



## IRENE B. HOSCH

May 9, 1936 - March 22, 2022

Irene B Hosch, 85, of Caledonia MN passed away unexpectedly on Tuesday, March 22, 2022 at Gundersen Lutheran Medical Center, La Crosse.

Irene was born on May 9th, 1936 to Martin and Edna (Loos) Schwirtz in Millville, MN. She owned and operated Hosch Bus Service in Caledonia for 30 years. She was an avid antique collector who loved going to auctions and spent time at home crocheting.

She is survived by her daughter Linda Welscher of Caledonia, MN, step-son Terry (Laurie) Hosch of Coon Rapids MN, step-daughters, Joan Jensen, Susan Kuhn, Janet Hosch, grandchildren Crystal (Kurt) Alderman of Meridian ID, Jeremy (Sarah) Hosch, Benjamin Hosch, and great grandchildren Andi Hosch and Joslyn Hosch.

She was preceded in death by her parents, husband Robert (Bob) Hosch, brothers Eugene Schwirtz and Marvin Schwirtz, sister Margaret Pitts, niece Judy Schwirtz, and step-daughter Ellen Hosch. Shortly after her passing, her nephew Matthew Schwirtz also passed away unexpectedly in CA.

Private family services will be held on Friday April 1st.

# Tribute Wall

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“ *Jodi Iverson lit a candle in memory of IRENE B. HOSCH*



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**Jodi Iverson** - March 26, 2022 at 05:48 PM

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“ *I grew up near Caledonia and for several years , Irene was our bus driver. It was a tough job as she was a petite person. One memory I have was of a younger neighbor boy who thought it would be very funny to spit on me as I exited the bus. He did! Irene heard the commotion and came to my rescue! He had to sit in the front seat after that! My sisters and I were just reminiscing about Irene and our bus rides last week. Our sincere sympathy to Irene's family from the Skifton family.*

*Sonia Skifton McCabe*

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**Sonia McCabe** - March 24, 2022 at 03:50 PM

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“ *DawnTewes lit a candle in memory of IRENE B. HOSCH*



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**DawnTewes** - March 23, 2022 at 09:08 PM



“ *Teresa MacLeod lit a candle in memory of  
IRENE B. HOSCH* ”



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**Teresa MacLeod** - March 23, 2022 at 07:43 PM