

Marilyn (Nana) Pauline Meckle was born August 22nd, 1941, in Mobridge, SD. Her parents were Daniel and Martha (Dabbert) Hintz. Thirteen years later Vernon joined the family, whom Marilyn helped raise, after their mother died, in 1963. She graduated from Mobridge High School in 1959. Marilyn married in June 1959. They lived on numerous ranches. On October 1st, 1967, they adopted Tracey. (8-1-67—6-26-07, she died in a MVA). They later divorced. Marilyn raised Jasmine, her granddaughter, who was her pride and joy.

Marilyn was a selfless individual, helping many in need, especially her family. She was a wonderful cook/baker. Her family and friends often found themselves with gifts of her “goodies.” She worked in food service of some kind most of her life. She was employed at National Tea, a grocery store. Worked at Dean’s Drive Inn many years, alongside with her nieces. She also worked at Dakota Country. She enjoyed her work at Paylessfood’s, and you could find her on the first till, chatting with everyone. She cooked at The Depot Coffeeshop. Made many a cheesecake and even sold a few. Due to a stroke, in 2012, she had to retire. Otherwise, she would have continued working. Her family remembers the wonderful meals and treats she would make including favorites of knoeffla soup, strudels, cheesecakes, chocolate popcorn balls, and many more. She would “gift” bowls of knoeffla soup for birthdays with the instruction that “you don’t have to share” that’s for you. That was the same advice she gave if you asked for certain for recipes, “no I don’t share, family recipes.” She loved banana bread and always wanted Jasmine or Leann to bring her that treat while at the nursing home in Rapid City.

Her family will miss their beloved Nana, her quick wit and one liners could break up tension and make everyone laugh. Her faith was extremely important to her, and she could often be found reading her Bible. This faith provided comfort and direction for her thru many difficult times. She lived very frugally and was always willing to give to others.

In 2013 she moved to Belle Fourche due to health reasons. In April 2017 she moved to Rapid City, Avantara Arrowhead LTC, where she passed away on 11-17-2021

Marilyn is survived by her brother Vernon (Leann) Hintz of Belle Fourche, SD. Her granddaughter, Jasmine (Mat) Millage of Williston, ND. 6 other grandchildren, Dakota, Konacin, Freedom, Diamond, Autumn, and Alex, Nieces and Nephew, Ginger Hintz (Ed Gore) Oakland Cal., Hollie Hendricks, Milwaukie, Or., Jessie Hintz, Sioux Falls, SD, Cara Sue (Nathan) Krell, Sioux Falls, SD, Kayla Hintz, Sioux Falls SD, Daniel (Leah) Hintz, Broomfield, CO. Her Great Grandchildren. Great nieces and nephews. Her honorary daughter Simone Red Bear.

She was preceded in death by her parents, Martha and Daniel Hintz,

In Loving Memory Of



Marilyn Pauline Meckle

“Nana”

August 22, 1941 ~ November 17, 2021

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Marilyn “Nana” Pauline Meckle

BORN:

08-22-1941

Mobridge, South Dakota

PASSED AWAY:

11-17-2021

Rapid City, South Dakota

When Tomorrow Starts Without Me
*When tomorrow starts without me,
please try to understand, that an
angel came and called my name, and
took me by the hand; The angel said
my place was ready, In Heaven far above,
and that I'd have to leave behind all
those I dearly love. But when I walked
through Heaven's Gates, I felt so much
at home, for God looked down, smiled
at me, and told me "Welcome Home."
So when tomorrow starts without me,
Don't think we're far apart, for every
time you think of me, I'm right there
in your heart.*

CELEBRATION OF LIFE SERVICE:

11:00 AM, Monday, November 29, 2021

Cornerstone Community Church

Mobridge, South Dakota

SPEAKERS:

Mr. Mike Bezenek

Leann Hintz

Daniel Hintz

Pastor Stephen Carson

SPECIAL MUSIC:

Cornerstone Singers

"Sweet Beulah Land"

Pastor Ashton Rone

"Amazing Grace— My Chains Are Gone"

HONORARY BEARERS:

Marilyn's Great Grandchildren:

Madison, Maci, Jackson, Miley, Diesel, Axel & Willow

Arrangements Entrusted to Kesling Funeral Home.