



Beaty Engels, age 91, of New Rockford, ND, died Saturday, June 5, 2021, surrounded by her family at the Lutheran Home of the Good Shepherd, New Rockford.

Beatrice "Beaty" Margaret Engels was born August 24, 1929, in rural New Rockford, ND. She was the daughter of Hugh and Anna O'Connor. She grew up on the family farm, attended country school close to home, and went to high school at St. James Academy in New Rockford.

After high school she remained on the family farm where she was in her glory and helped with all the chores, planting, harvesting, and caring for all the animals.

On January 15th, 1952 she married the love of her life, Jerry Engels. They were the very first couple to be married at the Bremen Catholic Church in Bremen, ND. Together they raised ten children, five girls and five boys on the farm where they farmed and ranched for many years.

Beaty will always be remembered for her cooking skills, especially her Special K bars (also known as Beaty Bars), overnight buns, meatballs, and her homemade soup. Beaty loved all animals, especially her horses. She shared her love for riding horse with her family and friends on their trail rides. After raising their kids, they participated in many trail rides in Medora and planned at least one trip there every summer.

She was a very active member in the St. Johns Catholic Church for many years. She also belonged to the American Legion Auxiliary, St. Gerards Circle and Card Club in Bremen, Homemakers, Circle Trail Riders, and the Red Hat Society.

She is survived by her children, Janice Risovi, New Rockford; Jim (Mary) Engels, Jamestown; Mary Jo (Ron) Harter, Austin, TX; John Engels, New Rockford; Joe (Merritt) Engels, Warwick; Jake (Lisa) Engels, New Rockford; Jeff (Becky) Engels, New Rockford; Karen (JR.) Peterson, Zimmerman, MN; Jodi Engels, Alberta, Canada; son-in-law, Bob Bina, Grand Forks; 25 grandchildren, 39 great-grandchildren; and one great-great-grandchild, numerous nieces and nephews.

Beaty is preceded in death by her husband, Jerry; her daughter, Susan Bina; and son-in-law, Lester Risovi.

In God's Care



Beaty Engels

August 24, 1929 - June 5, 2021



To Those I Love and Those Who Love Me

*When I am gone, release me, let me go -
You have so many things to see and do.
You mustn't tie yourself to me with tears
Be happy that we had so many years.*

*I gave you my love. You can only guess
How much you gave me in happiness.
I thank you for the love you all have shown,
but now it's time I traveled alone.*

*So grieve awhile for me if grieve you must,
Then let your grief be comforted by trust.
It's only for a while that we must part
So bless the memories within your heart.*

*I won't be far away, for life goes on
So, if you need me, call and I will come.
Though you can't see or touch me, I'll be near,
And if you listen with your heart, you'll hear
All of my love around you, soft and clear.*

*And then, when you must come this way alone,
I'll greet you with a smile, and say
"Welcome Home."
-Author unknown*

In Loving Memory Of *Beatrice "Beaty" Engels*

August 24, 1929 – rural New Rockford, ND
June 5, 2021 – New Rockford, ND

VISITATION

Wednesday, June 9, 2021
12:00PM – 5:00PM Evans Funeral Home, New Rockford, ND
6:00PM – 7:00PM St. John's Catholic Church, New Rockford, ND

ROSARY & VIGIL SERVICE

Wednesday, June 9, 2021
Rosary 6:30PM, Vigil Service 7:00PM
St. John's Catholic Church, New Rockford, ND

MASS OF CHRISTIAN BURIAL

Thursday, June 10, 2021 ~ 10:30 AM
St. John's Catholic Church, New Rockford, ND

OFFICIATING

Deacon Kenneth Severinson ~ Vigil Service
Father Reese Weber ~ Mass of Christian Burial

MUSIC

Annette Hovey ~ Pianist
Jacee Engels & Elijah O'Sullivan ~ Vocalist

ALTAR SERVERS

Luke Yri ~ Alivia Yri ~ Camebria Engels

CASKET BEARERS

All of Beaty's Granddaughters

HONORARY BEARERS

All of Beaty's Grandsons

BURIAL

ND Veteran's Cemetery, Mandan, ND

Arrangements By
Evans Funeral Home – Carrington & New Rockford, ND
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