

I THOUGHT OF YOU
WITH LOVE TODAY

I thought of you with love today,

but that is nothing new.

I thought about you yesterday,

and days before that too.

I think of you in silence,

I often speak your name.

All I have are memories
and a picture in a frame.

Your memory is a keepsake,
with which I'll never part.

God has you in His keeping,

I have you in my heart.

- Author Unknown



Larry Tollefson

1946 ~ 2018





Larry D. Tollefson, 71, Mandan, passed away on August 12, 2018, at a Bismarck hospital with his wife and daughter by his side.

Larry was born in Dickinson, ND on September 4, 1946, to Amos and Phyllis (Chase) Tollefson. He grew up in Regent, ND and graduated 13th in his class from Regent High School. He joined the Navy in September 1965 and served as an electrician aboard the USS Bugara & the USS Razorback, both diesel submarines. He served four tours during the Vietnam Conflict and was honorably discharged.

On March 7, 1970, he married Catherine Lauber. His electrical training in the military qualified him as an apprentice electrician. He began his career in Dickinson while Cathy finished college. In 1979, Larry became an electrical contractor and opened Larry's Electric of Mandan. He retired in 2012 and enjoyed wintering in Arizona. Larry never met a person he didn't call a friend and loved to share his passion for hunting and fishing. He was a talented knife builder and a wonderful storyteller.

Those who mourn his passing include his wife of 48 years, Cathy Tollefson; daughter, Bethany (Rob) Hillenbrand; two grandsons, Tyler & Ryan Hillenbrand; brothers, Doug (Julie) Tollefson and Phil (Bev) Tollefson; sister, Sharon (Bruce) Schueller; mother-in-law, Dorothy Lauber; and many nieces and nephews.

Larry was preceded in death by his son, Robert; his parents, Amos and Phyllis Tollefson; and his father-in-law, William Lauber.

In lieu of flowers, memorials are preferred to the North Dakota Veterans Cemetery.

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

Funeral Liturgy

Saturday, August 18, 2018; 1:30 PM

Christ the King Catholic Church

Mandan, North Dakota

Monsignor Chad Gion

Deacon Donald Gion

Celebrant

Assisting

Musicians

Mary Stumpf, David Helvig, & Colleen Hathaway

Prelude

“Be Not Afraid”

Opening Song

“On Eagles Wings”

Liturgy of the Word

First Reading

Isaiah 25:6a, 7-9

Responsorial Psalm

Psalm 27

Second Reading

Romans 8:31b-35, 37-39

Gospel Reading

John 6:37-40

Homily

Final Commendation

Closing Song

“Go Rest High On That Mountain”

The family invites you to join them for food and fellowship at the

Agnes Larkin Parish Life Center following the funeral.



Committal will take place at 9:00 AM on Monday, August 20, 2018

at the North Dakota Veterans Cemetery.