



## Dorothy C. Ficek

October 6, 1921 - September 5, 2012

Dorothy Ficek passed away on September 5, 2012 at St. Joseph Medical Center in Brainerd, MN. Mass of Christian Burial will be held at 10:30 A.M. on Wednesday at St. Joseph's Catholic Church in Pierz, MN. Burial will take place in the parish cemetery. Friends may call from 4-8 P.M. on Tuesday and from 9-10 A.M. on Wednesday at the Shelley-Virnig Funeral Chapel in Pierz, MN. Christian Mothers rosary will be said at 4:30 P.M. followed by parish prayers at 7 P.M. all on Tuesday at the Funeral Chapel.

Dorothy Cecelia (Fugere) Ficek was born on October 6, 1921 to Art and Olivia Fugere in Belfield, North Dakota. She went to a country school until 8th grade and then attended Catholic High School in Sheffield, North Dakota. Dorothy was united in marriage to Robert Ficek on May 10, 1943. Together they ranched in the Belfield, ND area until 1962 when they purchased a dairy farm west of Buckman, MN. There they raised their seven children with strong faith, values, and work ethic. After retiring from farming in 1975, they moved to Pierz, MN. Dorothy enjoyed cooking, baking, gardening, doing embroidery, and bird watching. Mom loved to play the piano and dance to the old time music. Some of her favorite memories were of fishing trips to Canada as well as other vacations she and Bob took with family and friends. Her family always played a very important role in her life. Dorothy held various jobs throughout her life and also volunteered for several years at St. Mary's Villa. She was very involved in her faith at St. Joseph's Catholic Church and was a member of the Christian Mothers. Dorothy is survived by her husband Bob of

69 years, children Larry and Gayle Ficek of Pierz, MN, Sandy and Jim Poser of Coon Rapids, MN, Darrol and Judi Ficek of Fort Ripley, MN, Tim Ficek of Rogers, MN, Allan Ficek of Sobieski, MN, Cheryl Stein and partner Jack of Robbinsdale, MN, and Jolene and Bob Loidolt of Pierz, MN; 11 grandchildren, nine great grandchildren, sisters Donna Schultz of Loveland, Colorado and Janice Kohler of Ham Lake, MN, sister-in-law Janet Fugere of Dickinson, ND and numerous nieces and nephews. She was preceded in death by her parents, 3 brothers: Wallace, Delton, and David, 1 sister Yvonne and daughter-in-law Gail.

# Previous Events

## Service

SEP **12.** 10:30 AM (CT)

St. Joseph's Catholic Church  
68 North Main Street  
Pierz, MN

# Tribute Wall



“ *Lemieur Funeral Homes created a Tribute Video in memory of Dorothy C. Ficek*



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**Lemieur Funeral Homes** - September 05, 2012 at 12:00 AM



“ *Dorothy C. Ficek*

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January 21, 2023 at 11:59 AM



“ *I just saw Dorothy's obituary in the on-line paper and wanted to send my condolences. I have great memories of her when we played at your house in Buckman. My thoughts are with you in this loss of a parent. She was such a loving person and will be missed.##imported-begin##Susie Block##imported-end##*

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September 16, 2012 at 10:04 AM



“ I would just like to say how much your Mom meant to me during my growing up years! Your farm was the "mostest funnest" place in the world. I remember Auntie giving us pans of oatmeal so we could play horses and yes we did eat the plain raw oatmeal! But I also remember that she always had a warm smile for us no matter what we did. You were blessed to have her for a Mom.##imported-begin##Pat Jorgensen (Heidt)##imported-end##

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September 10, 2012 at 07:27 PM