



## Evelyn Shirley "Evie" Jonak

March 24, 1943 - September 21, 2014

Evelyn Shirley "Evie" Jonak, 71, of Grand Island entered Heaven's gate September 21, 2014.

Visitation will be from 5-7 p.m. Tuesday at All Faiths Funeral Home of Grand Island, with a Rosary at 7:00.

Service will be Saturday, September 27th in Blackhammer, Minnesota. Pastor Leonard Liptack of Faith Lutheran Church will officiate. Burial will be in Blackhammer Cemetery.

Evie was born March 24, 1943, in Rushford, Minnesota, to Martin and Gilma (Treangen) Dragvold.

Those left to cherish her memory include her son, Robert Jonak of Grand Island; grandson, Taylor Jonak of Omaha and his fiancée, Rachael Parker; sisters, Marlene Morken of Spring Grove, MN, Charlotte (Bill) LaBonne of Canton, MN and Linda Gorder of Peterson, MN; several nieces and nephews; and her grand-doggy, Dozer.

She was preceded in death by her parents; brother, Gerald Dragvold and sister, Helen Valedez.

Evie was united in marriage to the father of her son, Larry Jonak in Rockford, Illinois. She lived in LaCrosse, WI and Spring Grove, MN, moving to Grand Island in 1968. While in Minnesota, Evie was employed by Rush Products. In Grand Island, her employment included GIA, Pacific Tool, Delicious Foods and Sleep Inn.

Evie's nurturing spirit was always present. She raised her two nieces, with the

help of her sisters and brother. Their Norwegian heritage was evident when Evelyn's siblings got together and they spoke their "old-world" language. Always putting others ahead of herself, Evie loved spending time with her family, especially her grandson.

Her hobbies included ceramics, watching "Wheel of Fortune", playing cards and cooking. Evie's specialty was chicken noodle soup, "For the Soul" and there was a life lesson with every mouthful.

The family wishes to extend their sincere appreciation to all of Evie's merciful caregivers.

Memorials are suggested to the family.

# Cemetery Details

## Blackhammer

Blackhammer, MN

# Previous Events

## Visitation

SEP 24. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

All Faiths Funeral Home  
2929 S Locust St  
Grand Island, NE 68801  
(308) 398-2929  
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## Service

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# Tribute Wall



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