



Rose Marie Hickey

March 12, 1933 - April 29, 2016

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Rose Marie (Franke) Hickey age 83 of Weeping Water, NE, formerly of Union, NE passed peacefully away on Friday, April 29, 2016 at her residence.

She was born on March 12, 1933 to Fritz Irvin and Olga Agnes (Landis) Franke in Cedar Creek, NE. Rose attended one-room country school and graduated from Louisville High School in Louisville, NE with the class of 1950. She met Ronald "Roy" LeRoy Hickey and they were later married on June 19, 1959 in Omaha, NE. Rose and Roy made their home and raised their son, Matthew born in 1971, on the family farm in Union. After Roy passed away in 2014, Rose sold the farm and moved to Weeping Water. She loved spending her time quilting and she was an avid reader, who enjoyed the Bible. Rose leaves her special acknowledgment of love and appreciation for her family and her fellowship of friends.

She was a member of Crossroads Bible Church in Manley, NE and Robert Bernard Roddy American Legion Post #235 Auxiliary in Union, NE.

Rose is survived by her son: Matt Hickey of Hershey, NE; sister: Mary Jane Hinkle of Auburn, NE; two sisters-in-law: Evelyn Franke of Louisville, NE; Judy Franke of Auburn, NE; many nieces, nephews, cousins, and many friends.

She is preceded in death by her parents: Fritz and Agnes Franke, husband: Roy Hickey, sister: Janice Mannering, two brothers: Irvin Franke, Fritz Franke, and her nephew: Adam Hinkle.

Visitations will be held from 1-9 P.M. with family greeting relatives and friends from 6-8 P.M., Tuesday, May 3, 2016 at Roby Funeral Home in Plattsmouth, NE.

A Funeral Service will be held at 10:30 A.M., Wednesday, May 4, 2016 at Crossroads Bible Church in Manley, NE with Pastor Gary Wissel officiating, Sara Reckling as eulogist, and Kris Wissel as pianist.

The Pallbearers will be Dan Franke, Todd Franke, Randall Gilbert, Clark Hinkle, Dan Lechner, and Wayne Welter.

Honorary Pallbearers will be Jason Franke, Randy Franke, Cathy Hickey, Glen Hickey, K.E. Hickey, Richard Hickey, and Bill Mannering.

Her final resting place will be at East Union Cemetery in Union, next to her husband Roy.

The family suggests memorials to Crossroads Bible Church.

Tribute Wall



“ *Rose Marie Hickey*

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“ *Rose was my aunt. I have so many good memories of her when I was a kid. Very good natured and a lot of fun. She will be really missed. Love you aunt Rose. God bless you.*

Carlene Quinn - April 29, 2018 at 09:19 PM



“ *My Dear Friend Matt!! I am so sorry to hear of your mother's passing. She was a very special person and I have enjoyed being a friend of both your father and mother. I have lots of good memories of all the parties and get to gethers we had, especially on the 4th of July. You always put on a very special fire works display for all of us and I will always remember the good times. Matt you will always be in my thoughts and prayers and if you ever get to Lincoln, please look me up. My e-mail address is attached to this message so please stay in contact. I have lots of family from Montana who just got in today so if I don't make it to the funeral home that will be the reason. Matt I will always love you and think of you as a very good friend. Please stay in touch and my thoughts and prayers are with you through this rough time. Please let me know if you need anything!!!3*

Glenna Oltman - April 29, 2018 at 09:19 PM

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“ Dear Matt and Family I am sure you don't know me but I for sure know about you. Your mother spoke of you with pride and love always. We worked together at Dress Barn in Nebraska City. I am deeply saddened to hear of my friends passing. She was an amazing woman; kind, intelligent, thoughtful, hardworking, so talented at so many things. I probably fail more than succeed at this but if a person can say they are a better person in any way because they met you is as good as it gets. Rose was such a person. I feel very blessed to have known her. What I remember best is she was a woman of strong faith. I considered myself a Christian but not as far in my journey as she was. She definitely shined light on the path as she went ahead. I often think of her and the example she set by her actions. As I said you probably don't know who I am but I hope it is a comfort to you and the family to know that others know what a treasure you lost. Forgive me for phrasing it in that way. I am sure she is not lost she is no doubt trying out her wings. With deepest respect for Rose I offer my sympathies and prayers to you and the family. Sincerely Wanda Stoklasa

Wanda Stoklasa - April 29, 2018 at 09:19 PM