



## Eileen Marie Rybak

August 16, 1926 - June 25, 2024

Eileen Marie Rybak, age 97 of New Brighton, passed away peacefully in Memory Care on June 25th at Bel Rae Senior Living. Preceded in death by her husband of 70 years, Edward; parents Herman and Theresa Rohling; brother Harvey and son-in-law George.

She is survived by her 4 loving daughters; Linda, Diane (Michael), Rosanne (Bill), Darlene (Peter); 10 grandchildren and 13 great grandchildren.

She led a family of faith, living within blocks of St. John the Baptist Church and School. Eileen was the church organist for years, sending all four daughters to school there, and becoming one of the longest tenured parishioners.

Eileen had a love for music and her passion and talent is now present in many of her grandchildren. She was an avid Twins fan and spent her leisure time playing piano, organ, and accordion. She also loved polka dancing, fishing for anything that would bite, and playing cards.

Eileen was the heart and soul of her family, the glue holding everyone together. She never played favorites yet always made you feel like you were the one. She had a heart as full as her candy dish, reveling in bringing family and friends together at the house. Unexpected guests were always welcomed

with open arms and unrivaled hospitality.

Eileen was an exceptional wife, mother, grandmother, great-grandmother and our dearest family treasure.

Mass of Christian Burial, Monday, July 1 11 AM with a visitation 2 hours before at St. John the Baptist Catholic Church 835 2nd Av NW, New Brighton. Interment Church Cemetery

# Cemetery Details

## St. John the Baptist Cemetery (New Brighton)

1150 7th ST NW  
New Brighton, MN 55112

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JUL 1. 9:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

St. John the Baptist Catholic Church  
835 2nd Avenue NW  
New Brighton, MN 55112

## Mass of Christian Burial

JUL 1. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (CT)

St. John the Baptist Catholic Church  
835 2nd Avenue NW  
New Brighton, MN 55112

# Tribute Wall

MA

“ *Minnesota Broadcasters Association purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Eileen Marie Rybak.*



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**Minnesota Broadcasters Association** - June 30, 2024 at 09:32 AM

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“ *Minnesota Broadcasters Association planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Eileen Marie Rybak.*

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**Minnesota Broadcasters Association** - June 30, 2024 at 09:32 AM

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“ *Hugs from all the German-American Northrups to a special Oma*

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**northrup family** - June 30, 2024 at 09:11 AM

SN

“ *Scott N. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Eileen Marie Rybak.*

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**Scott N.** - June 30, 2024 at 09:07 AM



“ *Gracious Lavender Basket was purchased for the family of Eileen Marie Rybak.*



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June 29, 2024 at 09:53 PM



“ *Eileen was so kind to me growing up and so patient. Never judgmental or scolding. Even when I threw rocks at her daughter's window at 1:00 AM to wake her up. She just gently told me that I should go home. She was amazing.*

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**Barb Grieman** - June 28, 2024 at 04:30 PM



“ *Jim, Barb, Joe and Kari Grieman purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of Eileen Marie Rybak.*



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**Jim, Barb, Joe and Kari Grieman** - June 28, 2024 at 04:24 PM