



***Remembering the Life of  
Grace Bertha Koerner***

**MEMORIAL SERVICE**

11:00 AM, Saturday, September 2, 2023  
Porter Funeral Home  
Rock Valley, Iowa

**OFFICIATING**

Pastor Jim Sweers

**MUSICAL SELECTION**

*"Amazing Grace"*

**INURNMENT**

Valley View Cemetery  
Rock Valley, Iowa

Grace Bertha Koerner, daughter of Bert and Anna (Van Bochove) Teunissen, was born February 9, 1952, at Canton, South Dakota. Grace grew up in Rock Valley, Iowa and graduated from Rock Valley High School. After school she married LaVern Koerner, and the couple farmed near Rock Valley. The couple later divorced.

Grace worked for several years in textile manufacturing, first in Freeman, South Dakota, and later in Canton. She later worked at a group home for Hope Haven. Grace enjoyed music, reading, gardening, and canning, especially jams and jellies. Grace died Thursday, July 20, 2023, at Lyon Specialty Care of Rock Rapids at the age of 71.

Grace is survived by her two children, Brenda Koerner of Emporia, Kansas, and Stanley Koerner of Canton; and three brothers, Carl Teunissen, Adrian Teunissen, and Alvin Teunissen. She was preceded in death by her parents, Bert and Anna Teunissen.

*Grace's family invites everyone for a time of food and fellowship at the Rock Valley Pizza Ranch following the committal service.*

# 23<sup>rd</sup> Psalm

THE LORD IS MY *Shepherd*: I SHALL NOT WANT.  
HE MAKETH ME TO LIE DOWN IN GREEN PASTURES:  
*He leadeth me* BESIDE THE STILL WATERS.  
HE RESTORETH MY SOUL: HE LEADETH ME IN THE  
PATHS OF RIGHTEOUSNESS  
*for His names sake.*

YEA, THOUGH I WALK THROUGH THE VALLEY OF THE  
SHADOW OF DEATH, *I will fear no evil:*  
FOR THOU ART WITH ME: THY ROD AND  
THY STAFF *they comfort me.*

THOU PREPAREST A TABLE BEFORE ME IN THE  
PRESENCE OF MINE ENEMIES:  
THOU ANOINTEST MY HEAD WITH OIL:  
*my cup runneth over.*

SURELY GOODNESS AND MERCY SHALL FOLLOW  
ME ALL THE DAYS OF MY LIFE: AND I WILL  
DWELL IN THE *house of the Lord forever.*

