

After David's retirement they moved south and for thirteen years lived in Winnsboro in South Carolina. She was a gifted handicraft worker. Her passionate hobby besides traveling was her garden and its flowers. She was a well-loved citizen of Winnsboro and was active in many organizations- Lions Club, Red Hat Society, Friday Night Live, Fairfield County Historical Society, Walking Club, and Fairfield County Council on Aging where she taught her handicraft work. She will be missed.

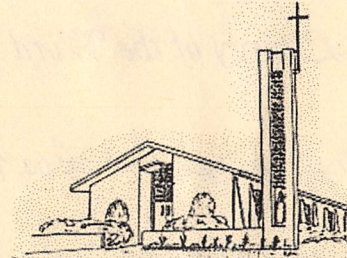


"Just as Jesus died and has risen again, so through Jesus God will bring with him those who have fallen asleep; and as in Adam all die, so also in Christ will all be brought to life." 1 Thessalonians 4: 14; 1 Corinthians 15: 22

Memorials may be made to American Red Cross or to a charity of your choice.



*St. Theresa Catholic Church
320 US Highway 321 Bypass
Post Office Box 1004
Winnsboro, South Carolina
February 18, 2014*



*In Loving Memory †
Of
Willbelmine "Lily" Fox
Born January 11, 1936
† Died December 20, 2013*



Memorial Service

Celebrant: Rev. Andrew Trapp

*Lectors: Carol Clemens
Gene Clemens*

Liturgy of the Word

First Reading: Isaiah 25: 6a, 7-9

*Responsorial Psalm: Psalm 23
The Lord is my Shepherd; there is nothing I shall want*

Second Reading: Romans 6: 3-9

Gospel Reading: Matthew 11: 25-30

*After the conclusion of the service, anyone is welcome to
share their remembrances of Lily.*

Obituary

Willbelmine, whom we called Lily, was born on January 11, 1936 as the third daughter of Alfred and Emma Volken-Burgener in the hamlet of Wyler near Fiesch. She grew up with her four sisters and brother. After completing her education at school of domestic science, she went abroad. She was first employed as the housekeeper in Willisau, Andermatt and Bramis, which she later left to work in the catering industry in Crasn-Montana. She spent one year in London and returned trilingual which prepared her for work in the hotel industry. She worked in Zermatt for a season and even climbed the Matterhorn, an achievement she was always proud of. She went on to work in the same hotel in Geneva for many years and then afterwards in a jeweler's shop at Geneva airport. It was in this town that she met her future husband David Fox. He was a professor of mathematics and a guest lecturer at different Swiss universities.

In 1980 David and Lily went to the United States. They lived in different places such as Alexandria in the vicinity of Washington and Minneapolis.

Lily was a gifted handicraft worker. She always ran courses for knitting, crocheting, Hardanger embroidery and pearl necklaces. She also taught these handicrafts at the university of Minneapolis. She had visited all the 50 states in the U.S.A.