



Miss Me, But Let Me Go

*When I come to the end of the road
and the sun has set for me,
I want no rites in a gloom-filled room,
Why cry for a soul set free.
Miss me a little, but not too long,
and not with your head bowed low.
Remember the love that we once shared,
miss me, but let me go.
For this journey we all must take,
and each must go alone.
It's all part of the Master's plan,
a step on the road to home.
When you are lonely and sick of heart,
go to the friends we know.
And bury your sorrows in doing good deeds.
Miss me, but let me go.*



In Loving Memory



Barbara Schaff

November 30, 1931 - June 23, 2024

*Beloved Wife,
Mother, & Grandmother*



Barbara Schaff was born November 30, 1931, in Almont, ND to Roy and Annie (Schaner) Doll.

On November 13, 1951, she married Anton Schaff at St. Joseph's Catholic Church in Glen Ullin. Barbara spent 25 years farming and raising cattle with her husband in St. Anthony, Towner and Steele where they raised their five children. After retiring from farming, they moved to Mandan in 1977 where she did all the painting and finish work in their home building business. In 1985, she worked as a bookkeeper at D&S Auto and Trailer Sales until she retired.

Spending time with her husband, children and grandchildren was most important to Barbara and she often said they were her pride and joy. She also enjoyed cooking, gardening, canning, playing cards, putting together puzzles, crocheting afghans for her family, singing, listening to old time music and dancing.

Barbara is survived by her five children, Sharon (Dwayne) Wahl, Bismarck, ND; Patrick (Loretta) Schaff, Towner, ND; David (Theresa) Schaff, Enumclaw, WA; Annette (Kenneth) Miller, Mandan, ND; and Diane (Tom) Sayles, San Antonio, TX; eleven grandchildren: Jackie (Steve) Larson, Minot, ND; Tracy (Mary) Schaff, Tacoma, WA; Brad (Tiffany) Schaff, North Mankato, MN; Jesse (Traci) Miller, St. Anthony, ND; Billy (Karmen) Wahl, Mandan, ND; Timothy (Mandy) Schaff, Buckley, WA; Jason (Kristen) Schaff, Grand Forks, ND; Wade (Dani) Miller, Bismarck, ND; Michael (Maria) Wahl, Ruther Glen, VA; Preston (Lauren) Wahl, Sugar Land, TX; and step-grandson, Blake Sayles, San Antonio, TX; 23 great-grandchildren, Taylor (fiancé Colten Haider) Best, Minot, ND; Keenan Best, Berthold, ND; Carter and Kate Schaff, North Mankato, MN; Quinn and Parker Schaff, Grand Forks, ND; Kalia, Kai, Kieran, and Karina Schaff, Buckley, WA; Eliza Schaff, Tacoma, WA; Colton, Mackenna and Garrett Miller, St. Anthony, ND; Wyatt and Killian Miller, Bismarck, ND; Ava, Mya, and Bear Wahl, Ruther Glen, VA; Scarlett and William Wahl, Mandan, ND; Murphy and Virginia Wahl, Sugar Land, TX; step-great grandson: Carter Sayles, San Antonio, TX; four sisters: Clara (Jim) Wetsch, Mandan, ND; Perpetua (Raymond) Hegel, Olympia, WA; Lucille (Jerome) Messer, Moses Lake, WA; Alice (Gary) Butler, Mandan, ND; sister-in-law; Janice (Leonard) Doll, DeSmet, SD; and brother, Leo (Rosaline) Doll, Glendive, MT.

She was preceded in death by her parents; husband, Anton; her sisters: Delores Doll, Mary Emter Hintz; sister-in-law, Ann (Steve) Doll; her brothers: Leonard Doll, Steve Doll; brothers-in-law; Ray (Perpetua) Hegel, Jim (Clara) Wetsch, Gary (Alice) Butler, Jerome (Lucille) Messer, Mike Emter and Darrell (Mary) Hintz; her grandparents and many aunts and uncles.

Parish Rosary & Vigil

Thursday | June 27, 2024 | 7:00 PM
Weigel Funeral Home

Presider

Fr. Fred Harvey

Funeral Liturgy

Friday | June 28, 2024 | 11:00 AM

Christ the King Catholic Church

Celebrant

Fr. Fred Harvey

Musicians

Alice Gerhardt & Vance Krebs

Prelude

“Amazing Grace”

Processional

“Here I Am, Lord”

Liturgy of the Word

Old Testament Reading

Proverbs 31:10ff

Response

Psalm 23

“The Lord is my shepherd, there is nothing I shall want.”

New Testament Reading

Romans 14:7-9, 10b-12

Gospel Reading

John 14:1-6

Homily

Liturgy of the Eucharist

Preparation of Gifts Song

“Be Not Afraid”

Presentation of Gifts

Eucharistic Prayer

Communion Song

“I Am The Bread Of Life”

Communion Meditation

“Hail Mary, Gentle Woman”

Final Commendation

“Song of Farewell”

Recessional

“On Eagle's Wings”

Casket Bearers

Jackie Larson ~ Brad Schaff ~ Jason Schaff ~ Jesse Miller

Wade Miller ~ Billy Wahl ~ Michael Wahl ~ Preston Wahl

Blake Sayles ~ Timothy Schaff ~ Tracy Schaff

Graveside Service

Mandan Union Cemetery

*The family invites you for lunch and fellowship at
the Agnes Larkin Parish Life Center at Christ the King following the burial service.*

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offer words of sympathy



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Celebration of Life video.

