## Yvonne M. Amiotte

Yvonne Margaret Whiting was born to Edward L. Whiting, Sr. and Rena M. Giroux Whiting on January 25, 1930, the youngest of their nine children. She was born and raised in Hidden Timber and a lifelong resident of the Rosebud. Yvonne married Raymond Beardt, Sr. and together they had eight children: LeMoyne, Raymond, Taoufic (Tuffy), Roxanne, Darla, JoLynn, Shirena and Arthur. Yvonne then married Philip D. Amiotte, Jr. on April 9, 1975.

Yvonne worked at many different jobs, waiting tables, cooking and managing a cafe. She later became the manager of a daycare center in Antelope Community, a Head Start Teacher and a Nurse Aide at the Rosebud IHS Hospital. Lastly, she became the manager of the senior citizen's center in Antelope Community and retired from there in 1985. After retiring, Yvonne became a full time grandma and enjoyed baking and cooking for her expanding family. Yvonne was an exceptional cook and baker and was famous for her pies and most notably her Indian Tacos which she made and sold at many Antelope Fairs. Yvonne also had a little store in her home for a number of years where she and Philip sold pop, candy and other items to the residents of the Antelope Community.

Yvonne passed away at the Sister James Care Center in Yankton, SD on February 12, 2018 at the age of 88. She is survived by her children: Raymond Beardt, Tuffy (Lee Ann) Beardt, Roxanne Marshall, Darla Spotted Tail, JoLynn Beardt and son-in-law Timothy Booth; grandchildren: Michael (Nancy) Beardt, Tiffany (John) Sommervold, Justin Beardt, Raymond (RC) Beardt, III, Jodi Lynn Beardt, Coni Jo (Hugo) Janssen, Waylon N. Marshall, Roberta Ann Marshall, Elizabeth Spotted Tail, Marcus Booth and Timra Booth; 39 great grandchildren and six great-great grandchildren; and step daughters Annette and Cindy Amiotte and their families.

Yvonne was preceded in death by her parents, brothers and sisters; sons LeMoyne and Arthur; daughter Shirena; grandson Alan; and sons-in-law Robert Marshall and Dwight Spotted Tail.

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In Loving Memory Of

Yvonne

#### Forget me not, for I am there In the beat of your heart, On the wing of your prayer.

Forgive me my parting and leaving you thus, A joyous reunion is waiting for us!

Continue to strive toward your goal and be brave. Know that my love didn't stop at the grave.

My spirit is with you through good times and bad. I share all the joys and the sorrows you've had.

Feel my presence within your next breath And realize there's no distance in death.

Ask for my help and I'll answer your call. Reach for my hand when you stumble and fall.

Run the last mile with a smile on your face. My arms will be waiting when you finish the race.

Always remember, my love is right there In the beat of you heart, On the wing of your prayer.

# In Celebration of the Life of **Yvonne Margaret Amiotte**

January 25, 1930 ~ February 12, 2018

#### Wake Service

Fr. Paul Hall in Mission, SD Thursday - February 15, 2018

# **Funeral Service**

Friday ~ February 16, 2018 @ 11am Fr. Paul Hall in Mission, South Dakota

# Officiant

Fr. Jacob Boddicker, S.J. Eulogy by Mike Beardt ~ Music by Walt Hernandez

## Pallbearers

Michael BeardtRaymond Beardt, IIIWaylon A.M. MarshallWeston FrazierMathew Beardt ~ Lucas Beardt ~ Nolan Whiting

# Honorary Pallbearers

Her Cousins: Harley & William Furrey Her Good Friends: Lois Antoine, Muriel Antoine & Paula Emery All Nieces, Nephews, Relatives & Friends

#### Interment

St. Thomas Catholic Cemetery Mission, South Dakota