

May I Go?

May I go? Do you think the time is right? May I say goodbye to pain-filled days And endless lonely nights? I've lived my life and done my best, An example tried to be. So, can I take that step beyond And set my spirit free? I didn't want to go at first; I fought with all my might! But something seems to draw me now To a warm and lovely light. I want to go; I really do. It's really difficult to stay. But I will try as best I can, To live just one more day; To give you time to care for me, And share your love and fears. I know you're sad and are afraid, Because I see your tears. I'll not be far; I promise that; And hope you'll always know That my spirit will be close to you, Wherever you may go. Thank you so for loving me, You know I love you too. That's why it's hard to say "Goodbye". And end this life with you. So hold me now just one more time, And let me hear you say, Because you care so much for me, You'll let me go today.

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Larry James Giesinger, 73, Bismarck, ND, joined his beloved granddaughter Kendra in heaven on August 18, 2018. He passed peacefully surrounded by his wife and three children.

Larry was born in Hazen, ND on January 10, 1945 and his family later moved to Mandan. Larry graduated from Mandan High School in 1963 and married his high school sweetheart, Sylvia Fibiger on June 27, 1964. They raised their three "perfect" children in Bismarck. The majority of Larry's career was spent at NCDC (North Central Data

Cooperative), now NISC (National Information Solutions Cooperative). He worked as an education manager and project manager, traveling throughout the country to telephone and utility cooperatives. He was passionate about his work and enjoyed helping his customers and employees succeed.

Larry was so very proud of his children and grandchildren. His life centered around spending time with family whenever possible. Larry was so excited to meet each new grandchild who call him "Papa Larry".

Papa Larry kept the family happy with food, including German favorite knoephla and kraut, porcupine meatballs, banana bread, apple and pumpkin pies, Chex Mix and more. He also helped make and transport Sylvia's coveted caramel rolls. Larry enjoyed boating, fishing, bowling, playing cards, watching Clint Eastwood movies and sports, talking about politics, and especially joking around with his children and grandchildren.

Larry will be deeply missed by his wife of 54 years, Sylvia; children Scott (Sue) Giesinger (Onalaska, WI), Terri (Tom) Lindfors (Champlin, MN), Jason (Ashley) Giesinger (Keller, TX); grandchildren Cole Lindfors, Joshua and Katelyn Giesinger, Georgia, Amabel, Willa, and August Giesinger; his sister Judy (Dieter) Roesel (St. Augustin, Germany); and brother Eldon (Milvi) Giesinger (El Sobrante, CA). He was preceded in death by his granddaughter Kendra Lindfors, parents Ralph and Ida Giesinger, and brother Dennis Giesinger.

Larry's wish is for his ashes to be buried next to his granddaughter Kendra in New Hope, MN at Gethsemane Cemetery. Burial will be scheduled at a later date. In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to the Kendra Rae Lindfors Memorial Scholarship Fund.

Following the service the family invites you for lunch and fellowship at the Mandan Eagles.

1400 Collins Ave, Mandan, ND

In Loving Memory Of Larry J. Giesinger Admuary 10, 1945-August 18, 2018

Prayer Service Wednesday, August 22, 2018; 7:00 PM

Weigel Funeral Home

Presider Deacon Gary Mizeur Vigil Musician Debbie Rogers

Funeral Liturgy Thursday, August 23, 2018; 10:30 AM

Spirit of Life Catholic Church

801 1st Street SE, Mandan, ND

Celebrant Rev. Chris Kadrmas

Musicians Spirit of Life Music Ministry

Eucharistic Minister Sharon Schmidt

Prelude "Für Elise"

Opening Song "On Eagle's Wings"

Liturgy of the Word

Old Testament Reading Wisdom 3:1-9

Lector Sue Bartholomay Giesinger

Psalm 23

"The Lord is my shepherd, there is nothing I shall want"

New Testament Reading 2 Corinthians 4:14—5:1

Ashley Kirk Giesinger

Gospel Reading
John 14:1-6

Liturgy of the Eucharist

Preparation of Gifts Song "Ave Maria"

Presentation of Gifts
Consecration of Eucharist

Responsorial Psalm

Lector

Homily

Communion Song "Amazing Grace"

Final Commendation "Song of Farewell"

Closing Song "Für Elise"

Gift Bearers - Larry's Grandchildren

Cole Lindfors - Kendra Lindfors in spirit - Joshua Giesinger - Katelyn Giesinger Georgia Giesinger - Amabel Giesinger - Willa Giesinger - August Giesinger

Urn Bearers

Scott Giesinger & Jason Giesinger