

Agnes, one of eight children, was born on March 3, 1923, to Leopold and Josephine (nee Zupancic) Knafelc at Daphne, SK. Following her formal education at Rose Bush School, she worked in Ontario for a short time. After returning home, on October 29, 1945, Agnes married Ted Gerspacher in Watson. Their union was blessed with eight children, three daughters and five sons. During their life together, Agnes and Ted resided in Watson, Calgary, Kelowna, back to Calgary, Muenster, and finally settled back in Watson. As well as being a busy homemaker, Agnes drove the school bus, sold Amway, and clerked at Basaraba's, Robinson's and Zoboski's in Watson, and worked in customer service at Woolco, Superstore, and Lucerne Meats in Calgary. A naturally creative and artistic person, Agnes pursued a number of hobbies and interests, including knitting, crocheting, cake decorating, oil painting, and copper tooling. She was also an accomplished seamstress and made all the clothing for her family, and crafted many scrapbooks for her grandchildren and residents of the Lodge. In addition, Agnes enjoyed bowling, curling, and golfing, an activity she still participated in while she was in her 80s. As well, she was a long-standing member of the C.W.L., and a sociable lady who loved having company in her home and cooking for large gatherings. Before becoming a resident of Quill Plains Centennial Lodge herself, she visited the residents there on a regular basis, the majority of who were younger than she was. Indeed, her absence will be felt by many.

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
Agnes Christina Gerspacher



March 3, 1923 - May 13, 2017

94 Years

PRAYER SERVICE:

Tuesday, May 16, 2017 - 7:30 p.m.

Sacred Heart Roman Catholic Church Watson, Saskatchewan

Presiders: Brad Gaetz & Willie Gaudet

FUNERAL MASS:

Wednesday, May 17, 2017 - 10:00 a.m.

Sacred Heart Roman Catholic Church Watson, Saskatchewan

Celebrant: Fr. Francis Akomeah

Crossbearer: Jim Gerspacher

Scripture Readers: Darlene Beggs & Gwen Smith

Intentions: Myron Knafelc

Giftbearers: Lisa Bernard & Tara Romanchuk

Eulogist: Gwen Smith

Music Ministry:

Organist, Sharon Gerspacher
& members of the Sacred Heart Parish Choir

Honor Guard: Members of the C.W.L.

Active Pallbearers:

Chad Gerspacher - Aaron Smith - Kyle Gerspacher
Layne Gerspacher - Christopher Gerspacher - Cody Hartley

Honorary Pallbearers:

"All those who shared in Agnes' life."

INTERMENT:

Sacred Heart Roman Catholic Cemetery Watson, Saskatchewan

Memorial Luncheon:

Sacred Heart Roman Catholic Church Basement

Memorial Donations:

Alzheimer Association and Quill Plains Centennial Lodge



Agnes had eight children, ten grandchildren, and 12 great-grandchildren. She will be lovingly remembered and is survived by:

- **Darlene** (Mike) Beggs of Chemainus, BC;
- **Reg** Gerspacher of Watson, SK;
- **Lawrence** Gerspacher of Victoria, BC;
- **Allan** Gerspacher of Watson, SK, and family,
Chad (Kim) Gerspacher and children
Harrison and **Heidi**,
Tara (Jason) Romanchuk and children
Eva and **Lindy**;
- **Gwen** (Mike) Smith of Victoria, BC;
- **Lionel** (Cindy) Gerspacher of Okotoks, AB, and daughter
Katie;
- **Ray** Smith, son-in-law (Rosemary † 2014) of Victoria, BC, and family,
Shannon (Gavin) Surerus and children
Holly, **Taylor** and **Cyrus**,
Aaron (Shandie) Smith and children
Liam, **Aadyn** and **Jacob**;
- **Kelly** (Kim) Gerspacher of Watson and family,
Kyle (Rebecca) Gerspacher,
Lisa (Mike) Bernard and children
Scarlet and **Grayson**,
Layne Gerspacher,
Christopher Gerspacher
Cody Hartley;

Three Sisters-In-Law: Louise Knafelc, Mary Gerspacher,
and Dorothy Gerspacher;
Numerous Nieces and Nephews.

She was predeceased by her:

Husband, Ted Gerspacher (2005);
Daughter, Rosemary Smith (2014);
Father, Leopold Knafelc (1957);
Mother, Josephine (nee Zupancic) Knafelc (1966);
Five Sisters: Mary (Ben) Wurm, Molly (Frank) Schmid, Gertie (John) Plemel,
Lostie (Andrew) Plemel, and Dorothy (Ed) Doecker;
Two Brothers: Stan (Louise) Knafelc, and Joe (Anne) Knafelc;
Sister-In-Law: Katie (Ed) Sander
Brothers-in-law: Bernard Gerspacher, Leo Gerspacher,
Herman Gerspacher, and Joe (Dolores) Gerspacher.