



Joyce Ilene Gulbranson

November 8, 1938 - April 20, 2023

Joyce Gulbranson was born November 8, 1938 at home in the outer limits called Benson, Omaha, Nebraska to Fred and Clara Labs. She attended Westside High School and Benson High School where she completed the 11th grade. She then married George Johnson and had four children; Connie, Kenneth, Van, and Glenn Johnson. Joyce devoted her life to raising her 4 children on her own. She worked at Western Electric which is now ATT and retired after 25 years. She had a devastating motor vehicle accident on December 3rd, 1969. Her parents took her and her 4 children in for over a year while she recovered and was able to return to work. She later met and married Harold Gulbranson in 1988. She loved to travel and they married in Connie's living room in Utah. She had many collections over the years, frogs, music boxes, recipe books, butterflies, rocks and seashells. She loved to garden, following a family tradition. She canned almost anything you can name! She loved to play bingo, go to garage sales, play the slots, canasta and other card games. She loved to bake, spend holidays with family, and a Big meal!! Her favorite foods were Spaghetti, Prime Rib, and BBQ Ribs!! Actually, Joyce Loved Food!! Farmer Browns was always a family get together!! Joyce had a contagious laugh and was always happy go lucky, no matter what trials she faced. She never failed to help her children long into adulthood!! She will truly be missed and remembered for her "spunky" attitude and Independence. She took charge with perseverance and enjoyed her life. Joyce was preceded in death by her husband; Harold Gulbranson, son; Van Johnson, and parents;

Fred and Clara Labs. She is survived by her Children; Ken (Pam) Johnson, Glenn Johnson, Connie McClintock (Gerald Cole), numerous grandchildren and great grandchildren, brother; Harlen Labs, and sister; Marcia Schemeling. Funeral Services will be 11:00am Saturday (4/29/2023) at Reichmuth Funeral Home - Elkhorn, NE. Visitation with the family will be from 10:00 - 1100am Saturday prior to the service. Interment will be at Prospect Hill Cemetery, Elkhorn, NE. Memorial designations to the family for later designation.

Cemetery Details

Prospect Hill Cemetery

21907 West Maple Road
Elkhorn, NE 68022

Previous Events

Visitation with family

APR **29**. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

Reichmuth Funeral Home - Omaha / Elkhorn
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Funeral Ceremony

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Tribute Wall



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Joyce Ilene Gulbranson.*



April 27, 2023 at 10:20 PM



“ *Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Joyce Ilene Gulbranson.*



April 26, 2023 at 12:13 PM



“ *Rest in Peace Joyce. I remember as a kid being at the Johnson house alot. There was always lots of kids and most of us were cousins. We had so much fun hanging on the south side of Elkhorn. One of my memories is that Joyce would make these foam decorations that had magnetes and hang on the refrigerator. They were so pretty with sequins and bright colors. I believe she would sell them at bingo. Thanks for all you did for us as kids.*
Michelle Lenhart Klassen

Michelle Klassen - April 21, 2023 at 02:50 PM