



Rosemary Willard

September 9, 1932 - October 25, 2020

Rosemary Willard, 88, passed away Oct. 25, 2020 at her home surrounded by family. She was a lifelong Roman Catholic and devoted mother, grandmother, and sister. Rosemary was born Sept. 9, 1932 to Loretta C. O'Malley.

Along with her mother, she was preceded in death by a sister, Loretta Jean O'Malley; and two infant siblings.

Surviving are six children, Juliana (Jack) Brixey, Mary (Terry) Guinn, Joesetta (Bill) Bayless, Melinda (Dewayne) Dever, Harold (Roxanne) Willard, and Johna Dixon; seven grandchildren and two great-grandchildren. Also surviving are a brother, Joseph O'Malley, his family; and several cousins.

The family will receive friends at Ulmer Funeral Home 6-7 p.m. Wednesday October 28, 2020 with a rosary to immediately follow at 7:00 p.m.

A mass of Christian burial will be held 10 a.m. Thursday at St. Bridget's Catholic Church in Scammon, Kansas, With Fathers Rahab Isidor and Jeremy Huser officiating. Burial will follow at St. Bridget's Catholic Cemetery.

Previous Events

Visitation

OCT **28**. 6:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Ulmer Funeral Home
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Rosary

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Service

OCT **29**. 10:00 AM.

St. Bridget's Catholic Church
Scammon , KS

Tribute Wall

DM

“ When I started working at the hospital 20 years ago Rosemary was my mentor. I loved her she was great. What a wonderful lady!! I always think of her when I go to Walmart as she told me she always parks on row 7 so that if her kids are looking for and she is at Walmart her car would be on row 7. Prayers for your family!!! Debra Weng Marsh

Debra Weng Marsh - October 29, 2020 at 09:50 AM

SP

“ Sending loving thoughts as I think of this family over the years, since the early 60's I believe. Our families interacted frequently whether through St. Ann's or babysitting or our neighborhood. Rosemary is to be commended for a job well done❤️

Shirley Gillen Pace - October 28, 2020 at 08:21 PM

JC

“ Such a sweet lady! Always remembered me through the years. Thinking and praying for you all. Sincerely Jan Canfield

Jan Canfield - October 28, 2020 at 08:47 AM

LW

“ Melinda and Dewayne, I'm so sorry for you loss. Rosemary is a beautiful soul. I'll always remember her smile and laughter. May God grant her eternal peace. God bless your entire family at this time and forever.

Love,
Loraine

LORAIN WHITEHEAD - October 27, 2020 at 08:43 PM