



## Eileen M. Matthies

December 24, 1943 - September 13, 2021

NORFOLK -- Private graveside service for Eileen M. Matthies, 77, of Norfolk was held on Wednesday, September 15, 2021 at the New Lutheran Cemetery in Norfolk. Eileen died on Monday, September 13, 2021 at Premier Estates in Pierce. Stonacek Funeral Chapel in Norfolk is in charge of the arrangements.

Eileen was born on December 24, 1943 to Henry and Freida (Braun) Hofferber in Norfolk. She attended Christ Lutheran School and Norfolk High where she graduated with a diploma. She was also a long-time member of the Christ Lutheran Church in Norfolk. Eileen worked at the Norfolk Regional Center from 1964 – 2009. Over her 45 year career she developed the ability to work with some of the Regional Center's most difficult patients. Her kindness was appreciated by many patients who faced their most difficult hour.

During her retirement Eileen enjoyed spending time with her friends, family, and relatives. She also enjoyed her sons' pets and made friends with many neighborhood cats. When she was not busy giving cab drivers a hard time, or yelling at squirrels and telemarketers, she also found the time to visit 10 states and dozens of casinos.

Eileen is survived by her son Brad Matthies and her daughter-in-law Kathy Matthies, both of Spokane, Washington. She was preceded in death by her

parents Henry and Freida, sister Bernadine Hofferber, grandparents Emile and Elise Braun, and her ex-husband Dale Matthies.

In lieu of a funeral or visitation the family asks that memorial contributions in memory of Eileen be mailed to the Norfolk Senior Citizens Center, 307 W. Prospect Ave., Norfolk, NE 68701.

Condolences may be expressed to the family on-line at [www.stonacekfuneralchapel.com](http://www.stonacekfuneralchapel.com).

# Cemetery Details

## **New Lutheran Cemetery**

12th Street Maple Ave  
Norfolk, NE 68701

# Tribute Wall



“ *Eileen M. Matthies*

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October 05, 2023 at 03:46 AM



“ *We were sorry to read of Eileen's passing. I was the Human Resources Manager at the Norfolk Regional Center during most of her employment there. I knew Eileen to be a good employee and an even nicer person. She was very good in working with the patients and was a great role model for our newer, younger employees. We also knew and visited with Eileen when we all belonged to the Norfolk Support Group for Widowed and Divorced people. We thought it was so nice when we would see and visit with Stanley and her when they did things together. You are in our thoughts and prayers.*

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**Don & Betty Dammast** - September 14, 2021 at 10:08 AM