



Alice "Virginia" Jutila

August 17, 1928 - September 5, 2020

Alice Virginia Jutila "Virginia" age 92 died peacefully Saturday, September 5, 2020 in Inter-Faith Care Center in Carlton where she had resided for the past several years.

She was born on August 17, 1928 to William and Ethel Kyle. Virginia married Roy Jutila and lived in Cloquet/Scanlon where they raised four children.

Virginia worked for many years as the Executive Secretary at the Continental Oil refinery in Wrenshall. In her later years she worked at several local businesses in the Cloquet area through "Green Thumb", a senior citizen employment program. These included secretarial work at the Cloquet High School, United Way, Community Memorial Hospital gift shop, Friends of Animals and the library. Through these experiences Virginia gained many more friends.

Virginia was an avid quilter and loved gifting her many beautiful creations to her family who still enjoy using the placemats, table runners and quilts. Reading, playing board games and cribbage were also favorite activities. Family and friends enjoyed many fun times around her kitchen table and the coffee pot was always on and a plate of cookies would always magically appear.

Together Virginia and Roy were active members of Bethel Lutheran Church in Scanlon and Virginia so enjoyed using Roy's precious Bible after he died and she continued participating in women's Bible study groups.

Virginia was preceded in death by her beloved husband, Roy in 1987; sister, Eva Swanson; and son-in-law, Gordy Lafontaine.

She is survived by her four children, Keith (Candy) Jutila, Steve (Shelley) Jutila, Kathy Lafontaine, and Scott (Beth) Jutila; brother, William Kyle; ten grandchildren; numerous great-grandchildren; and many nieces and nephews.

Virginia's family would like to thank the staff at Inter-Faith Care Center and the pastors from St. Matthews Lutheran Church for the kind and compassionate care they provided. A Celebration of Virginia's Life will be held Saturday, September 19, 2020 at 1:00 p.m. at St. Matthews Lutheran Church in Esko. Masks and social distancing will be required.

Cemetery

Maple Grove Cemetery

1401 Poplar Avenue

Cloquet, MN, 55720

Events

SEP 19 **Gathering of Family and Friends** 01:00PM

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St. Matthews Lutheran Church

4 Elizabeth Avenue, Esko, MN, US, 55733

Comments



“ Kathryn M Lafontaine lit a candle in memory of Alice "Virginia" Jutila



Kathryn M Lafontaine - September 18, 2020 at 11:30 PM



“ Mom, I miss you so much! Our little daily phone conversations meant a lot to me. Right now I feel so lost but I know you are in a better place! Until we meet again, Mom! I love you!

Kathryn M Lafontaine - September 18, 2020 at 11:35 PM



“ Pam Ekholm lit a candle in memory of Alice "Virginia" Jutila



pam Ekholm - September 15, 2020 at 08:41 PM



“ Vivid Recollections was purchased for the family of Alice "Virginia" Jutila.



September 15, 2020 at 01:23 PM



“ Keith & Candy, we are so sorry to hear about the loss of your mom. We are keeping you in our thoughts and prayers. Love from you Star Lake friends, Cindy & Kelly

Cindy Thomson Amann - September 12, 2020 at 05:39 PM