



*May the  
God of hope  
fill you  
with all joy and peace in  
believing, so that by the  
power of the Holy Spirit  
you may abound in hope.*

*Romans 15:13*

In Loving Memory Of

# *Marilyn Jolene Lohse*

April 28, 1962

Willmar, Minnesota

March 20, 2023

St. Cloud, Minnesota

## **Celebration of Life Service**

Saturday, March 25, 2023 - 10:00 a.m.

St. John's Lutheran Church

Raymond, Minnesota

### **Officiant**

Pastor Dane Skilbred

### **Music**

"Beautiful Savior"

"When Peace, Like A River (It Is Well With My Soul)"

"Bind Us Together"

"In Christ Alone"

Deb Brandt Brian Brandt

### **Organist**

Marilyn Goeman

Arrangements By

*Peterson Brothers Funeral Home*

*"Celebrating A Life Remembered"*

Marilyn was born on April 28, 1962, in Willmar, to parents Marvin and Marion Bohlsen. She grew up on a farm near Bunde and attended Central Minnesota Christian School in Prinsburg.

On November 6, 1981, she married her high school sweetheart, Brian Lohse and they celebrated their 40 year anniversary in 2022. Marilyn earned a bachelor's degree in Elementary School Education in 1984 and a Master of Science in the same field in 2002. She attended Dordt University in Sioux Center, Iowa, Southwest Minnesota State University in Marshall, and Morris Community College. She worked with MACCRAY Elementary schools for 27 years where she taught 4th-6th grades, implemented the Gifted and Talented Program, Chess Club, and participated in other after-school activities.

Starting at the age of 16, Marilyn played organ for Bunde Christian Reformed Church and continued at St. John's Lutheran Church for 42 years. She enjoyed her passion of teaching through piano lessons and elementary school education. She retired in May of 2021 and continued her hobbies of gardening, camping, sewing and quilting, along with traveling with her husband, Brian.

Marilyn is survived by her husband; Brian Lohse, three daughters; Brianna Kemboi, Khia (and Sebrina) Loza, and Kimberly Lohse, one granddaughter; Leah Kemboi, three sisters; Beverly (and Dave) Jensen, Barbara Niehaus, and Lois (and Thomas) Coatney, and sister in-law Pamela (and Jeffrey) Maag, along with many nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by her parents; Marvin and Marion Bohlsen, and her father and mother in-law, Harlan and Sylvia Lohse.