

PRAYER SERVICE:

Monday, December 19, 2016 - 7:00 p.m.

Holy Spirit Roman Catholic Church Saskatoon, Saskatchewan

Presider: David Smith

Crossbearer: Jennifer Mamer

Scripture Reader: Courtney Wessing

Intentions: Ann Schubert

Eulogist: Perry Mamer

FUNERAL MASS:

Tuesday, December 20, 2016 - 1:00 p.m.

St. Anthony's Roman Catholic Church Lake Lenore, Saskatchewan

Celebrant: Fr. Anthony Atter

Crossbearer: Isaiah Mamer

Altar Servers:

Marc Schubert & Ben Schubert

Scripture Readers:

Rose Danyluk & Pat Schrader

Intentions & Eucharistic Minister: Sue Mamer-Dauvin

Giftbearers:

Stacey Mamer & Mara Schrader

Memorial Table Attendant: Denise Yeager

Pallbearers:

Roderick A. Schubert - Christopher Schubert - Gordon Mamer
Jacob Mamer - Vincent Mamer - Philip Schrader

INTERMENT:

St. Anthony's Roman Catholic Cemetery Lake Lenore, Saskatchewan

Memorial Donations:

St. Anthony's Roman Catholic Cemetery Fund

Memorial Luncheon:

St. Anthony's Roman Catholic Church Basement

Mel, the sixth child of Lawrence and Clara (nee Skalicky) Stroeder was born on Tuesday, October 9, 1928, at Marysburg, SK. She attained her formal education at Schuler School and also worked very hard on the farm (stooking with the hired men at the age of 12). On August 26, 1947, Mel married Vincent Mamer. They began their life together on the Mamer homestead near Lake Lenore. Their union was blessed with seven children. Family and friends were always welcome at the Mamer farm, where Sundays were for visiting and not for work. Mel's faith was always on the forefront for her. She would take the family to Mass every day before school. The rosary was always held close to her with a strong devotion to the Blessed Virgin. As the family grew, you would always see Mel and Vince accompanying the children on their various sporting activities. Imelda was an accomplished seamstress and adept at most crafts such as knitting, crocheting and embroidery. As well, she was an amazing baker and decorated beautiful wedding cakes. Mel really enjoyed entertaining friends and relatives, and playing cards, especially Buck. After Vince died in 2000, Imelda continued to have an open house for visitors. She thoroughly enjoyed being visited by grandchildren, nephews, and nieces. Mel had a sharp mind and she would know the most interesting facts about the Stroeders and Mamers. In June of 2015, she fell and broke her hip. After recovery, Imelda moved into St. Ann's Senior Citizens Village. Instantly, all of the staff knew her and her keen sense of humour. She had a big heart, and will be fondly remembered by all who knew her.

Imelda will be lovingly remembered and sadly missed by her seven children: **Jerry** (Helen) Mamer of Saskatoon; **Rose** (Jim) Danyluk of Meadow Lake; **Pat** (Larry) Schrader of Regina; **Perry** (Bonnie) Mamer of Carrot River; **Ann** (Rod) Schubert of Regina; **Greg** (Paula) Mamer of Wilkie; and **Sue** (Ernie) Dauvin of Saskatoon; 21 grandchildren; 19 great-grandchildren; one brother, George (Inez) Stroeder; three sisters: Sr. Mary Magdeline of Madison, Wisconsin; Sally (Richard) Muench of Muenster; and Mary (Jim) Lavery of Richmond, BC; sister-in-law, Marge Stroeder of Humboldt; brother-in-law, Roman Sarauer of Humboldt; and by numerous nieces and nephews. She was predeceased by her husband, Vincent Mamer; parents, Lawrence and Clara (nee Skalicky) Stroeder; five brothers: Victor (Ellie) Stroeder, Edward (Anne) Stroeder, Bernard (Mildred) Stroeder, Peter (Bernice) Stroeder, Joseph Stroeder; and by one sister, Mary Claire (John) Kessnick.



GOD'S GARDEN

God looked around His garden
And found an empty space;
He then looked down upon this earth
And saw your tired face.

He put His arms around you
And lifted you to rest;
God's garden must be beautiful,
He only takes the best.

He knew that you were suffering;
He knew you were in pain;
He knew that you might never
Get well on this earth again.

He saw the road was getting rough
And the hills were hard to climb,
So He closed your weary eyelids
And whispered, "Peace be thine."

It broke our hearts to lose you,
But you never went alone,
For part of us went with you
The day God called you home.



APPRECIATION

The family wishes to express their gratitude for your kindness evidenced in thought and deed,
and for your attendance at the funeral service.

SCHULER-LEFEBVRE FUNERAL CHAPEL - Humboldt, Saskatchewan
"Dedicated to those we serve."

In Loving Memory Of



Imelda Bertha Mamer

October 9, 1928 ~ December 15, 2016

88 Years