

Remembering the Life....

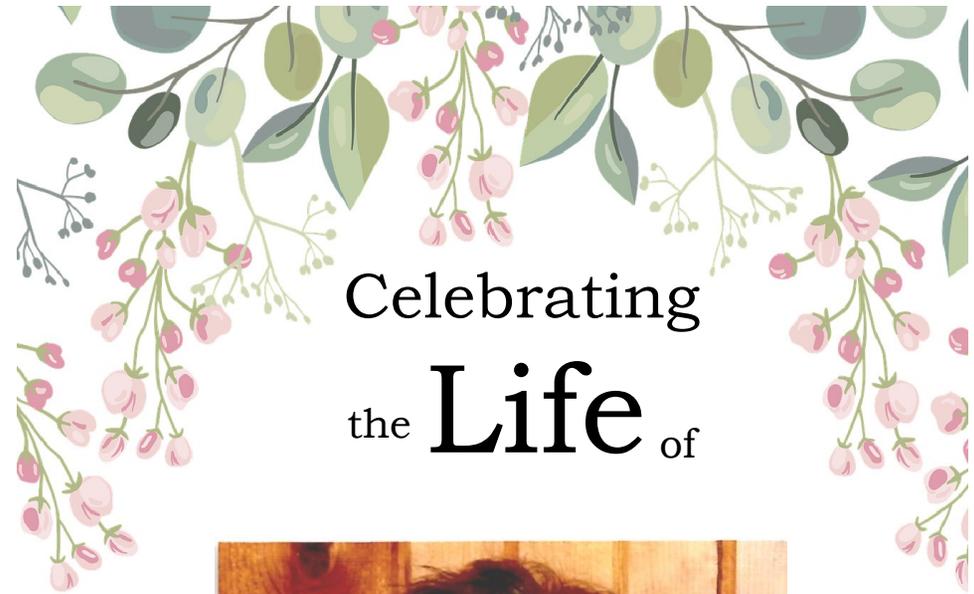
Marlys Ann Klimp was born on February 3, 1947, in Fergus Falls, Minnesota the daughter of Philip and Ruth (Johnson) Heald. She was baptized and confirmed in the Lutheran Faith. Marlys attended the Ashby Public School, graduating from the Ashby High School in 1965, and continued her education at the Alexandria Technical School in bookkeeping.

Marlys and William "Bill" Klimp were married on June 25, 1966, in the Trinity Lutheran Church in Ashby. They lived in various locations in the area. Marlys was employed with Production Credit Association in Alexandria, the Ashby Farmers Elevator, before starting with the US Postal Service retiring as a rural mail carrier. Marlys, Bill along with their son Brad started Klimp's Kountry Korner which they operated a number of years. They enjoyed visiting with all the people and doing their repairs. Marlys enjoyed reading, traveling, snowmobiling, bowling, pottery, sewing, going for drives, and especially time spent with family and attending grandkids events. She was a member of the Redhats, Ashby Legion Auxiliary and the First Lutheran Church in Battle Lake. Marlys always was involved with the church circles.

On Tuesday, December 31, 2024, Marlys passed away at Ashby Living Center in Ashby Minnesota at the age of seventy-seven years.

She is survived by two daughters, Holly Albert and Heidi (Corey) Mekalson both of Battle Lake; daughter-in-law, April (Chad) Widness of Brandon; eleven grandchildren: Gryphon (Katie), Archie and Teddy Lillis, Logan Lillis and Riston Albert; Spencer, Brodey, Jack and Max Mekalson; Chris (Maggie) Klimp, Mercede (Craig Larson) Klimp and Wilder; Lexus (Gavin Kugath) Klimp, Levi (Olivia) Klinkner, River and Cooper; sister, Phyllis Torgrimson of Fergus Falls; two sisters-in-law, Carolyn (Gene) Binnebose and Bonnie Hinton both of Alexandria; and by nieces, nephews, relatives and friends. Marlys was preceded in death by her parents; husband, Bill; son, Brad; son-in-law, Ryan Albert; infant sister, Barbara Heald; two brothers-in-law, Carroll Winslow and Johnny Torgrimson; and uncle, Jess Heald.

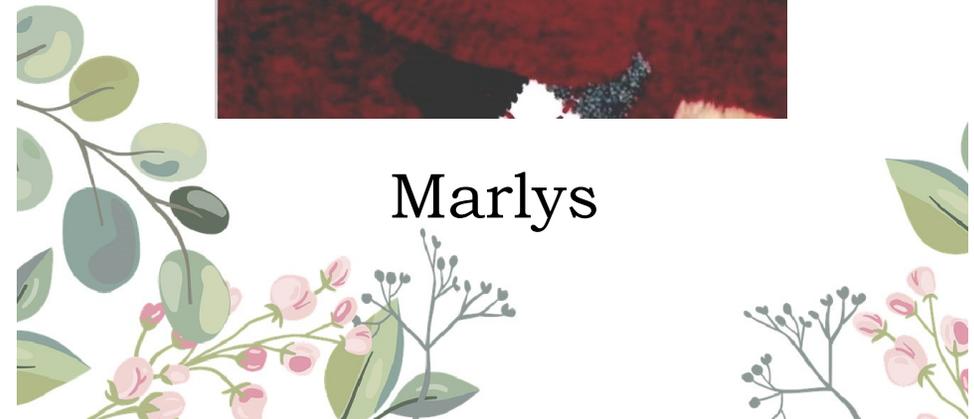
Blessed be the Memory of Marlys Klimp



Celebrating
the **Life** of



Marlys





We Hold You Close

Mother we hold you close within our hearts,
And there you shall remain,
To walk, with us throughout our lives,
Until we meet again.

So rest in peace our beloved Mother,
And thanks for all you've done.
We pray that God has given you,
The crown you've truly won.



In Loving Memory Of **Marlys Ann Klimp**

February 3, 1947 ~ December 31, 2024

Memorial Service

Wednesday, January 15, 2025 at 11 AM
First Lutheran Church
Battle Lake, Minnesota

Officiating

Reverend Lynn Melchior

Music

Melissa Fronning
"Go Rest High on That Mountain"
"What a Day That Will Be"

Congregational Hymns

"Just A Closer Walk With Thee"
"I'll Fly Away"

Urnbearers

Gryphon and Logan Lillis, Riston Albert
Spencer, Brodey, Jack and Max Mekalson
Chris, Mercede and Lexus Klimp, Levi Klinkner

Interment

Pelican Lake Cemetery
Ashby, Minnesota

Appreciation

Marlys' family is grateful for your attendance at this service.
Your many expressions of kindness and love are deeply
appreciated. Please join family and friends for lunch and
fellowship following the service.

Arrangements by

Glende-Nilson Funeral Home ~ Battle Lake
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