



Bernice E. Schumacher

November 16, 1921 - November 20, 2022

Bernice E. Schumacher of Loveland, CO passed away on November 20th at the age of 101.

Bernice was born in Plainview, MN to parents Louise and Walter in November 1921. She was raised along with her siblings, Ruth and Omar. She was confirmed in Immanuel Lutheran Church in Plainview and attended the Immanuel Lutheran School as a child. Bernice graduated from Plainview High School before moving to Red Wing, MN to start her nurses training.

Bernice completed her nurses training and graduated as a Registered Nurse. She worked as an RN for a private practice in Fort Collins for much of her career which she enjoyed greatly. Bernice also found great purpose as a homemaker throughout her life.

Bernice met the love of her life, Donald Schumacher and were married in 1955. Together they raised two children Terryll and Alan.

In her spare time Bernice enjoyed bowling, fishing, camping, crocheting, rock hunting and porcelain painting. She was a dedicated choir member for many years at St. John's Lutheran Church in Fort Collins, CO.

Bernice is survived by her children Terryll Lillvis and Alan Schumacher and two

grandchildren.

Bernice was preceded in death by her husband Don, who passed in 2006. She was also preceded in death by her parents and siblings.

Memorial contributions may be made in Bernice's honor to Mt. Olive Lutheran Church in Loveland, CO.

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“ It was my privilege to have visited Bernice about once a week for many years, ever since Mt. Olive began recording our church services and taking CD's to our shut-ins. First, the visits were at her home on Fraser, then later at The Hillcrest. I went to the garage sale she had, just before her move, and purchased several items made from wood by Don. On one visit, I admired the eggs she had painted. She gave me one. Both of these items are still on display in my apartment. A lot of my visits were on Wednesdays and, while her vision was fairly good, we would watch Rockie baseball games together. I learned about some family members over the years. Her grandson went to college at a university that was in competition in sports with my university in Wisconsin (UW-LaCrosse). Her granddaughter and husband now live in the Washington, D.C area. My granddaughter is a freshman this year at American University in Washington D.C. I did get to see Bernice on her 101st birthday, though, at that time, she wasn't getting up anymore and was being kept medicated. She was a wonderful lady and was very ready to meet Jesus in heaven. I am giving the altar flowers at church on December 11th in her memory. Blessings to all. Claudette Dassow - member at Mt. Olive Lutheran Church

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