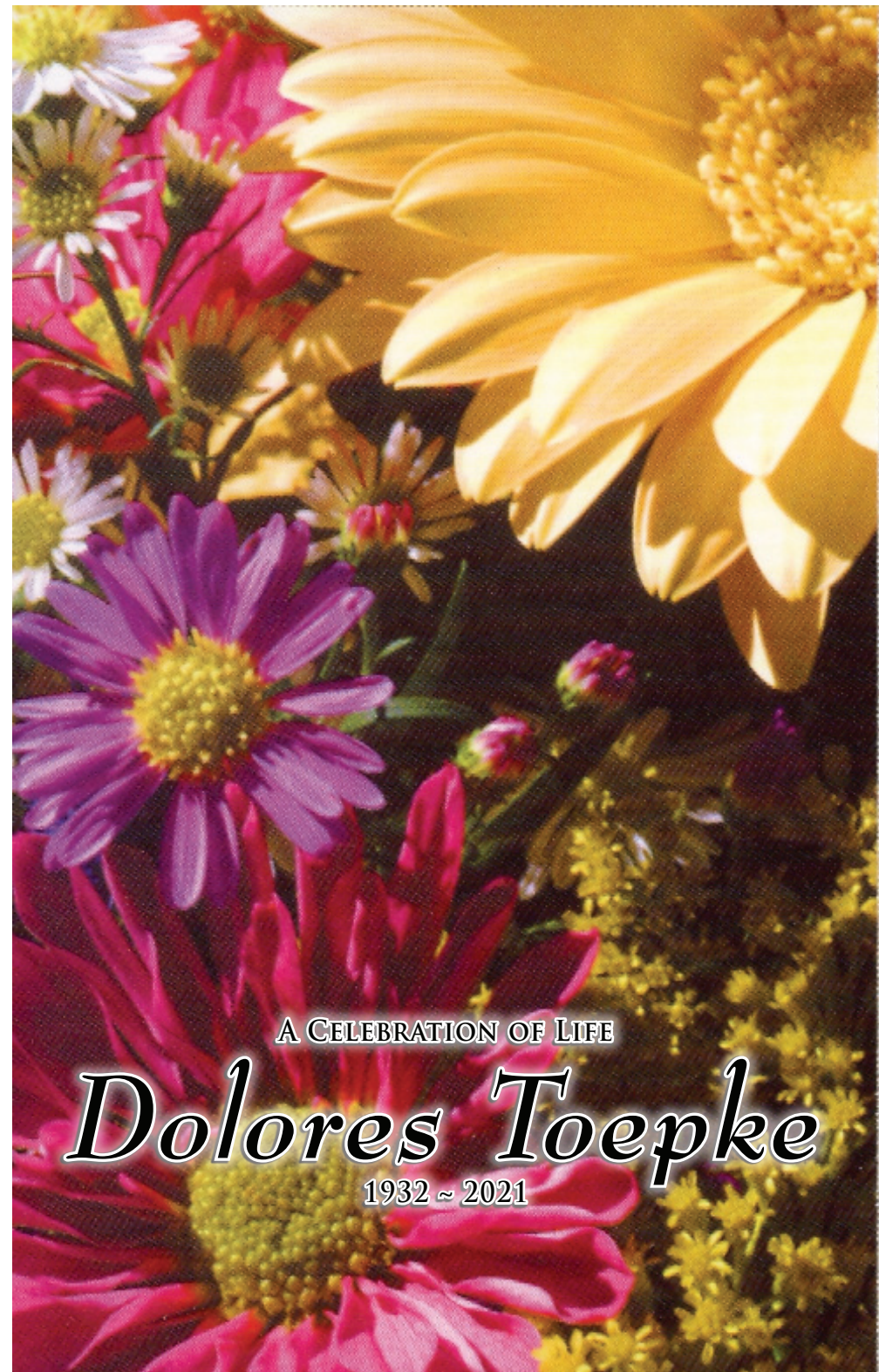


*Miss Me, But Let Me Go*  
*When I come to the end of the road*  
*and the sun has set for me,*  
*I want no rites in a gloom-filled room,*  
*Why cry for a soul set free.*  
*Miss me a little, but not too long,*  
*and not with your head bowed low.*  
*Remember the love that we once shared,*  
*miss 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.*



A CELEBRATION OF LIFE

*Dolores Toepke*

1932 ~ 2021



**Dolores Toepke**, 88, Mandan, died January 10, 2021 at Richardton Health Care Center.

Dolores was born August 8, 1932 in Almont, the third of six daughters to Valentine and Barbara (Wetzstein) Kary. Raised and educated in Almont, she graduated in 1949. On August 11, 1952 she married Wallace Toepke. They made their home in Mandan where they raised their three sons. Dolores

enjoyed raising a huge garden and canning the produce. She was a wonderful cook and baker, making homemade breads and cookies. Dolores enjoyed taking walks and cherished time with her family and friends.

Blessed to have shared in her life are her three sons, Patrick, Jay, and Kirk Toepke; 5 grandchildren, Travis J., Greta, Travis C., Justin, and Courtney; and 9 great-grandchildren, Cheyenne, Meranda, Andrew, Riley, Ilia, Alex, Ryan, Aaron, and Tabitha.

Dolores was preceded in death by her husband, Wallace, in 2012; her parents; two sisters, Elvina and Irene; and two great grandsons, Alexander Blake and Patrick August.

**Memorial Service**

Saturday, February 13, 2021; 10:00 AM

Buehler-Larson Funeral Home

Mandan, North Dakota

Deacon Randy Froelich

**Officiant**

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CELEBRATING THE LIFE OF DOLORES TOEPKE

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Prelude "The Old Rugged Cross"

Opening Prayers

Old Testament Reading Thessalonians 4:13-18

Responsorial Psalm Psalm 23

*"The Lord is my Shepherd; there is nothing I shall want."*

Gospel Reading John 14:1-6

Homily

Song "On Eagle's Wings"

Final Commendation

Postlude "Hallelujah"

***Committal will be at Mandan Union Cemetery  
immediatley following the memorial service.***

***Please go to [www.BuehlerLarson.com](http://www.BuehlerLarson.com) to share memories of Dolores.***