

A Fallen Limb

*A limb has fallen from the family tree.
 I keep hearing a voice that says, "Grieve not for me.
 Remember the best times, the laughter, the song.
 The good life I lived while I was strong.
 Continue my heritage, I'm counting on you.
 Keep smiling and surely the sun will shine through.
 My mind is at ease, my soul is at rest.
 Remembering all, how I truly was blessed.
 Continue traditions, no matter how small.
 Go on with your life, don't worry about falls.
 I miss you all dearly, so keep up your chin.
 Until the day comes we're together again."*

In Loving Memory Of Louise Rystedt

Born to Nels & Ruth Mollgaard
 August 31, 1927 ~ Powers Lake, North Dakota

Returned to Her Heavenly Father
 April 5, 2026 ~ Stanley, North Dakota

Funeral Services

2:00 PM on Saturday, April 11, 2026
 Bethel Lutheran Church
 BattleView, North Dakota

Officiating

Pauline Crowder

Pallbearers

Pete Honrud	Nicholas Rystedt	Ken Maruskie
Chris Rystedt	Charles Junas	John Melland
Kurtis Foote	John Lucy	Jesse Puckett

Special Music

"Consider the Lilies"
 "One Day At A Time"
 "On Eagle's Wings" ~ Congregational

Vocalists & Accompanist

Kayo Grubb, Doug Eckert, & Roberta Helseth

Final Resting Place

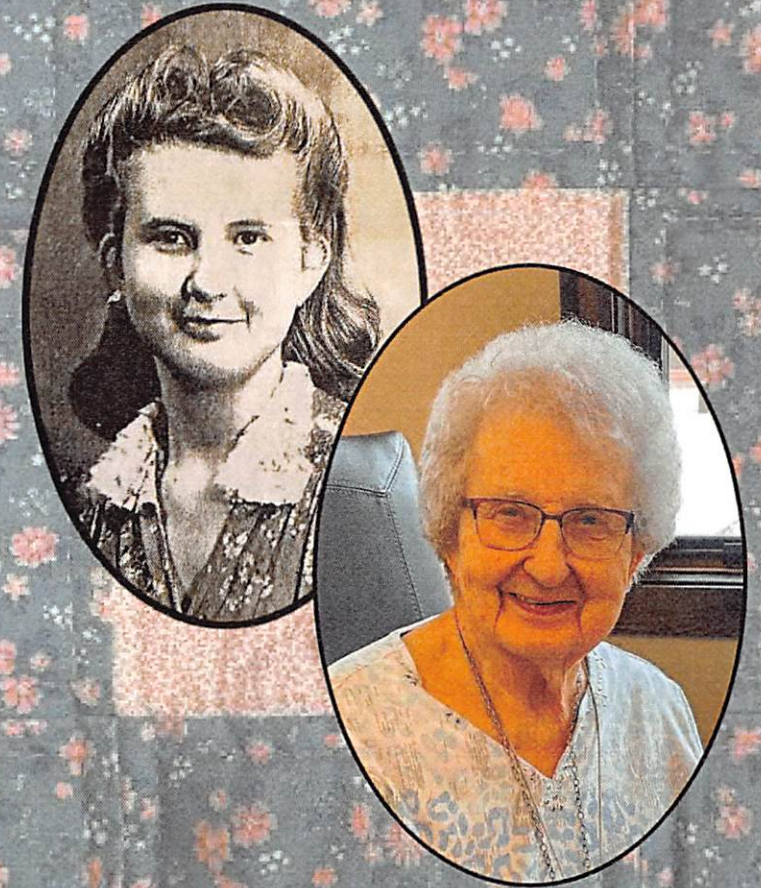
Bethel Lutheran Cemetery
 BattleView, North Dakota

Arrangements By

Springan Stevenson Funeral Home
 Stanley, North Dakota

IN LOVING
Memory
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stairway,
 and memories a lane,
 I'd walk right
 bring you up to heaven &
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Louise was born on August 31, 1927 in Powers Lake, ND to Nels Louis and Madge Ruth (Sipe) Mollgaard. She attended country school by Powers Lake.

She married Walter Rystedt on November 24, 1944 in Sidney, MT. They lived on the family farm by BattleView. To this union three children were born, David, Michael and Ladelle. Louise was postmaster at the BattleView Post Office for 31 years. She retired in 1989. Louise was very active at Bethel Lutheran serving on church council, quilting, and WELCA. She also enjoyed bowling, gardening, sewing, attending family sporting events and watching the NBA on TV. She was an excellent cook/baker and her grandchildren have fond memories of her fresh buns and pear sauce. Walter passed on December 23, 1980. Shortly after Louise moved into Powers Lake where she lived until 2021. At that time, she moved into Assisted Living. She very much enjoyed living at Rosen Place in Stanley where she loved the staff and made many new friends.

Those who shared in her life; Mike (Cheryl) Rystedt, Minot, Ladelle (Tim) Lucy, Powers Lake; daughter-in-law, Eloise Rystedt, Powers Lake; grandchildren, Joni (Pete) Honrud, Bismarck, Nicki (Ken) Maruskie, Battleview, Chris (Chandra) Rystedt, Powers Lake, Amy (Charles) Junas, Minot, Jennifer (John) Melland, Fargo, Jill (Kurtis) Foote, Fargo, John (Karen) Lucy, Kenmare, Anne (Jesse) Puckett, Powers Lake, Katie (Shawn Cote) Lucy, Tioga, Jeanie Lucy, Powers Lake; granddaughter-in-law, Roberta (Rystedt) Helseth; 38 great grandchildren; 14 great-great grandchildren; sister, Carol Holmen, Powers Lake; and numerous nephews and nieces.

Louise was preceded in death by her husband, Walter; son, David; grandson, Craig Rystedt; great granddaughter, Alyssa Rystedt; her parents; brothers, Jens Wesley Mollgaard and Marvin Mollgaard; sister, Florence Tande; and father and mother-in-law, Alex and Elydia Rystedt; brothers-in-law, Willie Tande, Manley Holmen, Roy Rystedt, Willie Rystedt, Harvey Rystedt and Otto Tande; sisters-in-law, Mable Mollgaard, Florence Rystedt, Arlene (Rystedt) Overlee, and Evelyn Tande.



Peaceful
MEMORIES



"Only One Mother"

by George Cooper

*Hundreds of stars in the pretty sky,
Hundreds of shells on the shore together,
Hundreds of birds that go singing by,
Hundreds of lambs in the sunny weather.
Hundreds of dewdrops to greet the dawn,
Hundreds of bees in the purple clover,
Hundreds of butterflies on the lawn,
But only one mother the wide world over.*

