

In Loving Memory
Our Beloved Mother, Grandmother, Sister, Aunt,
Niece, Cousin and Friend

Martina Ann Jackson

“Wakan Omani Win”
(Walks Holy Woman)

BEGAN HER EARTHLY JOURNEY

Saturday, August 26, 1961 Devils Lake, North Dakota

BEGAN HER SACRED JOURNEY HOME TO HEAVEN

Wednesday, October 18, 2023 Devils Lake, North Dakota

MASS OF CHRISTIAN BURIAL

St. Michael's Catholic Church

St. Michael, North Dakota

Friday, October 20, 2023 ~ 10:00 a.m.

CELEBRANT

Reverend Paul Schuster

DRUM GROUPS

Lake Region Singers

All Drummers and Singers are welcome to share their songs in memory of Tina

ACTIVE PALLBEARERS

Danny Many Ribs Jr. ~ Joel Redfox ~ MaCante Azure ~ Todd Rough Jr.

Lydell Merrick ~ Cody Merrick ~ Jamison Touche

HONORARY BEARERS

Phillip “Scooter” Lohnes ~ Helena Littleghost ~ Arlene Belgarde ~ Karen Jackson

Yvonne Merrick ~ Renae Merrick ~ Tyson Merrick ~ Frankie Chaske ~ Craig Estenson

Cora Whiteman ~ Corrie Shaw ~ Kathy Redroad ~ Roseann Redroad ~ Kevin Redroad

Darcie Delorme and Family ~ Lonna and Richard Street ~ Clarice and Josie Lawrence

Debbie and Dave Cavanaugh ~ Duane and Adeline Jackson ~ Raymond and Maxine Buckles

Byron and Melissa Brady ~ Lyda Bearstail and Family ~ Eugene and Sylvia Hale

Melvine and T.J. Reierson ~ Alice and Dallas Dogskin

The Littlewind Girls (Hopsty, Carmen, Delphine, Germaine, and Onna)

EARTHLY PLACE OF PEACEFUL REST

St. Michael's Cemetery

St. Michael, North Dakota

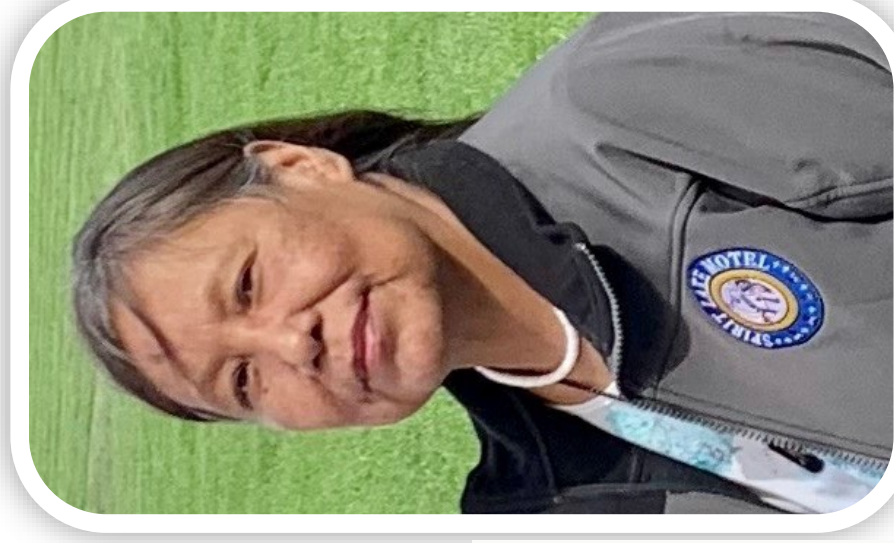
Jesus said:

“I am the light of the world.

He that follows me

shall not walk in darkness,

But shall have the light of life.”



Those we
love don't
go away.
They walk beside
us everyday. Unseen
unheard but always near
still loved, still missed
and very dear 

Remembering the beautiful life of....

Martina Ann Jackson, 62 of St. Michael ND passed away on Wednesday, October 18, 2023, at CHI, St. Alexius Health, Devils Lake Hospital. Surrounded by her loving family, Martina left this world peacefully and began her journey to the Spirit World.

Martina Ann Jackson, daughter of Rita and Sylvester Jackson was born on August 26, 1961, at Devils Lake ND. She grew up in the St. Michael's District of the Spirit Lake Nation and called it home her entire life. She was educated in Fort Totten and graduated from Four Winds High School with the class of 1979. In school she participated in track (cross country runner) and cheerleading.

Martina was a loving mother to LaRae and Courtney, and after marrying Bruce Touche Sr., they added two more precious children Bruce and Savannah and together they raised and nurtured this beautiful family with love and care throughout the years.

Martina worked for a time as a slot attendant at the Spirit Lake Casino, her true calling was raising her children and doting on her grandchildren. Martina poured all her love into creating a welcoming home where friends and family were always welcome. Conversations would flow freely while enjoying good food or engaging in card games, dice games, or movie nights together. She found solace and joy in reading a variety of books and kept alive a deep faith and spiritual connection with her Creator and Mother Earth.

Those left to cherish her memory include her children Courtney Jackson, Savannah (Kyle) Stroh and Bruce Touche; grandchildren Sanders, Parrish, Diamond, and Quinesha; Jamison, Heaven, Dashawn, Jordan, Julin, Savanna Jade, Janelle and Franklin; Bruce Jr., Julita, Brandon, Maryana, and Blake; MaCante; sisters Merle (Barnie) Botone, Mary Rose LeBeau, Lorna (Delmer) Youngbird, Marty Jackson, Brenda Jackson and Jeanetta Jackson; brothers Carl Merrick, Sam Merrick Sr., Raymond Merrick, Darin Jackson and Wesley Jackson; aunts Alfreda (Bob) Charboneau, Doris Jackson, Pauline Merrick, Diane Jackson and Carol Black; uncle Jim Baker; special friend John Sherman; many dear nieces, nephews and their families.

Preceded to Heaven by her parents Rita and Sylvester, daughter LaRae Jackson, grandson Tyler Cavanaugh, brother Kenny Merrick Sr., sister Mardell Jackson, grandparents Louisa Jackson, John Jackson, Louie Jackson and Katherine Black Jackson, aunts Alvina Jackson Bear, JoAnne Jackson Redroad and Marie Jackson, uncle Wilfred Jackson, niece Hope Rough, nephews Kenny Merrick Jr. and Richie Street, cousins Sandra K. Jackson and Patricia Jackson Robertson.

T I N A J A C K S O N



*A Mother holds her children's
hands for awhile,
their hearts forever.*