

I wish I was a little rock a-sittin' on a hill, Doin' nothin' all the day but just a-sittin' still. I wouldn't eat, I wouldn't sleep, I wouldn't even wash, I'd just sit still a thousand years and rest myself, b'gosh! ~Anonymous IN LOVING MEMORY OF



WHO WAS BORN August 20, 1940 Milbank, South Dakota

AND CALLED TO HER ETERNAL HOME August 28, 2019 Sioux Falls, South Dakota

FUNERAL SERVICE Tuesday, September 3, 2019 - 11:00 a.m. Mundwiler Funeral Home Milbank, South Dakota

> OFFICIANT Rev. Dr. DeVern Schwenn

CASKET BEARERS Tyler Brown Andrew Brown John Brown Jacob Brown Cole Brown George Mertens

> INTERMENT St. Lawrence Catholic Cemetery Milbank, South Dakota

## APPRECIATION

Joyce's family is grateful for your attendance at this service. Your expressions of kindness and love are deeply appreciated. Following the interment, please join the family for fellowship at the Community Center.

> ARRANGEMENTS BY Mundwiler Funeral Home Milbank, South Dakota

Joyce Agnes (Beck) Brown was born on August 20, 1940, in Milbank, SD, to Francis and Helen (Schuneman) Beck. She grew up in Milbank and attended Milbank High School. During her childhood, she lived in Milbank except for a period of time when she lived in Sioux Falls during World War II. While living Sioux Falls, her father trained soldiers how to be radio specialists.

Joyce met Robert Brown in Milbank and they were united in marriage on January 21, 1959. They lived on the Brown farm in rural Grant county and raised three children.

As a farm wife, Joyce loved cooking, gardening, and bird watching. She also created stained glass windows and taught the art of stained glass to many. A window she built is present in the Mill Theatres on Main Street in Milbank.

Joyce is survived by her husband, Robert Brown of Milbank; children: Joseph (Carla) Brown of Gretna, NE; Richard (Dianna) Brown of rural Milbank; and Jennifer Brown of rural Milbank; six grandsons: Tyler Brown, Andrew Brown, and Matthew Brown all of Omaha, NE; John Brown of Gretna, NE; Jacob Brown of Madison, SD; and Cole Brown of rural Milbank; and eight great-grandchildren: Erika, Lydia, Gareth, Henry, Evelyn, Katie, Dietrich, and Edmund.

She was preceded in death by her parents; and brother, William.

