



Mae Constance Skindlov

May 3, 1924 - April 28, 2018

Mae Constance Skindlov, just days away from being 94, died peacefully April 28th at the Tweeten Care Center in Spring Grove, MN. Funeral services will be held May 5th at Trinity Lutheran Church in Spring Grove, with Pastor Lane Zaffke officiating.

Mae Constance (Fritz) Refsdal Skindlov was born May 1924 in Albert Lea, MN, the daughter of Charles and Pauline (Pederson) Fritz, the fifth child born of eight children. She attended the Albert Lea schools and later moved to Hibbing, MN in 1940 to complete her senior year in high school. She graduated from Luther College in 1946. Mae taught school in Spring Grove; Cook, MN; Buhl, MN; Waukon, IA and Fargo, ND. She was past-president of numerous church organizations.

She married Ansgar Refsdal in Cook, MN in June 1947 and together they raised six children. Mae was a wonderful wife, mother, grandmother and great-grandmother! She was the church organist for many years at Trinity Lutheran Church in Cook, MN. Ansgar died in 1978. She later married The Rev. Allan Skindlov in May 1981 at First Lutheran Church in Fargo, ND. Allan died in 2005.

Mae is survived by her sons Eric (Pat) Refsdal of North Ogden, UT; Larry Refsdal of Green River, WY; Keith (Kathy) Refsdal of Sandy, UT; and

daughters Melanie (Mark) Anton of Minneapolis, MN and Dr. Cheryl (Eric) Bushnell of Winston-Salem, NC. She is also survived by Allan's children, Jonathan Skindlov, of Tempe, AZ; Diane (Paul) Halvorson of Vining, MN and Elaine (Arvid) Sevald of Fertile, MN and her sisters Harriett Esse of Spring Grove; Nancy Christian of Fertile, MN and her brother John (Doris) Fritz of Mason City, IA. Mae is also survived by six grandchildren, three great-grandchildren and many other precious family members and friends. She was preceded in death by her husbands; parents; sisters Sylvia and Margaret; brothers Paul and Eliel and her son Dean Refsdal.

Memorial gifts in Mae's memory can be made to Oak Grove Lutheran School in Fargo, ND at oakgrovelutheran.com

Cemetery Details

Oakland Cemetery

Rossville Rd.
Waukon, IA 52172

Previous Events

Visitation

MAY 5. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (CT)

Trinity Lutheran Church
203 E Main St
Spring Grove, MN 55974
(507) 498-5291

Service

MAY 5. 12:00 PM (CT)

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203 E. Main St.
Spring Grove, MN 55974
trinity@springgrove.coop

GRAVESIDE SERVICE

MAY 7. 10:00 AM (CT)

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Tribute Wall

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“ *My deepest sympathy! I have great memories of Mae and family from Cook! I babysat some of the Refsdal children! My prayers are with you all. I just received my Cook paper in the mail today.*

*Sincerely,
Cheryl Fadum Lowery
Menomonie, Wisconsin*

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