



Rosemary Elsie Kolesar

November 8, 1932 - July 14, 2021

Kolesar, Rosemary Elsie age 88, entered into eternal life with her Savior Jesus Christ, surrounded by the love of her devoted family on July 14, 2021, in Farmington, Minnesota. Greeting our mom at Heaven's Gate was husband William R. Kolesar Sr. and grandson Benjamin Luchsinger. Dad, no doubt, had a gleam in his eye and a big smile on his face when he saw her. Mom was born November 8, 1932, in Minneapolis, Minnesota, to John & Margaret LaPitz, the baby of nine children - she had seven brothers and one sister. Brother Gerald LaPitz, her only surviving sibling, remained devoted to his "Little Rosie" as only a brother can be. A baker extraordinaire - mom's recipes were top-secret, guarded as if by Fort Knox. Exceeding her baking skills, was a woman who loved entertaining - church groups, family and friends, all the way down to her great-grandkids. Mom was always ready with doily lined cups and saucers filled with half coffee and half milk for the little ones, and cakes or cookies that she always had extra to send home. Mom is known as the SkipBo queen, teaching the kids how to play with the seriousness of a card shark. She also loved to play Scrabble with her lifelong friend and sister in Christ, Mary Ann Dalbey. Mom's love for Jesus Christ carried her through her life journey, always sharing Christ's love in all that she did. Being a prayer warrior for our family, mom leaves a legacy of love. Left behind to cherish her memory are children: John (Barb), Karen (Tim), Lynn (Jarry), Kristine (Robert), William Jr. (Nancy), Lydia, 18 grandchildren and 44 great-grandchildren; many nieces, nephews and extended family and friends. Service will be held on

Tuesday, July 20, 2021, at 10:30 AM with visitation one hour prior at Washburn McReavy Bloomington Chapel. Interment Fort Snelling National Cemetery. Washburn-McReavy.com Werness Brothers 952-884-8145 2300 W. Old Shakopee Rd.

Previous Events

Visitation

JUL 20. 9:30 AM - 10:30 AM (CT)

Bloomington Chapel
2300 W Old Shakopee Rd
Bloomington, MN 55431
(952) 884-8145
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Chapel Service

JUL 20. 10:30 AM - 11:30 AM (CT)

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Graveside Service

JUL 20. 12:30 PM - 1:00 PM (CT)

Fort Snelling National Cemetery
7601 34th Avenue South
Minneapolis, MN 55450