



## Maria Stooft Bailey Scarlet

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Oh how I loved my Aunt Maria!! She was the most giving and kind person I have ever known. I remember when my mom Elsa, had twins and she was unable to buy everything she needed for her babies. Maria showed up as her loving sister to help my mom. She bought cribs and blankets, clothing, diapers and everything you could even think of. I was just st young, but I remember feeling an overwhelming feeling of love and gratitude for my sweet aunt. She not only provided for the twins but also bought me and my siblings new clothes. I always wanted to be just like my aunt Maria and to grow up and help others like she did. She was the most unselfish person I have ever known. And such a great example of charity, love and kindness. I love you Aunt Maria and I am so grateful to you. You will be missed. Love, your niece Wendy Berthold Furse■■■■

- Wendy Furse niece of Maria