



**DIENO,
Geraldine Anne
(Gerrie)
(Koski)**

Geraldine Dieno, aged 88 years, passed away peacefully at St. Ann's Senior Citizen's Village on Saturday, November 27, 2021 surrounded by her loving family.

Gerrie was born on April 19, 1933 to Theodore and Annie (nee Kober-

inski) Koski on the farm at Sinnet, Sask. She was the third of 10 children and the eldest daughter. She grew up on the farm near Sinnet. Gerrie attended Normal School in Saskatoon and taught for seven years at various schools in the area before marrying Elmer Dieno on August 19, 1959. Elmer and Gerrie lived on the Dieno farm until retiring to Saskatoon in 2016. Together they raised four daughters. Gerrie took great pride and pleasure in her garden and beautiful yard and spent many hours working alongside Elmer on the farm. Education was important to her. She sat on local and provincial education boards, volunteered at the local school and enjoyed continuing her education by taking a variety of classes offered by the community college. Gerrie was very active in her community, taking part in 4-H, community kitchen, history book, curling, housing board and Viscount Seniors. Her greatest joy was her family. She spent countless hours driving her girls to many activities and enjoyed watching and cheering on her grandchildren. She was very proud of her family and wanted to celebrate their achievements with them whenever she could. Gerrie and Elmer loved socializing. Dancing, playing cards, and visiting with neighbours were very important to them. Together, they travelled and explored many areas of the world.

Gerrie was a very accepting, loving person and will

be missed by her husband of 62 years, Elmer, daughters: Sandra (Les) and family, Lee (Jerri), Mitch (Chandra), Vince and Lacey; Glenda (Greg) and family, Angie (Abdallah) and Kyler; Diane (Ron) and family, Jessica (AJ) and Travis; Cindy (Greg) and family, Curtis (Holly), and Nicole (Liam); many great-grandchildren and sisters Marian (Don) and Rosemary.

She was predeceased by her parents, Theodore and Annie (nee Koberinski), grandson Jeff, sisters Joyce and Margaret (in infancy), brothers, Joe, Ted, Bernie, Steve and Leo (in infancy) and numerous brothers and sisters-in-law.

The family would like to thank the staff at St. Ann's for the excellent care they provided Gerrie.

Vigil for the deceased was held December 5. Louise Barlage and Cindy Binsfeld were lay presiders. Intentions were read by Sandy and Lacey Gusikoski. Elaine Blachford was organist.

The Mass of the Christian Burial was held at St. Alphonse Roman Catholic Church, Viscount, Sask. on December 6 conducted by Fr. Andrew Wychucki.

Pallbearers were Kyler Wagner, Lee Gusikoski, Mitch Gusikoski, Vince Gusikoski, Travis Reimer and Curtis Frey. Lisa Anselmo and Darcy Doepker were register attendants. Ushers were Dion Dieno and Ian Wilson. Lorrie Champ and Kim Fendelet were at the donation table. Eulogy was given by Diane Dieno and Cindy Frey. Angie Wagner and Nicole Frey were readers. Intentions were read by Glenda and Angie Wagner. Cecile Klein was organist.

Interment took place at Hillcrest Cemetery, Saskatoon.

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