



Dolores E. Bell

October 5, 1932 - November 23, 2020

Mass of Christian Burial will be 1:00 p.m. on Thursday, December 3, 2020 at St. Boniface Catholic Church in Cold Spring, MN for Dolores E. Bell age 88, who died Monday, November 23 at Assumption Home. Entombment will be in the parish cemetery. Those attending the services must maintain social distancing and wear a mask. The service will be live-streamed at www.christcatholic.com.

There will be a private family visitation prior to the service.

Dolores was born on October 5, 1932 in Watkins, MN to Alfred and Florentine (Vetsch) Johnston. She married John (Jack) Bell, Jr. on June 20, 1953 in Alameda, CA. A homemaker for many years, Dolores also worked as a bookkeeper for the Wenner Company and the Rocori School District.

Dolores was a member of St. Boniface Parish, St. Boniface Christian Women and Cold Spring Lions Club and volunteered with Meals on Wheels. She enjoyed reading, playing cards, board games, traveling, water aerobics and walking.

She is survived by her children, Kathy (Jo Ann), Mike (Kathy), Dan, Vicki (Mark) Jungels, Gary (Char), Sue (Scott) Massmann; in-laws, Dottie Johnston, Rudy Lorenz, Barb (Elmer) Walz, Dolly (Don) Smith, Julie (Bob) Manuel, Paul

Bell; grandchildren, John, Amy, Lizzie, Alicia, Amanda, Jackie, Matt, Chad, Leah, Andrew, Gabe, Rachel, Dani, Julia, Jack, Will; great-grandchildren, Lily, CeCe, Henry and Grace.

She is preceded in death by her husband, Jack (2017); her parents; daughter-in-law, Deb Bell; brothers, Clarence, Amby, Bill, Francis, Clem, Gerald, Virgil, Joe, Bob; sisters, Leona, Cecelia, Vera, Rosie; and many in-laws.

Cemetery Details

St. Boniface Parish Cemetery

Cold Spring, MN 56320

Previous Events

Service

DEC 3. 1:00 PM (CT)

St. Boniface Catholic Church
501 Main Street
Cold Spring, MN 56320

Tribute Wall



“ *Dolores E. Bell*

January 29, 2023 at 09:26 AM



“ *Classic Sympathy Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Dolores E. Bell.*



December 02, 2020 at 12:33 PM



“ *Love, The Rice's (Malik, Gladys, Malik & Masai) purchased the Healing Tears - Blue and White for the family of Dolores E. Bell.*



Love, The Rice's (Malik, Gladys, Malik & Masai) - December 01, 2020 at 03:14 PM



“ *Rick and Deb Lorenz purchased the Peace, Prayers, & Blessings- Lavender and White for the family of Dolores E. Bell.*



Rick and Deb Lorenz - November 30, 2020 at 01:58 PM

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“ Dear ones - you the family of Dolores and Jack - the 1950 Classmates - eight of us gals have kept in touch all these years. Now there are only four of us still waiting to join the other four in eternity. I speak for them in sending our love and prayers - Dolores Faber, Alice Howard, Donna Faber/Perzel and myself will miss her as much as the others who went before her. When the 8 of us would meet in Monticello for our annual lunch it was family/picture time and Dolores/Jack would swing by St. Ben's and take me along. All but one of the husbands are gone too - sure hope they plan a party to welcome the four of us who are waiting for that day. Our love and prayers for you - the children they loved so much. I treasure the last phone call I had with Dolores as we could not visit each other in person these past months. She was the kindest one of all of us!! I am so glad for the virtual link to the funeral. I will watch for you and pray with you - I am sure that Jack welcomed her into heaven...they loved each other so much - even after the St. Boniface HS Sisters "suggested" they not spend so much time together!! The Watkins/Cold Spring bus trips were our daily "report time" on their relationship!! Blessings and prayers. Sister Colleen Haggerty

Sister Colleen Haggerty - November 30, 2020 at 12:55 PM

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“ I so enjoyed Dolores and her family attending the wedding of Kathy and JoAnn. I'd always heard about the Bell family doing the "Worm Dance", and it was a delight to finally see it. What a kind person Dolores was!
Diane Chapin

Diane M Chapin - November 24, 2020 at 10:34 PM



“ *Plants-A-Plenty was purchased for the family of Dolores E. Bell.*



November 24, 2020 at 07:12 PM



“ *Multicolor Pastel Mixed Flower Wreath was purchased for the family of Dolores E. Bell.*



November 24, 2020 at 02:59 PM



“ *Healing Tears - All White was purchased for the family of Dolores E. Bell.*



November 24, 2020 at 01:46 PM