

Darlene Mathilda Soberg was born on February 8, 1937, a twin, to Grant and Olive (Hoiium) Soberg. She was born handicapped but never let that stop her. She was a determined, independent woman. Her sister Wanda tried to teach her to ride bike and her twin brother, Buddy tried to teach her to drive. Both ventures were unsuccessful but not for a lack of effort by Darlene.

She graduated from Alexandria High School in 1955 and went to Minneapolis School of Business receiving her degree. After graduation she moved to California for a short time, returning to live in Minneapolis to begin a career with Carlson Companies on October 26, 1959. Darlene worked in Payroll at Carlson Companies until 1970 and was promoted to several different positions during her tenure. Darlene was always willing to do any task assigned and you can be assured that the job would be done in a thorough and professional manner.

She will be remembered for her laugh and that she didn't take herself seriously. Darlene would also tell everyone "She was 26" -- even 56 years later.

Darlene died four days after her 82nd birthday. She is survived by her sisters: Gudron (Fred) Lowder of Escondido, CA; Lenora Ley of Sartell, MN; Wanda (LeRoy) Karrow of Alexandria; sister-in-law: Elaine Soberg of New Brighton.

She was preceded in death by her parents; twin brother, David (Buddy); brother -in-law, Milton.

And God Said

I said "God I Hurt"
And God said "I Know"
I said "God, I cry a lot"
And God said
"That's why I gave you tears"
I said "God I'm so depressed"
And God said
"That's why I gave you sunshine"
I said "God Life is so Hard"
And God said
"That's why I gave you loved ones"
I said "God, my loved one died."
And God said "so did mine"
I said "God it's such a loss"
And God said
"I watched mine nailed to a cross"
I said "But God, Your loved one lives."
And God said "So does yours."
I said God, "Where are they now?"
And God said, "Mine is on my right and
yours is in the light."
I said "God it hurts"
And God said "I know"

In Loving Memory Of

Darlene M. Soberg

February 8, 1937 † February 12, 2019

Funeral Service

Anderson Funeral Home
Alexandria, Minnesota
Monday, February 18, 2019
1:00 PM

Officiant

Reverend Ben Jacobson

Musical Selections By

Cheryl Ley
Richard Witteman
Debra Witteman

Casket Bearers

Kevin Ley	Michael Karrow
Scott Soberg	Stephen Soberg
Chris Ley	Cory Ley

Burial

Evergreen Cemetery
Alexandria, Minnesota

Arrangements

Anderson Funeral Home
Alexandria, Minnesota