

When I am gone, release
me, let me go —
I have so many things to
see and do.
You mustn't tie yourself to
me with tears,
Be thankful for our many
beautiful years.
I gave to you my love, you
can only guess
How much you gave to me
in happiness.
I thank you for the love
you each have shown,
But now it's time I traveled

So grieve a while for me, if grieve you must,
Then let your grief be comforted by trust.
It's only for a time that we must part
So bless the memories within your heart.
I won't be far away, for life goes on
If you need me, call me and I will come.
Though you can't see or touch me, I'll be near
And if you listen with your heart, you'll hear
All my love around you, soft and clear.
And then, when you must come this way alone
I'll greet you with a smile and say
"Welcome Home!"

on alone.



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#### IN LOVING MEMORY OF

# Pamela Kae Adelman

#### WHO WAS BORN

December 20, 1946 - Ortonville, Minnesota

# AND CALLED TO HER ETERNAL HOME

October 26, 2024 - Milbank, South Dakota

#### MASS OF CHRISTIAN BURIAL

Tuesday, November 5, 2024 - 10:30 a.m. St. Lawrence Catholic Church Milbank, South Dakota

## **CELEBRANT**

Father Brian Eckrich

#### MUSICIANS

Sandy Tucholke, Organist St. Lawrence Funeral Choir

#### **GIFT BEARERS**

Tara Healy | Kyle Adelman

# HONORARY CASKET BEARERS

Grandchildren:

Kaylee Adelman, Cole Adelman, Seth Kramer, Shelby Kramer, Jordan Adelman, Jackson Adelman, Jadan Adelman, Nathaniel Healy Great-grandchildren:

> Riley, Addelynne, Wesley, Emmitt, and Reece God Children:

Tim Wollschlager, Kimberly Lehner, Kerry Kuefler, Shawn Hermans

#### **INURNMENT**

St. Lawrence Catholic Cemetery - Milbank, South Dakota

## **APPRECIATION**

Pam's family is grateful for your attendance at this service. Your expressions of kindness and love are deeply appreciated. Following the graveside service, please join the family for a time of fellowship and a luncheon in the church dining hall.

Mundwiler Funeral Home - Milbank, South Dakota

Pamela Kae (Dockter) Adelman was born on December 20, 1946, in Ortonville, MN, to Harold and Dorothy (Conraads) Dockter. She grew up on a farm just north of Milbank until moving into town at the age of 10. She attended school in Milbank and graduated with the Class of 1964 from Milbank High School.

On August 27, 1966, Pam was united in marriage with Dale Adelman. Together, they were blessed with three children. She resided on Viola Street, where she created a warm and loving home for her family. Pam' professional life had various endeavors, from working at the Sears Catalog Store to running an in-home daycare and sewing at Dakota Sewing. She concluded her career at Montage, retiring at the age of 64.

A devout member of St. Lawrence Catholic Church, Pam shared her beautiful voice in the church choir for many years. Her faith was a guiding light in her life, providing comfort and strength through both joyous and challenging times.

Pam found enjoyment in the simple pleasures of life. She cherished spending time with her family, especially her grandchildren, and took delight in summer fishing excursions, reading, and watching television. Her fondness for social gatherings led her to engage in many visits and spirited card games with friends.

Left to cherish Pam's memory are her husband of 58 years, Dale, of Milbank, SD; her children: Kyle (Renea) Adelman of Boyceville, WI; and Tara Healy of Milbank, SD; eight grandchildren: Kaylee Adelman (Tyler Kreich), Cole Adelman, Seth Kramer, Shelby Kramer, Jordan Adelman, Jackson Adelman, Jadan Adelman, and Nathaniel Healy; five great-grandchildren: Riley, Addelynne, Wesley, Emmitt, and Reece; sister, Verla (Art) Strain of Twin Books, SD; daughter, Tammy's significant other, JR Buttke; along with many brothers and sisters-in-law; and numerous nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by her parents; daughter, Tammy; sister, Donna Hoxtell; nephew, Tyler Strain; and many in-laws.