

In Loving Memory of  
**JoAnn K. Plum**  
October 2, 1933 ~ September 24, 2024

**Funeral Outside of Mass**

Monday, September 30, 2024 ▪ 9:30 AM  
Parkway Funeral Service ▪ 2330 Tyler Parkway  
Bismarck, North Dakota

**Interment**

Monday, September 30, 2024 ▪ 11:00 AM  
North Dakota Veterans Cemetery  
Mandan, North Dakota

Greeting

Opening Song

*“Be Not Afraid”*

Sprinkling with Holy Water

Invitation to Prayer

Opening Prayer

Liturgy of the Word

Old Testament

Wisdom 3: 1-6, 9

Responsorial Psalm

Psalm 23

*“The Lord is my Shepherd; there is nothing I shall want.”*

New Testament

Romans 6: 3-4, 8-9

Gospel

John 14: 1-6

Homily

Meditation Song

*“On Eagles Wings”*

Prayer of Intercession

The Lord’s Prayer

Final Commendation

Invitation to Prayer

Song of Farewell

Prayer of Commendation

Procession Prayers

Closing Song

*“How Great Thou Art”*

**Officiant** Deacon Bob Wingenbach

**Pallbearers**



Tribute Video



JoAnn K. Plum, a cherished matriarch and devoted homemaker, passed away on September 24, 2024 at Benedictine Living Community in Bismarck, ND.

JoAnn was born on October 2, 1933, in Rugby, ND, to Jacob and Kathryn Kuhn. Her family moved to Bismarck in 1946 and she graduated in 1951 from St. Mary's High School in Bismarck. After graduation she began her career at a local telephone company. It was there that she met Lowell Plum, with whom she married in 1955 and they shared many joyful years until his passing in 1998.

JoAnn's greatest pride came from her role as a loving mother to five sons. She was a nurturing and dedicated stay-at-home mom, relishing every moment spent with her children. Beyond her family, JoAnn was an active member of communities she resided in over the years and demonstrated her commitment through her involvement with the Rugby Volunteer Fire Department where she took fire calls and blew Rugby's fire siren, and played the handbells and served as a greeter at Corpus Christi Church in Bismarck. She will be remembered not only for her warm spirit but also for her passion for hobbies such as puzzles, embroidery, crocheting, sewing, and playing games. She had quite the knack for growing African violets and a huge love for cats. And the boys will think of their mom every time they eat her German potato salad!

JoAnn is survived by her beloved children, Lowell (Maxine), Kenneth (Kay), Michael (Susie), David (Barbara), and Keith; grandchildren, Angela, Michelle, Melissa, Shannon, Brittany, Kyle, Katy, Leishka, and Makeila; nine great grandchildren; her siblings: Joyce Bement, Tina (Elroy) Malard, Jerry Kuhn, and Art Jacque.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Lowell, her sisters Julie Ludwig and Shirley Kuhn, and her parents, Jacob and Kathryn Kuhn.

## *A Mother's Love*

*A mother's love is special  
It's present every day,  
A gift that came from heaven  
That God has sent our way.  
Her job is never ending  
She's there all day and night,  
To be there for her children  
And be their guiding light.  
Her thoughts are with them always  
Even if they are apart,  
Her children have a special place  
Deep down inside her heart.  
Mothers are a special gift –  
A gift from up above,  
This world would seem so empty  
Without a Mother's love.*

J. ENTZMINGER