could even consider marrying him with all those girls, her reply was simple, she liked girls and worked with girls, so she had no problem raising girls.

Helen left MTS to become a full time mom and boy was it full time. In 1971 their family became complete with the birth of their son Garry. When in the hospital and she was told it was a boy, her reply was, “It’s ok, I like girls.” Never thinking she would have a son.

A few years after Garry’s birth Otto decided to leave construction and focus on farming full time. He moved Helen and the two youngest children to the farm where he is still residing today.

Helen is known by many names wife mom, grandma, great grandma, great, great grandma, sister and friend, but no matter what you call her she was a very special individual.

Helen never stopped doing things. Many a night as we would sit for supper she would be doing something and we would be done and she would just be coming to sit down as she would remember something else that she had to do.

Helen’s passion was the farm and her family. She loved running the combine and when she wasn’t doing that she was feeding her “men” as she would say. She loved gardening and her flowers.

The one thing that people always mention when they talk about Helen is her smile. She always had one ready no matter what her day was like. She was active in the CWL and many teas ran smoothly thanks to her efforts.

Helen is predeceased by her parents; her brothers Fred, Richard, Al, John; and her only sister Amy; two great grandchildren Tara-Dawn and Lucas. She is survived by her loving husband Otto; her children Carol (Art), Eileen (Bob), Violet (Jim), Patti (Karl) who has since passed on, Charlotte (Myles), Paula (Larry), Dianne (Tom), Tracey (Ross) and Garry (Lavonne); her brother Roy, and many grandchildren great grandchildren and great, great grandchildren.