



Viola M. Neeser

July 8, 1941 - October 9, 2012

Viola M. Neeser, 71 year-old resident of Pierz, MN formerly of Brainerd, MN passed away Tuesday, October 9, 2012 at the Harmony House in Pierz, MN. A Mass of Christian Burial will be held at 10:00 A.M. on Saturday, October 13, 2012 at St. Mathias Catholic Church in St. Mathias, MN. Burial will be at the St. Mathias Parish Cemetery in St. Mathias. Visitation will be from 4 to 7 p.m. on Friday at the Shelley-Virnig Funeral Chapel in Pierz and one hour prior to the service on Saturday at the church. A parish prayer service will be held at 6 p.m. on Friday at the Shelley-Virnig Funeral Chapel.

Viola Neeser was born July 8, 1941 in Lastrup, MN, to the late Jake and Laura (Leeb) Pella. She grew up on a farm near Hillman, MN. She was united in marriage to Daniel B. Neeser on October 21, 1963 at St. Rita's Catholic Church in Hillman, MN. Following their marriage, the couple made their home on a small farm in St. Mathias. She stayed there until Dan's death on June 27, 2005. Viola then moved to Pierz to the Kamnic apartments until September 2009. After her last surgery, she moved to the Harmony House in Pierz. She enjoyed baking bread, sending cards and letters, cooking and trying new recipes.

Viola is survived by children, Ronald Neeser, Sharon (Steve) Offenhauser of Cottage Grove, MN, Vicki (John) Maleski of Freedhem, MN; six grandchildren, Matt, Keri, Chris, Brooke, Nicole and Adam; and one great-grandchild. Viola was preceded in death by her husband, Daniel Neeser on June 27, 2005; grandson, Nicholas Van Slyke.

Previous Events

Service

OCT **13**. 10:00 AM (CT)

St. Mathias Church
4529 County Road 121
Fort Ripley, MN

Tribute Wall



“ *Lemieur Funeral Homes created a Tribute Video in memory of Viola M. Neeser*



Lemieur Funeral Homes - October 09, 2012 at 12:00 AM



“ *Viola M. Neeser*

January 21, 2023 at 11:59 AM



“ *Although we more or less lost touch for many years as adults, I have fond memories of our times together as children. Whenever the family returned to Minnesota, Viola and I would have time to play while the grown ups visited. I always thought she was so lucky because she had such pretty clothes and seemed so loved. Now in these last five years or so, we have kept in touch a bit more. I know she is in a more restful place where she no longer has to suffer. The Lord will take good care of her.
I hope that good memories will give the family strength and comfort in the coming weeks and months.*

Sincerely, Carol###imported-begin##Carol Graves###imported-end##

October 10, 2012 at 11:23 PM