Time for me to go now, I won't say goodbye;

Look for me in rainbows, way up in the sky.

In the morning sunrise when all the world is new,

Just look for me and love me, as you know I loved you.

Time for me to leave you, I won't say goodbye;

Look for me in rainbows, high up in the sky.

In the evening sunset, when all the world is through,

Just look for me and love me, and I'll be close to you.

It won't be forever, the day will come and then
My loving arms will hold you, when we meet again.

Time for us to part now, we won't say goodbye;

Look for me in rainbows, shining in the sky.

Every waking moment, and all your whole life through

Just look for me and love me, as you know I loved you.

Just wish me to be near you,

And I'll be there with you.

## In Loving Memory



## Rita Chel

1945 ~ 2021



**Rita Ebel**, 76, of Mandan, passed away peacefully on Wednesday, October 13, 2021, at Prospera Community Assisted Living and Nursing Facility in Mandan.

Rita was born August 12, 1945, in Bismarck, to Paul and Pansy (Oxford) Jaszkowiak. She was raised in Bismarck where she attended and graduated from St. Mary's High School. She also took some bookkeeping classes at Bismarck Junior College and graduated with an Associates degree. On May 6, 1966, she married Keith Ebel. The couple lived in Bismarck for one year and then moved to Mandan where Keith still resides. Rita did daycare for a few years while her children were young and then took a bookkeeping job at The Gourmet House. She would also

work full time at Speedy's Tire, Northwest Tire, and Laducer & Associates. She also worked many years part time and eventually retired from Sears. Rita had a passion for all things Elvis and was an avid collector of his memorabilia. Her most memorable vacation was when she finally was able to see Graceland. Rita enjoyed bowling and belonged to a league for many years, competing in a lot of tournaments. She also enjoyed reading and once she retired, found the Hallmark channel a comfort. Rita collected Coke memorabilia and enjoyed her Diet Coke which she almost always had in hand. Rita loved the holidays and getting the family together. Decorating for every holiday brought her immense joy and she decorated every room in the house for every holiday.

She is survived by her husband, Keith, Mandan; one daughter, Stefanie (Jeff) Muth, Mandan; one son, Kent, Mandan; four grandchildren, Eric (Brittany) Peterson, Mandan, Krystal (Kasey) Power, Wilton, Bernadeht Ebel, Maryland, and Paul Ebel, Mandan; three great-grandchildren, Kadence Power, Wilton and Paisley and Savannah Peterson, Mandan, and Baby Power arriving November 2021; five sisters and one brother-in-law, Mary Jaszkowiak, Dorothy Falconer, Sue Jaszkowiak, and Beverly (Curt) Goehring, all of Bismarck; eight brothers and five sisters-in-law, John Jaszkowiak and Bill (Marlene) Jaszkowiak, all of Montana, Tom Jaszkowiak, Minnesota, Henry (Marlene) Jaszkowiak, Edward Jaszkowiak, Charlie (JoAnne) Jaszkowiak, and Don Jaszkowiak, all of Bismarck, Andy (Pam) Jaszkowiak, Texas, and Mary Jaszkowiak, Bismarck; one brother-in-law, Herb (Char) Ebel, Bismarck; two sisters-in-law, Pat (Melvin) Madsen, Washington and Penny (Gary) Martin, Fargo; and many nieces and nephews.

Rita was preceded in death by her parents, Paul and Pansy Jaszkowiak; brothers, Fred and Ken Jaszkowiak; and sisters-in-law, Norita and Mary Jean Jaszkowiak.

Rita always talked about being the middle child. She would tell people no matter how you looked at it she was the middle. Born the eighth child out of fifteen she had seven siblings above and seven below her. Five brothers older and five brothers younger, two sisters older and two sisters younger.

Parish Vigil Funeral Liturgy

Tuesday, October 19, 2021; 7:00 PM Wednesday, October 20, 2021; 10:30 AM Spirit of Life Catholic Church

Mandan, North Dakota

Celebrant

Fr. Todd Kreitinger

Jeremy & Carrie Davis

Musicians Lectors

Kelly Easton & Jerome Jaszkowiak

**Honorary Pallbearers** 

Kasey Power, Eric Peterson, & Paul Ebel

**Giftbearers** 

Joe, Brigitte, & Emma Jaszkowiak

## LITURGY OF THE WORD

Prelude

"I Can Only Imagine"

**Processional Song** 

"Here I Am, Lord"

Old Testament Reading

Ecclesiastes 3:1-15

Response

Psalm 25

"To You, O Lord, I lift my soul."

New Testament Reading

2 Corinthians 4:14, 5:1

Gospel Reading

John 14:1-6

Homily

## LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST

Preparation of Gifts

"Jesus Remember Me"

Eucharistic Prayer

**Communion Songs** 

"Miracle of Grace"

"Draw Me Close"

Final Commendation

Closing Song

"Amazing Grace"

The family invites you for lunch and fellowship at the Spirit of Life Activity Center immediately following the service.

Please go to www.WeigelFuneral.com to share memories of Rita.

Committal will be at St. Mary's Cemetery at 1:30 PM.