



## Lila Boeck Sorenson

March 18, 1931 - May 27, 2011

Lila Boeck Sorenson passed away at her home in North Ft. Myers, Florida on Friday, May 27th after a seven month battle with brain cancer. Lila enjoyed her final days surrounded by family, friends, and her bird (Bubba). Lila Boeck was born and raised in Granite Falls, Minnesota, the first daughter of William and Mabel Boeck. She graduated from Granite Falls High School and attended vocational school, later working as a lab technician. She married the love of her life, Bill Sorenson, and enjoyed over 53 years with him in Minnesota and Florida. Lila was the consummate homemaker, raising the family's two children, Brad and Jana, and entertaining neighbors, friends and family at their Duluth, Minnesota home. Lila was a Camp Fire Leader, hockey mom, avid ice skater, and the neighborhood baker. After Bill's retirement, they moved to Glenwood, Minnesota, and built their dream home on the lake. After 11 years, they became 'snowbirds' and wintered in North Ft. Myers, while summering on Blackduck Lake in northern Minnesota. Lila spent the last eight years in North Ft. Myers, year-around, immersing herself in her church, friends, and activities in the area. She was an avid Hawaiian dancer, performing at numerous events each winter, as well as a long-time member of a popular lip-sync group "The Pretenders". She enjoyed entertaining on stage or in her home, and seemed to keep in contact with literally hundreds of people she had known over the years. She was a loving wife, mother, sister, and friend. Her presence will be missed by many. Lila was preceded in death by her parents, William and Mabel Boeck, her husband, Bill, and her son,

Brad. She is survived by her daughter, Jana, and her sister, Marie Spencer. Lila's final resting place will be next to her husband in Buffalo Lake, Minnesota. Interment will be this summer. A Celebration of Life will be held in North Ft. Myers, Florida in late Fall. Donations may be made to Hope Hospice of North Ft. Myers, Florida or the Salvation Army.

# Tribute Wall



“ *Lila Boeck Sorenson*

October 09, 2023 at 02:01 AM



“ *Lila Boeck Sorenson*

January 28, 2023 at 12:09 PM



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“ We Snowbirds will miss your friendly face on Lucerne Ave. Windmill Village will never be the same. May God Bless you and keep you until we meet again. Jim & Joyce

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**Jim & Joyce Molloy** - May 29, 2011 at 12:25 PM