

*A limb has fallen  
from the family tree.*

I keep hearing a voice that says, "Grieve not for me."

*Remember the best times,  
the laughter, the song.*

The good life I lived while I was strong.

Continue my heritage, I'm counting on you.

*Keep smiling and surely  
the sun will shine through.*

My mind is at ease, my soul is at rest.

Remembering all, how I truly was blessed.

Continue traditions, no matter how small.

Go on with your life, don't worry about falls.

I miss you all dearly, so keep up your chin.

*Until the day comes  
we're together again.*



GUARDIAN  
*Angel*



*In Loving Memory*  
CELEBRATING A LIFE

## **Sylvia Marie Bragg**

**Born to Louis & Rose Fayuant**  
December 18, 1931~ Belcourt, North Dakota

**Returned To Her Heavenly Father**  
March 23, 2017~ Williston, North Dakota

### **Funeral Service**

10 am, Tuesday, March 28, 2017  
St. Peter's Episcopal Church  
Williston, North Dakota

### **Officiating**

Pastor Michael Paul

### **Music**

Jeri Martinez-Kueffler~ Vocalist  
"Wind Beneath My Wings"  
Terri Sorenson ~ Accompanist

### **Pallbearers**

Alex Lund	Isiah Lee
Dustin Lund	Cody Hanson
Jake Boots	Cayle Paulson
James Lund	Ryan Wilson

### **Honorary Pallbearers**

Sylvia's Beloved Puppies  
Tinker & Coco

### **Final Resting Place**

Hillside Memorial Gardens Cemetery  
Williston, North Dakota

*Angel of God, my guardian dear,  
To whom His love commits me here;  
Ever this day be at my side,  
To light and guard, to rule and guide.  
~ AMEN ~*



In Loving Memory Of  
**Sylvia Marie Bragg**  
December 18, 1931 - March 23, 2017

Sylvia Marie Fayuant was born in Belcourt, ND on December 18, 1931 to Louis and Rose (Amyotte) Fayuant. She enjoyed crocheting, picking raspberries, going on sleigh rides and she had a flare for trapping white rabbits. Her most favorite food was white rabbit; where she couldn't wait for winter to arrive. Throughout life, she enjoyed going to Pow Wow's and spending time in the Turtle Mountains.

She attended St. Joseph's Indian Boarding School in Chamberlain, SD during her childhood years. In the summer, the family picked potatoes in the Red River Valley. She enjoyed working at San Haven in Dunseith and working with the developmentally challenged where she met her first husband Gordon. In that union, they were blessed with 3 boys, Gordon, Larry and Richard. The couple moved to Williston where they later parted ways.

Although she had strength and independence during this time, she developed an overwhelming purpose of being a mother.

Sylvia loved her family and had various jobs as a caregiver; which gained her the nickname Tootsie. During this time in life she united in marriage to Joseph Bragg, along with her 3 sons; the family was blessed with 3 beautiful girls, Kay, Karla and Kim.

In 1968, Sylvia and Joe purchased a home and moved it across the Missouri River on a ferry and settled the homestead 4 miles North of Williston.

Mom was a cat lover but ultimately her favorite companions were Tinker and Coco her puppies. She was a fantastic seamstress making a variety of items from children's clothes to upholstery coverings. She also did woodworking projects and repurposed automobile tires into flower planters. Throughout her life, Sylvia took pride in being a homemaker. Hobbies she enjoyed were canning, planting a luscious vegetable garden and stunning floral garden which included red geraniums and petunias.

She was preceded in death by her husband Joseph Bragg, her parents, Louis and Rose (Amyotte) Fayuant, her siblings Paul, Louis (Tiny), Irene, Emma, Marcelline, and grandchildren, Sara, Sean, Teagan, Bradley and Alexis Faith.

Sylvia is survived by her companion Coco and her children: Gordon (Diane) Lund, Larry (Carolyn) Lund, Rick (Tina) Lund and Karla (Brian) Boots, all of Williston, ND; Kay (Derek) Hanson of Bismarck, ND; and Kim (Loren) Teske of Hitterdal, MN; her sisters Joyce and Dorothy; 21 grandchildren, 43 great grandchildren and numerous nieces and nephews.

