## In Loving Memory of

## Garry Lee Fandrich

October 15, 1948 ~ October 23, 2024

## **Memorial Service**

Friday, November 1, 2024 • 11:00 AM

Parkway Funeral Service • 2330 Tyler Pkwy

Bismarck, North Dakota

Interment

Sunset Memorial Gardens

Mandan, North Dakota

Gathering Music

"If I Had Only Known"

Welcoming of those Gathered

Thanksgiving for Baptism

Prayer of the Day

Remembrances

Song "Miss You a Little"

Scripture Reading

Psalm 23

Matthew 11:28-30

Sermon

Song "Scars in Heaven"

Prayers

Lord's Prayer

Commendation

Recessional Song "Just a Closer Walk with Thee"

**Officiant** Pastor Mark Narum

Honorary Urn Bearers Brooklyne Bader, Cierra Grondahl,

Cullen Peters, Kalee Ana Fandrich, Nicholas Reisenauer,

Corin Reisenauer, Payton Hausauer, Trev Hausauer and Mason Hausauer

Following the service, the family invites you to join them for lunch and fellowship in the Community Room at Parkway.



Tribute Video



Garry Fandrich, 76, Bismarck, passed away October 23, 2024.

Garry was born on October 15, 1948 to Louie and Pauline (Wittmayer) Fandrich in Beulah. He was raised and educated in New Salem. In 1968, he married Arlene Olheiser, and to this union, Paula, Jody, and Kimberly were born. For several years, he worked at and managed grain elevators., along with construction and various odd jobs. Garry and Arlene owned the Friendly Bar in Golden Valley for a few years.

In 1993, Garry married Carol Hausauer in Osnabrock, ND. Together they ran restaurants first in Osnabrock and later in McVille, before returning to Osnabrock where Garry managed the elevator in town. They moved to Fargo for a short time, where they started managing apartments. In 1995, they moved to Bismarck where Garry managed Apartments before his retirement in 2015.

Garry was a great pool player. He was a talented musician, playing guitar and singing in a band. Over the years, he managed to win music contests. Garry had a soft spot for dogs, and it all started with his first dog, Chloe. Over the years, he had several dogs, treating them like family and giving them the best life possible. Katie, Abby and Lizzy (his grand-dog), all held a special place in his heart.

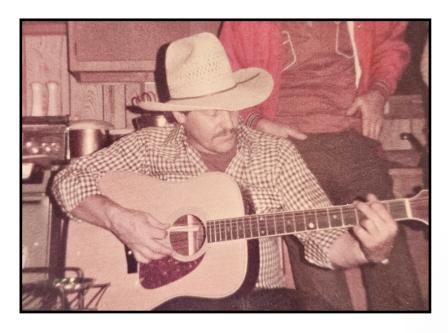
Garry liked to make wood signs, most of which carried a cheeky joke or anything to bring a smile. He was quite the joker, and this was reflected in his signs! Not too many of his signs could be displayed as common household décor, but his family and friends always had a smile and laugh when they received a wood sign. He will be missed!

He is survived by his wife, Carol, Bismarck; children, Paula (Brian) Tofte, Montevideo, MN, Jody (Lindsay Friesz) Fandrich, Turtle Lake, and Kimberly (Aaron) Preabt, Bismarck; Carol's children, Howard Hausauer, Teresa (Ray) Martinez, TX, Tammy (David) Boone, Baldwin, and Duane Thiesen, TX; 11 grandchildren; 12 great-grandchildren; brother, Rob (Jeanine) Fandrich, Lincoln; and several nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by his parents; and siblings, Loretta Fandrich, Margie Steckler, Lloyd Fandrich, and Aaron Fandrich.

## God Saw He Was Getting Tired

God saw you getting tired
And a cure was not to be,
So He put His arms around you
And whispered, "Come with me."
With tearful eyes we watched you suffer
and saw you fade away.
Although we loved you dearly
we could not make you stay.
A golden heart stopped beating
hard working hands at rest.
God broke our hearts to prove to us
He only takes the best.



Garry's family would like to thank you for the outpouring of love, support and kindness expressed throughout this time.

Your kindness will never be forgotten.

