God Saw You

God saw you were getting tired And a cure was not to be, So He put His arms around you And whispered, "Come with me." With tearful eyes we watched you suffer And saw you fade away, Although we loved you dearly We could not make you stay. A golden heart stopped beating Hard working hands to rest, God broke our hearts to prove to us He only takes the best.





Stanley S. Gerhardt, 80, Mandan, passed away November 24, 2018, at his residence in Mandan.

Stanley Gerhardt was born June 18, 1938, in Mandan to William and Elizabeth (Vogel) Gerhardt. He was raised and educated in the Flasher area. He married Lorraine Hatzenbuehler on June 10, 1958, in Mandan.

Stanley was a very hard worker having learned while working on a farm. He was a very outgoing

person and was a jokester. Stanley was a generous soul and would help anyone. He loved camping, fishing, and hunting. He belonged to Teamsters Union. His greatest pride was his children and grandchildren. He'll be remembered for his grace and sweet disposition, the love of people, and life, which stayed with him until the end.

Stanley will be deeply missed by his wife, Lorraine; daughter Tammy (Cliff) Zearley, Mandan; son, Jeff Gerhardt, Mandan; grandchildren, Austyn Bruington (special friend Jon Dobier), Tucker Bruington (special friend Ashlynn Munyer); great step-grandchildren, Karson and Jonathon; sister, Irene Muth, Portland, OR.

Stanley was preceded in death by his parents; sisters, Eva (John) Swanson, Rose (Carl) Landwall, Eleanore (Ervin) Stein; brothers, Matt (Margaret) Gerhardt, Val (Vi) Gerhardt; and brother-in-law, Clarence Muth.

> Following the burial the family invites you for lunch and fellowship at the Mandan Eagles, 1400 Collins Ave, Mandan, ND.

In Loving Memory Of Stanley S. Gerhardt

June 18, 1938 — November 24, 2018

Parish Rosary/Vigil Tuesday, November 27, 2018; 7:00 p.m. Weigel Funeral Home Presider **Deacon Randy Frohlich Funeral Liturgy** Wednesday, November 28, 2018; 10:30 a.m. Saint Joseph Catholic Church Celebrant **Rev. Jarad Wolf** Musicians Melissa Mosbrucker & Gene Mosbrucker Lector **Katarina Johnson** "The Old Rugged Cross" Prelude **Opening Song** "Here I Am, Lord" Liturgy of the Word Old Testament Reading Sirach 3:2-6, 12-14 **Responsorial Psalm** Psalm 25 "To you, O Lord, I lift my soul." New Testament Reading Romans 6:3-4, 8-9 **Gospel Reading** John 12:23-26 Homily Liturgy of the Eucharist Preparation of Gifts Song "I Have Loved You" Presentation of Gifts Austyn Bruington ~ Tucker Bruington Jon Dobier ~ Ashlynn Munyer Consecration of Eucharist **Communion Songs** "Be Not Afraid" & "On Eagle's Wings" "How Great Thou Art" **Communion Meditation Final Commendation** "Old Hundredth" "Amazing Grace" Closing Song

Casket Bearers

Sheldon Stein ~ Randy Stein ~ Jerry Ehli Jim Hatzenbuehler ~ John Hatzenbuhler ~ Calvin Schmidt

Interment

Mandan Union Cemetery Mandan, North Dakota