



Sally Marie Gefreh

August 13, 1925 - September 16, 2010

OBITUARY INFORMATION: Sally Gefreh Sally Gefreh was born the daughter of Leopold and Frances (Kurtz) Bernhardt on Thursday, August 13, 1925 on a farm northeast of in Linton, North Dakota. Sally grew up and went to school in a rural area northeast of Linton, North Dakota. She married John Gefreh January 3, 1946 in North Dakota. She farmed with her husband, and was a member of St. Michaels Church there. They moved to Bismarck, North Dakota in 1957 and farmed until 1977. They came to Oregon July of this year. Sally enjoyed keeping her home, baking, caring for her family, crocheting, and dancing. She worked with Catholic Daughters and helped with meals on wheels. On Thursday, September 16, 2010, Sally Gefreh died when she was eighty-five years, one month and three days of age. Surviving and left to honor her life is her husband, John Gefreh; one daughter, Helen Sweeney and her husband Dan of Oregon City; five sisters, Alice Naunann of Linton, North Dakota, Ida Bauman of Portland, Fran Dagget of Portland, Rose Bernhardt of St Petersburg, Florida, Pauline Gerhart of Sioux Falls, South Dakota; two grandchildren, Stephanie Jensen of Portland, and Elizabeth Sweeney of Chicago, Illinois; two great-grandchildren; and those who have come to know and appreciate her where she has lived and worked. Her daughter Karen Ann preceded her in death. Her Funeral Mass was Tuesday, September 21, 2010 at 11:00 am, with a recitation of the Rosary at 10:30 am at St. Francis Catholic Church in Sherwood with Father Tom McCarthy, SJ officiating. Arrangements are in the care of Attrell's Sherwood Funeral Chapel, a Golden Rule Funeral

Home. Online condolences may be made at www.attrells.com Memorial contributions may be made to the St. Francis Catholic Church in Sherwood c/o Attrell's Sherwood Funeral Chapel, 16195 S.W. First Street, Sherwood, Oregon 97140. Cards of sympathy may be mailed to John Gefreh at 16500 Centruy Dr., Sherwood, OR 97140 Copy to: Bismarck Tribune/ Emmons Court Record/ Ours&SC/ jc

Tribute Wall

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“ Dear Gefreh's ~ I am not sure this will get to anyone but I want to express my deep sympathy for your loss of Sally. Sally was a friend of my parents, Adam and Alberta Gefre. She was always so caring and would do anything for both of them. She and John (love him too!) would always stop at thier house in Linton when they would visit Karen and always took time to play cards with them. Sally had the most loving heart which still has a special place in my heart. I love her and John for what they have done for my parents when they were alive and for being so dear to me when I would see them. You had a wonderful mother and wife and I am so honored to have known her. God BLess you all. Harry Gefre, Meridian, Idaho.

Harry Gefre - September 27, 2010 at 12:00 AM

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“ My deepest sympathies to the family for your loss.

Patricia L. Burke - September 25, 2010 at 12:00 AM