

Olga Mae Elgen, 87, of Culbertson Montana passed away peacefully the morning of July 9, 2025 at the Roosevelt Medical Center surrounded by her daughters.

Olga was born to Carl and Mae Kjarmo on July 17, 1937 in Big Timber, MT. She grew up on a sheep ranch outside of Grey Cliff alongside her three younger siblings. She graduated from Sweet Grass County High School and attended college at Concordia College in Moorhead. Soon after, she married Dennis Elgen in 1957. Together they had six daughters and they made their home in Culbertson.

Olga was a devoted mother, wife and Christian. She was a member of Trinity Lutheran Church and the Sweet Adelines singing group. She loved singing hymns at church and tending to her flowers. She enjoyed cooking and baking for Dennis and her girls. She baked bread, caramel rolls and treats each week for them to enjoy. Dennis and Olga were known to go on many trips to visit family and friends, often times on their motorcycle. In her later years, she was known for crocheting and gifting pot holders to many family and friends.

Olga will be missed by her daughters Debbie (Ray) Lombardo, Kathie Elgen, Karen (Eric) Sather, Dixie (Mat) Berwick, Lori (Bob) Jasper, and Linda (Tom) Hinds. Grandchildren Jennifer (Kevin) Tucker, Jeremy Lombardo, Daniel (Amy) Berwick, Pamela (Kenneth) Arneson, Jonathon (Camille) Lombardo, Robert (Jillian) Jasper, Saumon Goshtasebi, Kenneth (Tiffiani) Jasper, Terry (Brittany) Berwick, Andrea (Carson) Yahvah, Pareesa (Karl) Kingery, Paige Berwick, Valerie Sather, James (Samantha) Jasper, Kiersten Sather, and Thomas Sather and 23 great grandchildren. She is also survived by her siblings Harold (Darlene) Kjarmo and Shirley Johnson.

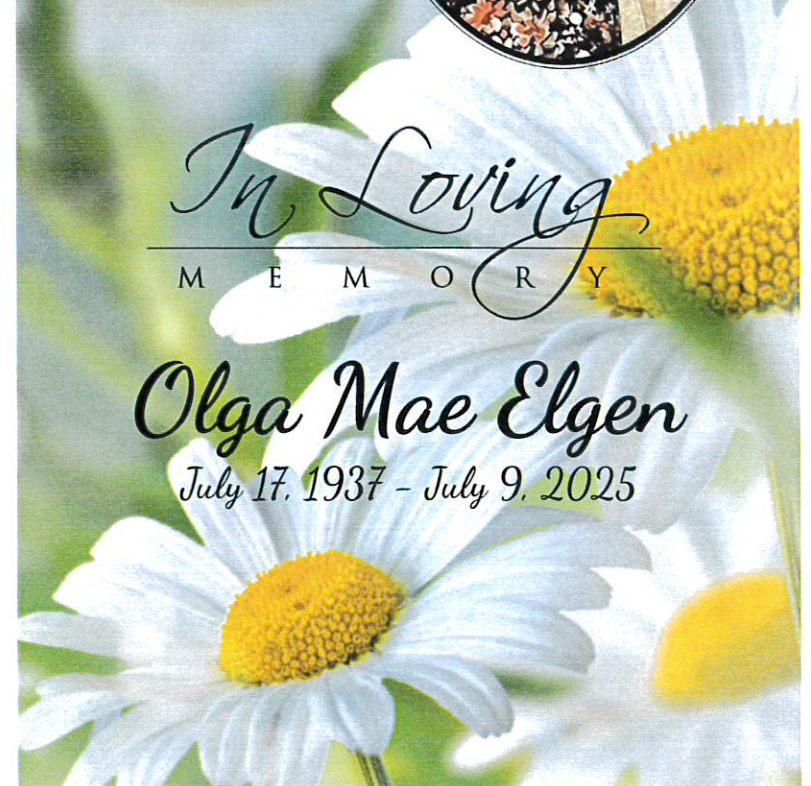
She will be greeted at the gates of heaven by her husband of 65 years Dennis Elgen, her beloved parents, in-laws and brother Jim Kjarmo.



*In Loving*  
M E M O R Y

*Olga Mae Elgen*

*July 17, 1937 - July 9, 2025*





## *Mothers Never Die*

*You have never lost your Mother  
Though you've said the last good-byes  
Though there's a heartbreak in the parting  
No one's Mother really dies.  
If you love to hear the old songs  
For the memories they bring  
It's because you had a Mother  
Who had taught your heart to sing.  
If you stop to help a neighbor  
Search your heart and you will find  
It's because you had a Mother  
Who taught you to be kind.  
If you go to church when weary  
Seeking God to guide your way  
It's because you had a Mother  
Who had taught you how to pray.  
No, you've never lost your Mother  
Though you've said your last good-byes  
Through your thoughts and deeds she's living  
No one's Mother really dies.*

## **Olga Mae Elgen**

***Born to Carl and Mae Kjarmo***  
July 17, 1937 ~ Big Timber, Montana

***Returned to Her Heavenly Father***  
July 9, 2025 ~ Culbertson, Montana

***Funeral Service***  
1:00 PM on Wednesday, July 16, 2025  
Trinity Lutheran Church  
Culbertson, Montana

***Officiating***  
Pastor Gretchen Wagner

***Pallbearers***  
Robert Jasper      Kenneth Jasper  
James Jasper      Daniel Berwick  
Terry Berwick      Kenneth Arneson

***Honorary Pallbearers***  
All of Olga's Grandchildren

***Congregational Music***  
" Beautiful Savior"   &   "Amazing Grace"

***Special Music***  
"In The Garden"  
Darcia Larsen ~ Vocalist

***Final Resting Place***  
Mountain View Cemetery  
Big Timber, Montana

***Arrangements By***  
Fulkerson Stevenson Funeral Home  
Williston, North Dakota



The  
LOVE of  
*a Family*  
is LIFE'S  
GREATEST BLESSING.  
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