



Virginia Mae Johnson

June 26, 1937 - June 20, 2019

Virginia Mae Johnson, age 81, of Cokato, formerly of Darwin, died Thursday, June 20, 2019, at the Cokato Manor. A funeral service will be held on Monday, June 24, 2019, at 11:00 a.m. at All Saints Lutheran Church in Darwin with the Rev. Joe Midthun officiating. The interment will be held at the Swan Lake in rural Dassel.

There will be a one-hour visitation prior to the service on Monday at All Saints Lutheran Church in Darwin.

The Johnson Funeral Home in Dassel is in charge of the funeral arrangements.

Virginia Mae (Lewerenz) Johnson, the daughter of Rudolph and Martha (Zeppelin) Lewerenz was born on June 26, 1937, in Ellsworth Township, Meeker County, Minnesota. Virginia was baptized and confirmed in the Christian faith and was presently a member of All Saints Lutheran Church. Virginia graduated from Dassel High School in 1956.

On November 5, 1959, Virginia was united in marriage to Glenn R. Johnson at Oak Knoll Lutheran Church in Wayzata. Together they made their home on a farm in Darwin Township. Virginia had worked as a nanny, at Green Giant Canning Company in Cokato, and helped Glenn on the family farm. Virginia

made her home in Darwin until she moved to Brookridge Apartments in Cokato in 2015.

She loved to spend time outdoors and in her flower garden. She had a wonderful heart and had a soft spot for young children, often volunteering as a foster grandparent for several kids. She had received a volunteer award for the many hours she would give of her time. She loved holidays and getting together with her family and playing games with her grandchildren and great grandchildren. She lived vicariously through her children and grandchildren. She will be deeply missed by her family and friends.

She is survived by her sons, Vernon (Ava) Johnson of Savage, and Scott (Kim) Johnson of Darwin, four grandchildren, Matthew Scott Johnson, Catie Sue (Johnson) Bebeau, Michelle Lynn (Huro) Sheldon, and Melissa Ann Huro, three great grandchildren, Isaiah Liebfried, Adam Harrison, and Torie Harrison.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Glenn, her parents, Rudolph and Martha Lewerenz, her brothers, Vernon, Myron, and Gary Lewerenz and her special friend, Elmer Lund.

Cemetery Details

Swan Lake Cemetery

Dassel, MN 55325

Previous Events

Visitation

JUN **24**. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

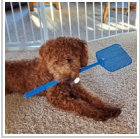
All Saints Lutheran Church
118 1st St, Darwin
Darwin, MN 55324

Service

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Tribute Wall



“ Dear family of Virginia,

I send you my care and prayers in just learning the loss of your wonderful mother, grandmother and friend.

I count my blessings to have been introduced to "Rudy and Martha" and therefore to the wonderful care and love Virginia and Glen offered to them. I had never had "Sally Ann" cookies before meeting the Lewerenz family and have had none since! :(I should have asked for the recipe!

May God bless you as you celebrate Virginia's life with great memories.

Sincerely,

Lores (Rogness) Vlaminck

Lores Vlaminck - July 26, 2019 at 01:14 PM

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“ *I am so happy I got to know Virginia when I was at the Cokato Manor for Therapy. She was my Cheerleader! She was so much fun to visit with and her zest for life was contagious! God Bless Virginia and her Family! Cara Williams-Seifert*

Cara Williams-Seifert - June 22, 2019 at 10:53 PM

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I knew Virginia from my younger days attending All Saints in Darwin. Later, I discovered her while at Cokato Manor. How kind and caring she was, wanting to know how my parents were. We usually enjoyed a long chat. My own family health issues kept me from visiting the Manor this summer, and I was saddened to see she had passed. So sorry for this family's loss.

Donette Danberg - July 15, 2019 at 01:55 AM