



Crystal E. Ronspies

December 4, 1922 - May 11, 2016

OSMOND — Services for Crystal E. Ronspies, 93, Osmond, will be at 10:30 a.m. Monday at St. Mary's Catholic Church in Osmond. Burial will be in the parish cemetery. Visitation will be 4-7 p.m. Sunday at the church with a 7 p.m. rosary. Stonacek Memorial Chapel of Osmond is in charge of the arrangements. She died Wednesday, May 11, 2016, at Premier Estates in Pierce.

The daughter of Raymond and Mildred (Osberg) Johnson was born Dec. 4, 1922, at rural Wausa. She attended School District 19 east of Pierce and went to Pierce High School for two years before graduating from Osmond High School in 1941.

She married Edward Ronspies on June 20, 1942, at Hartington. The couple farmed in the McLean and Osmond area. They observed their 47th wedding anniversary on June 20, 1989. She was a typical farm wife and helped out with the farming wherever she was needed. She also raised chickens, had a large vegetable garden and kept a beautiful yard.

Ed and Crystal retired but continued to live on the farmstead east of Osmond. They enjoyed traveling and made trips to California and Florida. Their longest trip was a fishing excursion to LaRonge, Canada. She has been at Premier Estates of Pierce since November 2012.

She was a member of St. Mary's Catholic Church and its guild, as well as the Merry Mixers Club.

Survivors are a son, Rod and spouse Janet Ronspies of Osmond; a grandson,

Scott Ronspies of Charleston, Ill.; a granddaughter, Brenda Ronspies and Brian Gibbs of Bennington; two grandchildren and one great-grandchild. She was preceded in death by her parents, Raymond and Mildred; her spouse, Ed, who passed away on June 27, 1989; and one sister, Verlyn Wragge. Music will be provided by organist, Sue Wingert and the St. Mary's Choir. Casket bearers will be Raymond Gubbels, Duane Gubbels, John Gubbels, Dan Weeder, Mark Krienert and Virgil Schultze. Condolences may be expressed to the family on-line at www.stonacekfuneralchapel.com.

Cemetery Details

St. Mary's Catholic Cemetery- Osmond

Osmond, NE 68765

Previous Events

Visitation

MAY **15**. 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

St. Mary's Catholic Church- Osmond
509 N. Hill St.
Osmond, NE 68765

Rosary

MAY **15**. 7:00 PM (CT)

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Mass of Christian Burial

MAY **16**. 10:30 AM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Crystal E. Ronspies*

October 05, 2023 at 03:46 AM



“ *ROB, RAQUEL, BRAD ,BEN MERWALD purchased the Emerald Garden Basket for the family of Crystal E. Ronspies.*



ROB, RAQUEL, BRAD ,BEN MERWALD - May 14, 2016 at 04:30 PM



“ *We remember her waiting in entry after mass for her friend to come get her. Loved seeing her and sharing a smile 😊*



mary ann pavlik - May 13, 2016 at 09:50 AM

WS

“ Dear Rod, Janet & Family,
It must be over 50 yrs ago, that we hunted pheasants on your parents farm. We slept in a tent. Water froze in a bucket. The next morning, your mother sent your dad to invite us to stay in their guest room. Your mother's fried chicken & many good foods she served with warm hospitality will always be remembered. We have treasured the friendship all these years. Many great memories of Crystal and Eddie! Please accept our heartfelt sympathy. Crystal was a dear lady and friend.
Our Love & Sympathy from your Montana friends, Wayne and Becky

Wayne & Becky Shong - May 12, 2016 at 10:08 PM

BR

“ My heart is very heavy with sadness. Grandma I will miss you dearly. I am so happy we were able to see you and spend time with you before your passing. I hope you will watch over us all and protect us.

brenda ronspies - May 12, 2016 at 08:35 PM