



Daisy Marie Richardson

October 21, 1923 - August 9, 2016

Daisy M. Richardson, 92 of Grand Island passed away on Tuesday, August 9, 2016 at Tabitha at Williamsburg in Lincoln.

Visitation will be from 5 to 7 p.m. on Thursday at St. Paul's Lutheran Church. Funeral services will be held at 1:30 p.m. on Friday at St. Paul's Lutheran Church. Rev. Bill Pavuk will officiate. Burial will follow at Westlawn Memorial Park Cemetery.

Daisy was born on October 21, 1923 in Brule, NE, daughter of Frederick and Edith (Robbins) Starkey.

Those left to cherish her memory include her children, Jack (Carol) Richardson of Grand Island, Kile Richardson of Grand Island, Gale (Terry) Freeburg of Lincoln; brother, Joe (Charlene) Starkey of Colorado Springs, CO; sister, Faye (Jerry) Brown of Grand Island; six grand children, numerous great – grandchildren and great-great-grandchildren; along with several nieces, nephews and extended family and friends.

She is preceded in death by her parents, husband, brothers and sisters.

Daisy grew up in Lewellen, NE until moving to Grand Island to work at the Ordinance Plant, manufacturing bombs for World War II. On July 29, 1946 she was united in marriage to Junior Richardson.

While living in Grand Island, Daisy was employed by Delicious Foods, and worked for the Telephone Company as an operator. For over 40 years she was an independent consultant for Tri-Chem Paint.

Daisy was a member of St. Paul's Lutheran Church, the Ladies Auxiliary and

Eagles Club. She enjoyed bowling, John Wayne movies, and always had a craft project that she was working on. Daisy loved a game of cards and was an avid Husker's fan. She was an animal fanatic in general but held a special place in her heart for horses. As a caring person, Daisy spread joy wherever she went.

Memorials are suggested to the family.

Cemetery Details

Westlawn Memorial Park

3826 West Stolley Park Road
Grand Island, NE 68803

Previous Events

Visitation

AUG 11. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

St. Pauls Lutheran Church
1515 South Harrison Street
Grand Island, NE 68801

Service

AUG 12. 1:30 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Daisy Marie Richardson*

October 08, 2023 at 11:02 PM



“ *As my sister has already noted. Our mother Sally lived down the hall from Daisy. And I always enjoyed every interaction I had with Daisy. She was so spunky and fun and full of wit. God Bless her family. Ann Meints/Lincoln*

Ann Meints - August 20, 2016 at 10:22 AM



“ *I've only known Daisy--and her daughter, Gale--for a few months, because my mother, Sally, also lives at Tabitha at Williamsburg. From the start, Daisy's spunk and good humor were obvious, and much appreciated. I was lucky enough to play Wii Bowling with both Gale and Daisy, when they invited me to join them. From there, I would always look forward to seeing the two of them at Tabitha, because they always brought a light to the day.*

For all her energy and vitality, I still cannot believe that Daisy is no longer alive. How many games of cards had I seen her playing, these past few months? How many projects with her hands? She brought so much light into my family's life in just the short while that I knew her. Her daughter, Gale, lifted my days, as well. She was a terrific daughter to her mother. Daisy, it was clear, was the kind of person who made other people even better.

I will miss seeing those two.

Jane Holt - August 13, 2016 at 05:30 AM

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“ *Our sympathy to the family.
Eddy and Kathleen Hurley*

Eddy Hurley - August 12, 2016 at 09:37 PM

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“ *My thoughts, prayers, and deepest sympathy go out to you all on this day and those to come. Daisy was such a wonderful lady who was loved very much by our family. May you all find some peace and comfort. With Love The Perrelet and Smidt families*

Crystal Smidr - August 11, 2016 at 01:12 PM