

In Loving Memory of
Philip G. Ehli
January 28, 1933 ~ December 20, 2023

Rosary/Vigil Service

Tuesday, December 26, 2023 ▪ 6:30 PM
Parkway Funeral Service ▪ 2330 Tyler Parkway
Bismarck, North Dakota

Mass of Christian Burial

Wednesday, December 27, 2023 ▪ 10:00 AM
Church of Corpus Christi ▪ 1919 N. 2nd St.
Bismarck, North Dakota

Interment

Wednesday, December 27, 2023 ▪ 3:00 PM
North Dakota Veterans Cemetery
Mandan, North Dakota

Scripture Readings

Old Testament	Isaiah 41:10, 13
Responsorial	<i>“The Lord is Kind and Merciful.”</i> Psalm 103
New Testament	Romans 8:31b-35, 37-39
Gospel	John 14:1-6

Music

Prelude	<i>“Hail Mary, Gentle Woman”</i>
Opening	<i>“You are Near”</i>
Offertory	<i>“Peace is Flowing Like a River”</i>
Communion	<i>“The Supper of the Lord”</i>
Special Song	<i>“Prayer of St. Francis”</i>
Final Commendation	<i>“Song of Farewell”</i>
Closing Song	<i>“Let there Be Peace on Earth”</i>

Celebrant Father Josh Ehli

Musician Colleen Reinhardt

Readers Tiffaney Dirk and Kara Salzer

Casket Bearers Philips Grandchildren and Great-Grandchildren

Following the Mass, the family invites you to join them in the Parish Hall for lunch and fellowship.



Tribute Video



PHILIP G. EHLI, 90, passed away on Dec. 20, 2023 at CHI St. Alexius Medical Center, Bismarck.

Philip was born on January 28, 1933 near Timmer, North Dakota to Philip and Theresa (Zimmerman) Ehli. He attended St. Mary's High School and was a lifelong resident of Bismarck. He began his career with the North Dakota Army National Guard in 1948 and retired in 1993 with the rank of Chief Warrant Officer 4. Upon his retirement, Philip received the Legion of Merit award. After retiring, Philip remained active in the community, donating his time serving meals on wheels, and mowing lawn at the North Dakota Veterans Cemetery.

Philip enjoyed spending time with his five children and their spouses, 11 grandchildren, and 16 great-grandchildren, including having the entire family together for the holidays and attending sports events, tournaments, rodeos, matches, and meets. His grandchildren and great-grandchildren could always count on his support with a big hug and words of encouragement.

GOD LOOKED AROUND HIS GARDEN

*God looked around His garden
And He found an empty place,
He then looked down upon His earth
And saw your tired face.
He put His arms around you
And lifted you to rest,
God's garden must be beautiful
He always takes the best.
He knew that you were suffering
He knew you were in pain,
He knew that you would never
Get well on earth again.
He saw the road was getting rough
And the hills are hard to climb,
So He closed your weary eyelids
And whispered "Peace be Thine."
It broke our hearts to lose you
But you didn't go alone
For part of us went with you
The day God called you home.*

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