



## Marcella Ann Kluver

June 23, 1924 - November 4, 2012

Clay Center resident Marcella Ann Kluver, 88, died Sunday, November 4, 2012, at Harvard House Assisted Living in Harvard, NE.

Rosary will be 5:30 p.m., Wednesday, November 7, 2012, at McLaughlin Funeral Home in Clay Center, NE. Mass of Christian Burial will be 10:30 a.m., Thursday, November 8, 2012, at St. Joseph's Catholic Church in Harvard, NE with Father James Benton officiating. Graveside services will be 1:00 p.m., Thursday, November 8, 2012, at the Clay Center Cemetery in Clay Center, NE. Visitation will be Wednesday, from 1 p.m. until the Rosary.

Memorial contributions may be directed to St. Joseph's Catholic Church in Harvard, NE.

Marcella Ann (Wolfe) Kluver was born June 23, 1924, at Fairfield NE to Benjamin and Jessie Wolfe.

She graduated from Harvard Public School in Harvard NE.

Marcella married Eldon (Bud) Kluver on January 10, 1945, in Kansas.

They began married life on a farm south of Fairfield NE and after a short time moved to a farm southeast of Clay Center where they began their farming life.

In 1964, they built a new home in Clay Center and continued to farm until Bud's passing in 1987.

Marcella loved gardening, raising flowers, cooking, canning, and sewing. She also was an avid fan of listening to country music and sports games on the radio.

Marcella was a member of St. Joseph's Catholic Church and Alter Society.

She is survived by one son, Darrell Kluver and wife Pam of Clay Center, NE; two daughters, Shirley Bottorf and husband Bill of Sutton, NE and Sharan Ostdiek and husband Ron of Blue Hill, NE. Marcella was blessed with eleven grandchildren and twenty-two great-grandchildren. She will be missed by everyone.

She was preceded in death by her parents, husband and one brother.

# Tribute Wall

CJ

“ Shirley and Bill, and the rest of the family:  
Sorry to hear of the loss of your Mother. Even in their declining years, a Mom is the heart of the family. Hold on to those good memories of better times.

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**Charles Jacobson** - November 15, 2012 at 03:29 PM

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“ Dad, Sharon and Shirley:

Sorry for the passing of grandma. I have many fond memories. Will never forget fishing on the blue river, the pond in Clay Center, canning corn, chicken and dumplings and apple pie with Grandma, Grandpa and all the cousins.

Love always!

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**Klay Kluver** - November 14, 2012 at 09:47 AM

JR

“ So sorry to hear of Marcella's passing.  
My husband, Larry, and I would like to express our sincere sympathy to the family. Please know that you are in our thoughts and prayers.

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**Judy K. (Hunt) Rader** - November 07, 2012 at 11:11 AM

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“Darrell, Sharon and Shirley. May God's grace, surround and hold you in this time of sorrow. I will always remember the memories! As you know your mom was a very special part of my life. "My second mom." Thank you for sharing her with me. She was also my moms very best friend. Many memories made between our families that I will hold close to my heart. Please know you are in my prayers. My God richly bless our parents as they now enjoy everlasting life together with our dear savior. Love you all!

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**Deb Eickmann** - November 06, 2012 at 12:59 AM