

Barbara Josephson passed away at Alomere Health in Alexandria, MN on Tuesday, February 8th, 2022 at the age of 75. Barb was born on November 23, 1946 in Minneapolis, MN to Russell and Marge Larson.

On August 24, 1973, she was married to the love of her life, Raymond Josephson Sr. in Milbank, South Dakota. Barbara and Raymond spent their entire married life in Douglas County, Minnesota. For eight years they resided South of Holmes City, MN. They then moved to a home three miles west of Holmes City. Together they raised seven children: Steven, Randy, Becky, Michael, Brenda, Raymond Jr., and Robert.

Barbara enjoyed working at Blades Store in Holmes City for thirty years. She worked every other week and was instrumental in helping keep the store running properly. Although her job occupation was cashier she had countless fond memories of all the town folks enjoying coffee on a daily basis.

In her spare time Barbara and Raymond enjoyed gardening, cutting and splitting wood and camping whenever possible. She adored her grandchildren spending as much time with them as possible. She love playing Yahtzee, Farkle, cribbage, Scrabble and putting together jigsaw puzzles.

Barbara is preceded in death by her parents, sisters: Pat & Judith; son, Randy. She is survived by her husband, Raymond Sr., sons: Steven (Theresa), Michael (Shenoa), Raymond Jr., and Robert (Evan); daughters: Becky (David) Ashbaugh and Brenda (David) Scott; nine grandchildren and four great grandchildren.

In Loving Memory Of



Barbara “Barb” Josephson

1946 ~ 2022

I'm Free

*Don't grieve for me, for now I'm free,
I'm following the path God laid for me.*

*I took his hand when I heard his call,
I turned my back and left it all.*

I could not stay another day,

To laugh, to love, to work, to play.

Tasks left undone must stay that way,

I've found that peace at the close of the day.

If my parting has left a void,

Then fill it with remembered joy.

A friendship shared, a laugh, a kiss,

Ah yes, these things I too will miss.

Be not burdened with times of sorrow,

I wish you the sunshine of tomorrow.

My Life's been full, I savored much,

Good friends, good times, a loved one's touch,

Perhaps my time seemed all too brief,

Don't lengthen it now with undue grief.

Lift up your heart and share with me,

God wanted me now, He set me free.

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November 23, 1946 † February 8, 2022

Memorial Service

Trinity Lutheran Church

Holmes City, Minnesota

Saturday, February 19, 2022

11:00 AM

Officiant

Julie Carlson

Pianist

Diane Kratz

Burial

Finnish Apostolic Cemetery

Moe Township, Minnesota

Arrangements

Anderson Funeral Home

Alexandria, Minnesota