

Elizabeth "Betty" Smasal, 90, of Stanley passed peacefully Friday, July 26, 2024 with her family by her side. Elizabeth Ann Steinmetz was born to the late Henry and Ann (Wagner) Steinmetz. Betty grew up near Edson and attended area schools. She graduated from McDonnell High in 1952. Betty married Duane Smasal on July 22, 1953 at Sacred Heart Catholic Church-Edson. They raised their family on a farm east of Stanley.



Betty was a member of the Catholic order of Foresters, she was a devout catholic, she enjoyed socializing at the local establishments to bowl, play cards and later in life to play Ducky Dice. Betty's life was filled with not just farm life, but garage sales, auctions, bowling leagues, camping/fishing with friends, yearly New Year's Eve parties with their friends and later years going to her grandchildren's sporting events.

She is survived by her children, Jim (Sally) Smasal of Rockford, MN, Lori Grzeszczak (Tom Haywood) of Hickory, N.C., Mary (John) Anderson of New Lisbon, WI and Tammy (Wayne) Foster of Eau Claire, 9 grandchildren-Joshua (Ashley), Shawn (Miki), Trevor, Chelsea (Riley), Adriana, Cassandra (Stephen), Amanda (Kyle), Ariane, and Montana. 6 Great Grandchildren-Adelyn, Lucas, Gwyneth, Kinley, Claire, Delilah, and her sisters Carol Eslinger, Eileen O'Donnell, and Joan William. She is preceded in death by her husband, Duane, children, Bruce, Roxanne, Douglas, Gregory and Rick, her parents Henry and Anne, her sister Marie, brothers Kenneth, Marvin and Henry JR "Heinie".

A Memorial Mass will be held at 11AM on Friday, August 9, 2024 at Holy Family Catholic Church-Stanley with Father William Felix officiating. Inurnment will follow in Holy Family Catholic Cemetery. Visitation will be from 9AM until mass at the church. A luncheon will follow at Debbie's on Broadway following the burial.

*The Smasal family wishes to thank the staff at Chippewa Manor Residence for the support and love they gave to our mom and the family during her stay at the Chippewa Manor, Jan Mitchell for her support with mom for the past 7 1/2 years. We also send a special thanks to Josh and Eddie from Heartland Hospice for the comfort and guidance during her final days. Plombon Funeral Service assisted the family.*