



## Delbon Carol Hofstetter

December 29, 1936 - November 25, 2018

Delbon Carol Hofstetter “Bonnie”  
(nee Rindahl)

Bonnie passed away surrounded by the love and warmth of her loving family on Sunday, November 25, 2018 at her home in Winneconne at the age of 81 after losing her battle with cancer. Bonnie was born on December 29, 1936 in Maine Township, Minnesota. Bonnie was the beloved daughter of the late Oscar & Julia Rindahl. Her final journey to eternal life is now complete and she is now reunited with her beloved husband Jerry “The Plumber” Hofstetter of 52 years. And her brothers, Don, Dean & Marty Rindahl and her lifelong singing partner and beloved sister Shirley (nee Rindahl) Hofstetter and many other loving family members and friends.

Bonnie will be deeply missed by her loving children, Kathy Stroo, Jim (Linda), Tim (Debi), Tom (Patty Sitowski), Wendy VanDenHout (Joel), Jenny McLaughin-Nettesheim (Jim) and 21 grandchildren, 31 ½ great-grandchildren, 2 great-great-grandchildren; nieces, nephews, other relatives and friends; Dick (Shirlee) Hofstetter, Pat (Leonard) Simoneau.

To all who Knew & Loved Bonnie, know that she welcomed and embraced her final journey to eternal life. She lived a full and glorious life with no regrets. Bonnie will forever be remembered for her love of life, beautiful smile, her love

of music and mostly, her never ending love of family.

Bonnie's wishes were for no funeral. She asked that each of you please remember her as she was in your fondest memory.

As there is no funeral, There is no need for flowers, but thank you for the kind memories.

# Tribute Wall

JM

“Peanut butter sandwiches through the window, sitting on the floor singing... jitterbug, harmonies, laughter ... Sparkling kitchen sink, Winneconne Bonnie... Family stories, kitty stories, learning of distant relatives, sharing pictures and reflective thoughts... So many wonderful, life-long, cherished memories of my 2nd Mom, my Auntie Bonnie. Loved her dearly.

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**Julie McIntyre** - December 03, 2018 at 08:12 AM

MW

“So sorry for the loss of Auntie Bonnie. Met her in Winneconne at the cottage. Prayers to her family. And knowing she's at peace and pain free. Love you all

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**Mary West-Allen** - December 01, 2018 at 09:52 PM

JT

“We are all so sorry for your loss. If we listen closely, we can all hear the beautiful music being made up above. We can all celebrate her wonderful life and feel blessed she has been greeted by her loving mother, husband and family. Jenny T. and Family

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**jennifer theisen** - December 01, 2018 at 02:15 PM

KL

“She was my second Mother and I will miss her dearly. Almost became my Mother in law!!  
Rest in Peace little Lady, You deserve that! Love to the Hofstetter Family and you are all in my prayers.

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**Keith Lewis** - November 30, 2018 at 01:36 PM

LP

“ *My most fond memories of Auntie Bonnie were at the Family Christmas party in her basement and her singing harmony with her beautiful voice. I still remember the location of the tree with the hard cherry candies hanging on the branches. Auntie Bonnie was warm and welcoming and I loved being in her home* ❤️

**Linda Simoneau Pletta** - November 29, 2018 at 07:29 PM

MP

“ *Mayra Pangborn lit a candle in memory of Delbon Carol Hofstetter*



**Mayra Pangborn** - November 29, 2018 at 10:29 AM

DO

“ *There were so many memories. As a kid growing up she was a second mother to me. She always put too much butter on my peanut butter sandwiches but I ate them anyway. Will always remember your kind voice, smiles and laugh. Love you dearly. Prayers to the family.*

**Doug** - November 29, 2018 at 10:07 AM

BH

“ *Danny and I are so very sorry for your loss! We loved Auntie Bonnie so much - she was a beautiful, wonderful Auntie!! We will miss her terribly. Love you all!!*



*Danny & Brenda*

**Brenda Hofstetter** - November 29, 2018 at 09:42 AM



Jeffrey  
Wagner

“ *Did you dance on the bar? Did you start any fights? I will always remember you singing and having fun.  
My deepest condolences.*

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**Jeffrey Wagner** - November 29, 2018 at 04:23 AM



“ *Bonnie always had a smile for you that brightened your day! A wonderful lady! Thinking of the family with prayers...  
Deb Bartel*

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**Deb Bartel** - November 28, 2018 at 08:44 PM

BC

*Bonnie was a cousin of mine, and it appears that I must have missed knowing her from all the nice things people are saying about her. It sounds like I would have liked her, as I also enjoy some of the same things she liked. I have been having an email relationship with her for a few years, where we passed emails back and forth to each other. Some about jokes, politics, relatives, at least I did have a little contact with her. You have my sympathies for your loss, it now appears that she has reunited with a number of her family in Eternal Peace. For those of you wondering who is Bruce Rindahl, My father was Eddie Rindahl a brother to Oscar. My mother was Doris Rindahl. We lived in Underwood, Mn. and my father farmed there for many, many years. I guess that because of dad farming and the distance to Wisc. the families did not interact with each other, thus we as kids never got to know each other. If my mind lets me remember correctly I did meet Oscar and Julia one time, when I was elementary age kid, they drove into the yard with very large pretty car and I liked it. I am 71 years of age, and live in Sauk Centre, MN. I am retired. My wife of 47 years is Dianne. She is also retired nurse after over thirty years. I guess I will leave this as it is. Again so sorry for your loss, she apparently was a lady to respected and loved. God Bless you all May he reach out to each of you and assist you as you mourn the loss of Bonnie. Bruce Rindahl*

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*Merry Christmas to all my unknown family members*

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**Bruce Rindahl / cousin** - December 09, 2018 at 07:56 PM