

God saw you were getting tired

And a cure was not to be,

So He put *His* arms around you

And whispered, "Come to me."

With *tearful* eyes we watched you suffer

And saw you fade away,

Although we *loved* you dearly

We could not make you stay.

Your *golden* heart stopped beating

Hard working hands to rest,

God broke our *hearts* to prove to us

He only takes the best.



IN LOVING MEMORY

*Frances
Bahl*

1929 ~ 2025



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Frances Bohl, 96, of Bismarck, passed away peacefully with her family by her side on August 1, 2025, at the Baptist Home in Bismarck.

Frances was born on April 16, 1929, the twelfth of sixteen children to Stanley and Amelia (Leingang) Hopfauf in Fallon, ND. In August 1949, she married George Bohl in Fallon.

Frances was always an active member of her community. She worked as a waitress and cook in Flasher and Carson restaurants, at the Flasher Public School cafeteria, and often assisted her sister, Rose, with catering weddings and special events. A talented cook, her family enjoyed and appreciated the many delicious meals and treats she lovingly prepared. Frances was creative and loved doing crafts—especially quilting, embroidery, and plastic canvas. After moving to Baptist Health and Rehab in 2018, she continued crafting and making plastic canvas crafts, generously sharing them with staff and fellow residents. Frances loved Bingo and looked forward to playing twice a week at the nursing home. She remained dedicated to her crafts until just a few weeks before her passing.

Frances will be deeply missed by her daughters, Andriette “Andi” (Jerry) Bonogofsky of Baldwin, ND and Carlotta Thomas of Cushing, OK; her sons, Darrell (Billie) Bohl of Bismarck, Dale (Karen) Bohl of Mandan, Brian Bohl of Colorado Springs, and Rob (Brenda) Bohl of Papillion, NE; step-son, George Jr. (Frances) Bohl of Claremore, OK; 14 grandchildren; 31 great-grandchildren; and 4 great-great-grandchildren. She is also survived by her sister, Clementine Volk of Bismarck; brother, Florian (Georgia) Hopfauf of Park City, MT; and numerous nieces and nephews.

Frances was preceded in death by her parents; her husband, George, in 1984; her son, Jarmin; grandson, Cory Bonogofsky; son-in-law, Tom Thomas; step-granddaughter, Amber Thomas; stepdaughter, Marilyn Nolan and her husband, Tom; sisters, Genevieve (Pete) Eckroth, Magdalina (Jacob) Hellman, Katherine (Joe) Erhardt, Mary Hopfauf, Eva (Adam) Barnhardt, Perpetua (Anton) Bullinger, Rose (Xavier) Bohl, Loretta Hopfauf, and Agnes (Ray) Eckroth; brothers, Anton (Frances), Ralph (Kathryn), Leo (Josephine), and Adam Hopfauf; sisters-in-law, Anna (Frank) Hopfauf, Mary (John) Movich, Monica (Chuck) Taylor, Magdaline (Pat) Snodgrass, Barbara (Nick) Doll, Eileen (Edward) Balkowitch, and Rose (Tony) Miller; brothers-in-law, Peter (Julia) Bohl, Mike (Barbara) Bohl, Jacob (Ida) Bohl, and Joseph (Hildegard) Bohl.

Parish Rosary & Vigil Wednesday, August 6, 2025; 7:00 PM
Presider Deacon Dennis Rohr
Funeral Liturgy Thursday, August 7, 2025; 10:30 AM
 St. Joseph Catholic Church, Mandan, ND
Celebrant Fr. Josh Waltz
Musicians Judy Friesz & Brad Doll
Casketbearers Travis Bohl, Ashley Bohl, Kevin Bonogofsky
 Shonah Bonogofsky, Dalton Bohl, & Hailey Bohl
Lector Joletta Gusaas & Brad Doll

Prelude “On This Day, Oh Beautiful Mother”
 Processional Song “Be Not Afraid”

Liturgy of the Word

Old Testament Reading Isaiah 55:9-12
 Response Psalm 116

“I will walk in the presence of the Lord.”

 New Testament Reading Romans 5:5-11
 Gospel Reading John 11:17-27
 Homily

Liturgy of the Eucharist

Preparation of Gifts Song “On Eagle’s Wings”
 Presentation of Gifts
 Eucharistic Prayer
 Communion Songs “Hail Mary, Gentle Woman”
 Communion Meditation
 Final Commendation “Song of Farewell”
 Closing Song “The Strife is O’er”

***The family invites you for food & fellowship at the Mandan Eagle’s Club,
 1400 Collins Avenue, immediately following the funeral service.***

Committal Service 2:00 PM, St. Lawrence Cemetery
 Flasher, North Dakota