



Virginia L Raasch

January 19, 1931 - July 3, 2023

NORFOLK -- Funeral service for Virginia L. Raasch, 92, of Norfolk will be held at 10:30 a.m., Monday, July 10, 2023 at the Grace by Faith Lutheran Church located at 1200 N. 13th St., Norfolk (Stonacek Funeral Chapel). Rev. Wyatt Rosebrock will be officiating the service. Interment will be held at the New Lutheran Cemetery, Norfolk. Visitation will begin one hour prior to the service on Monday also at the church. In lieu of flowers, the family asks that memorials be made to the family for a later designation. Virginia passed away on Monday, July 3, 2023 at the St. Joseph's Rehabilitation and Care Center in Norfolk. Stonacek Funeral Chapel is in charge of the arrangements.

Virginia was born on January 19, 1931 in Hoskins, Nebraska to Siegfried and Mamie "Pauline" (Carter) Brauer Sr. She attended grade school at Christ Lutheran School in Norfolk then graduated from Norfolk High School in 1948. She attended a music school college for 1 year in Omaha. After her education, she moved back to Norfolk. She married Norman D. Raasch on August 21, 1949 at the Christ Lutheran Church in Norfolk. After marriage, Virginia and Norman lived in Norfolk on Norman's family's farm that was homesteaded by Normans grandfather. Virginia worked as a medi-care clerk at the Lutheran Hospital in Norfolk. She was a member of Grace By Faith Lutheran Church, Norfolk, she played the organ for church, and was a 4-H leader for 29 years in sewing. Virginia enjoyed sewing, needle work, tending to her floral beds, and her cats.

She is survived by her daughter Pauline (Mike) Rose of Mankato, MN, two grandsons Benjamin and Zachary Rose, and sisters-in-law Charlene Brauer of Norfolk and Della Brauer of Norfolk. She was preceded in death by her husband Norman in 2014, parents Siegfried Sr. and Pauline, brothers Richard, Albert, and Siegfried "Zeke".

Organist: Deb Brauer. Casket bearers will be Benjamin Rose, Zachary Rose, Daniel Karmazin, Richard Brauer, David Brauer, Siegfried Brauer. Condolences may be expressed to the family on-line at www.stonacekfuneralchapel.com.

Cemetery Details

New Lutheran Cemetery

12th Street Maple Ave
Norfolk, NE 68701

Previous Events

Visitation

JUL 10. 9:30 AM - 10:30 AM (CT)

Grace By Faith Lutheran Church - Norfolk
1200 N. 13th St.
Norfolk, NE 68701

Funeral Service

JUL 10. 10:30 AM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Virginia L Raasch*

October 05, 2023 at 03:46 AM



“ *Virginia and Norman were wonderful people. May they rest in peace,*

Dick Day - July 21, 2023 at 08:03 PM



“ *I was sorry to hear of Virginia's passing.. Virginia was a good friend of my aunt, Jean Barneke Miller. from their days in school here. I first met Virginia when my aunt would come to visit us and I would take her to Virginia's home for a visit. Later, I sometimes visited Virginia at St. Joseph's.*

I was glad I got to see here twice in the past month prior to her passing.. We both enjoyed our visit together. All of you are in my thoughts and prayers.

Betty Barneke Dammast - July 10, 2023 at 01:01 PM



My husband and I are so sorry that we missed Virginia's funeral. She was one of the nicest ladies ever. My husband did a lot of work for her and her husband. they were the best. I did not see the funeral notice until it was to late. They were beautiful people. Roger and Marilyn Kudera

Marilyn K Kudera - July 13, 2023 at 09:32 PM

DM

“ I remember Virginia very fondly, she was a wonderful, caring and patient person. I met her in the 1970s while participating in 4-H. I am very sorry for her family's loss. May the memories of her linger long in your hearts. Diane Moore, Omaha NE

Diane Moore - July 08, 2023 at 11:10 PM

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“ I also worked with Virginia at Lutheran Community Hospital and Faith Regional. She has been a dear friend and a good listener. I enjoyed visiting her at her house on the farm and after she moved into town. Yes, she helped one of my daughters with a 4-H sewing project, too. Virginia was like a second 'mom' to me at times and her faith was evident in all she did, especially in the way she treated others. Virginia will always have a special place in my heart. Colleen Simpson

Colleen Simpson - July 07, 2023 at 10:05 AM

SH

“ I worked with Virginia for many years at the Lutheran hospital. She was one of the sweetest ladies I have ever known. Had supper with her and Norm when he would come out to the hospital while she was working. Great conversations! Her sewing ability was fantastic. She created and sewed my daughter's Miss Nebraska gown many years ago. Outstanding work!! Just an all around lovable lady!! RIP dear Virginia!



Sandy Hilliges - July 06, 2023 at 10:12 AM

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“ *My sympathy. I guess my relationship with Virginia goes back many years, to when she worked @ Lutheran Hospital. Of course, I respected her father very much; & you are named after a special grandmother, "Peenie".. Blessings!*



Pat Meierhenry - July 05, 2023 at 08:58 PM