Theresa Lantz was born on May 7, 1927, to Clement and Theresa (Huschka) Binstock on the family farm in South Heart. She attended country school near South Heart. Theresa married Bennie Lantz on July 8, 1947, at St. Mary’s Church in South Heart. Together, they made their home 12 miles south of South Heart where they raised their eight children. In 1979, they moved to Dickinson, ND. Theresa was employed at St. Luke’s Nursing Home for 20 years. She was a member of the South Heart Christian Mothers, St. Anthony’s Club and St. Patrick’s Catholic Church. Theresa was a loving mother and grandmother. She loved every one of her grandchildren and great-grandchildren. They meant a lot to her and she loved to have them come to her house. They all loved her caramel rolls and looked forward to enjoying them at her house. Theresa loved to cook, sew, play cards and play bingo. Theresa passed away Thursday, April 29, 2010, at St. Benedict’s Health Center in Dickinson. Theresa is survived by four sons, Richard (Marge) Lantz, Janesville, WI, Robert (LeeAnn) Lantz, Cody, WY, Marvin (Marie) Lantz, South Heart, ND, and Ervin (Brenda) Lantz, Mandan, ND; three daughters, Rosie (Don) Leach, Janesville, WI, Rita (Roger) Wickum, Williston, ND, and Peggy (Steve) Roller, New England, ND; one brother, Vince (MaryAnn) Binstock, Belfield, ND; one sister, Eva (Louie) Kuylen, Sidney, MT; two sisters-in-law, Eva Binstock and Anna Binstock; 29 grandchildren and 31 great-grandchildren. She is preceded in death by her husband, Bennie; her son, LeRoy; her parents; four brothers, Louie, Clement, Fritz and Ralph Binstock; and five sisters, Ann Decker, Lena Helfrich, Rose Binstock, Regena Froehlich and Anastasia (Fran) Kordonowycz.
Theresa Lantz

FUNERAL MASS:
Monday, May 3, 2010  1:00 p.m.
St. Patrick’s Catholic Church
Dickinson, North Dakota

ROSARY & PRAYER SERVICE:
Sunday, May 2, 2010  4:00 p.m.
Stevenson Funeral Home
Dickinson, North Dakota

CELEBRATING:
Father Todd Kretinger
Deacon Ron Keller
Rosary: Christian Mothers

MUSIC:
Organist: Sandy Tibor
Soloist: JoAnn Decker
Violinists: Ashton Pierce & Allise Pierce

PALLBEAERS:
Allen Lantz                 Tracy Lantz
Bill Pierce               Ryan Wickum
Stevie Roller                  Ben Lantz
Kyle Lantz                   Troy Lantz

INTERMENT:
St. Joseph’s Catholic Cemetery
Dickinson, North Dakota

ARRANGEMENTS BY:
Stevenson Funeral Home
Dickinson, North Dakota

Lunch will be served at Garvin Hall
following the graveside service.
Everyone is welcome.

Our dearest mother
So gentle and kind,
The words for goodbye
Are so hard to find.

Of all the gifts
God gave from above,
The most precious to us
Is that of your love.

The Lord All Mighty
Upon his thrown,
Whispered so softly
My daughter come home.

You sleep now mom
Your job is done,
The Lord has called
Your battle is won.

This piece of our heart’s
Shall go to no other.
We kiss you goodbye
Our dearest mother.

By RoxAnn Cherney