



## Helen G. Hagan

February 5, 1937 - February 23, 2021

HELEN GLADYS HAGAN, 84, of Grant, formerly of Madrid, passed away Tuesday, February 23, 2021, at Ogallala Community Hospital.

Helen was born February 5, 1937, at Sault Ste. Marie, Michigan, to Melvin Herman and Julia Josephine (Hank) Gauthier. She graduated from Pickford High School in 1955. Following school, Helen worked at JC Penny's in Sault Ste. Marie. While there, she met the love of her life, Darrell Charles Hagan and was united in marriage on February 18, 1956, in Goetzville, Michigan. They lived in Michigan for several years before moving to Grant, where they started a dairy and farming operation northeast of Grant. In 2015, they moved from the farm into Grant.

Helen was actively involved in their farming operation, helping however she could while maintaining a well-kept household. She was a good cook and will always be remembered for her delicious cream puffs. She also enjoyed gardening, canning, sewing, quilting, and crocheting, playing Solitaire, listening to polka music, attending craft shows and the county fair.

Helen and Darrell enjoyed traveling with their fifth-wheel camper from the southern Texas border to Alaska. They visited Michigan several times, and they planned their travel so each night they could park at a casino.

Helen was very fond of all animals. As a child, she raised an orphaned deer by bottle feeding it in her back yard. This must have instilled the thought that every animal needed some warm milk.

Most of all, Helen loved her family and enjoyed cooking and hosting family gatherings. She loved the new grandbabies. She was often quiet and enjoyed listening to family conversations.

Helen was preceded in death by her husband, Darrell; her parents; a sister at birth;

brothers-in-law, Don, Dale, and Delbert Hagan; and sisters-in-law, Ruth, Peggy, Bertha, and Betty Hagan.

Survivors include three sons, Ron and wife, Diane of Madrid, Mike and wife, LuRae of Grant, Larry and wife, Mary of Westminster, Colorado; ten grandchildren, Dustin Hagan, Roxanne Hagan, Jennifer Wright and husband, Zach, Jeremy Hagan and wife, Jane, Jyl Hagan, Erik Hagan and wife, Kara, Stephanie Grein and husband, Steven, Christine Dunton and husband, Jeff, Mindy Buhr and husband, Tony, and Audrey Meister and husband, Jon; twelve great-grandchildren, Russell and Abraham Wright, Henlie Hagan, Alex, Avery, and Nora Grein, Rogue, Dagny and expected baby Dunton due in July, Baker and Beck Buhr, and newborn Oliver Hagan; a sister-in-law, Dortha Blumenkamp, and husband, Ray of Gering; along with many nephews, nieces, other relatives, and friends.

Memorials have been established in Helen's memory to Our Mother of Sorrows Catholic Church or to the Perkins County Senior Center. Condolences may be shared at [bullocklongfuneralhome.com](http://bullocklongfuneralhome.com), where a recording of the service will be posted.

Mass of Christian Burial will be on Friday, February 26, 2021, at 10:00 a.m. at Our Mother of Sorrows Catholic Church in Grant with Fr. Thomas Bush as Celebrant. Rosary will be recited at 9:30 a.m. on Friday at the Church.

Visitation will be on Thursday, from 3 p.m. until 6 p.m. at the Bullock-Long Funeral Home in Grant.

Bullock-Long Funeral Home of Grant is in charge of arrangements.

# Events

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**FEB**   **Visitation**   03:00PM - 06:00PM

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Bullock-Long Funeral Home

409 Warren Ave, Grant, NE, US, 69140

**FEB**   **Rosary**   09:30AM - 10:00AM

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Mother of Sorrows Catholic Church

739 Grant Avenue, Grant, NE, US, 69140

**FEB**   **Funeral Mass**   10:00AM - 11:00AM

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Mother of Sorrows Catholic Church

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# Comments

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“ A webcast video has been added.

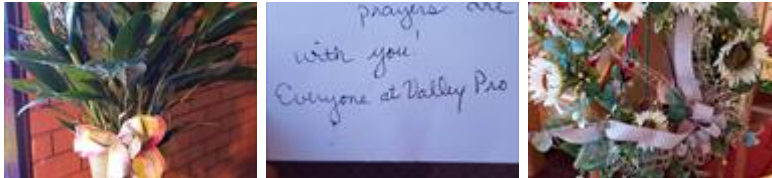


**Bullock-Long Funeral Home** - February 26 at 10:39 AM

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“ 48 files added to the album Memories Album



**Norma Jean Kuskie** - February 26 at 09:06 PM

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“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Helen G. Hagan.



February 26 at 02:01 PM

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“ Aunt Helen I will always treasure the memories we spent with you and your family at the farm. You were always smiling and kidding around with everyone. Now that you and uncle Darrell are together again, I know your beautiful smile is there for everyone to see. Rest In Peace, we love you and will miss you greatly. Love, Cristy and Gary Allen

**Cristy Allen** - February 25 at 10:28 PM

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“ Your family is in our thoughts as you grieve the loss of Helen. What a lovely person, who will be deeply missed.

Tom & Sue  
And everyone at Valley Pro Irrigation.

Tom & Sue - February 25 at 06:03 PM

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“ Click on the link below to watch the tribute slideshow for Helen.

<https://www.tributeslides.com/tributes/show/MFSDFD7Q5B8WMRDQ>

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Jason Tickle - February 25 at 03:10 PM



“ What a beautiful tribute to Helen's life !!!

Teresa Nowak - February 25 at 05:38 PM



“ Loved looking at all the great times Aunt Helen had with family. She will be missed but so grateful for the time I got to spend with her.

Janet Haughawout - February 26 at 10:40 AM

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“ Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Helen G. Hagan.



February 25 at 02:19 PM

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“ I can remember after Helen and Darrell got back from one of their Alaska trips, she gave me 3 jars of her canned king salmon. It was so delicious and a huge treat for me. I will never forget how generous that was of her because we all know canning is alot of work. I will miss you Helen.

**Deb Kraus** - February 25 at 10:02 AM

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“ My prayers to you Helen snd my condolences to all. She was a faithful woman  
Fr. Tom K

**Fr Tom K** - February 25 at 12:38 AM

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“ Gracious Lavender Basket was purchased for the family of Helen G. Hagan.



February 24 at 06:01 PM

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“ Thoughts and prayers sent to your families. Sure Helen and Darrell are celebrating. Let God wrap his arms around you. Rest In Peace Helen.  
Bob and Anita Cummings



**Anita Cummings** - February 24 at 11:55 AM

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“ Judy Krutsinger & Family purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Helen G. Hagan.



Judy Krutsinger & Family - February 24 at 09:19 AM

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“ My dear, sweet neighbor. We already miss you and Darrell so much. Your friendly waves and street chats brightened our days always. So glad you two are together again.

Robin and Wyatt Quinn

Robin Quinn - February 23 at 10:18 PM