

PAULSEN, Marian Jeannette (Christensen)

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Marian Jeannette Paulsen

Marian Jeannette Paulsen (Mrs. Richard Paulsen) was born January 12, 1929 and passed away on January 28, 2006. Marian was raised in a Danish Lutheran family as the only child of Martin and Marie Christensen in Viborg, SD. Thank you God for this perfect Angel of a Mother, Wife, Grandma, Friend and Person.

Marian worked hard all her life, from practicing to be the best Flag Girl and Marching Band Bell Lair player, working in the hospital in nursing, raising chickens to sell the eggs, to selling homes as a realtor. Marian was an organist and vocalist leading church services and playing at weddings and special events. A true business

woman, Marian with Richard, owned and operated a restaurant "Marian's Little Chef Cafe" in Rapid City, SD. Her cinnamon buns and chili were the BEST IN THE WEST!

Marian graduated from college in accounting in her 40's while she lived in Michigan. She and Richard then moved to Arizona in the late 1970's where she worked as an accountant.

In her 60's she discovered her birth mother, Fay Koostra. Marian was then overjoyed as she met her sister and 5 brothers.

Almost 60 years ago, Marian the Home Coming Queen married Richard the Captain of the Football Team and raised 4 children: Gordon, Randy, Reginald and Nanette. She was blessed with 8 grandchildren.