

Cheryl was born on September 12, 1948, to Vernon and Frances (Weyhrich) Brummels in Osmond, Nebraska. She grew up on a farm northeast of Randolph where she attended District 115, Prospect Hill Country School and eventually graduated from Randolph Public High School with the Class of 1966. Majoring in English with a minor in history, Cheryl received a Bachelor of Arts from Kearney State College in 1975 and in 1995 her Masters of Science in Education from Wayne State College.

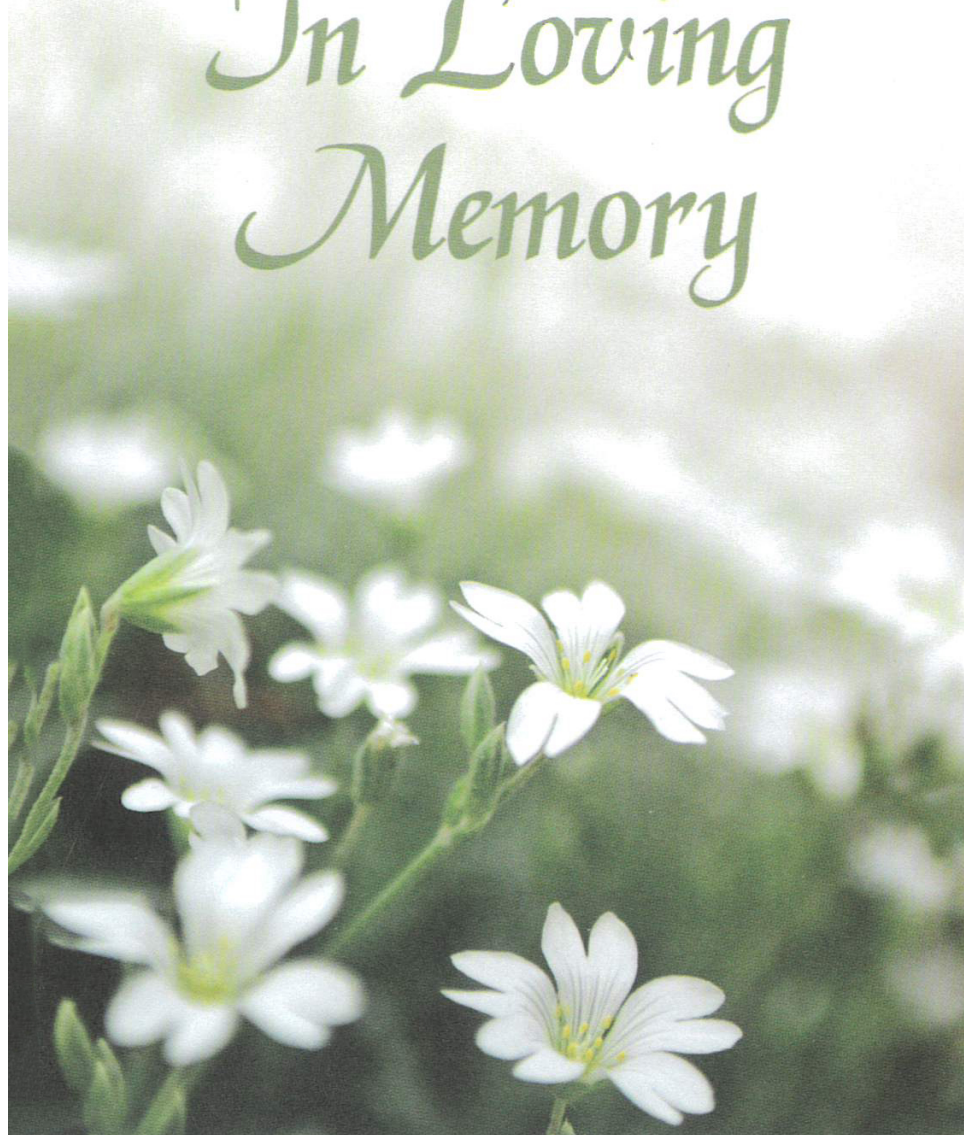
After a brief time living in Colorado, Cheryl moved back to Nebraska. On August 28, 1971, she was united in marriage to Gary Anthony Meier. To this marriage three daughters were born, Catherine, Rebecca, and Rachael. They moved to Orchard in 1978 where Cheryl started her teaching career at Orchard Public School. In 1992 she went on to teach at Wayne State College for nearly twenty-five years. Cheryl and Gary remained in Orchard through their lives where they enjoyed raising their family, restoring their beautiful, old home, and spending precious time making memories with their grandchildren.

Cheryl was passionate about her writing, finding great joy in imagining stories and working on her manuscripts. She also found pleasure in sewing, quilting, gardening, and taking walks. Those who knew her remember her as someone who was a good listener, someone you could confide in, and always someone you could go to for advice or a helping hand. Cheryl's faith was a deep and abiding constant that carried her through her life. She was an active member of St. Peter's Lutheran Church in Orchard from the time they moved to town until 2013 when she became a member of her parents' and grandparents' home church Concordia Lutheran in Clearwater. In addition to Ladies' Aid, Cheryl served as the secretary and treasurer there over the years.

Survived by her daughters: Catherine Meier (Chris O'Brien) of Finland, MN; Rebecca (Kurt) Bravo of Ft. Pierce, FL; Rachael (Mike) Barlow of Ewing, NE; eight grandchildren: Dylan and Cedar O'Brien, Riley Montgomery, Hannah and Chase Bravo, and Jack, Tessa, and Kate Barlow; Cheryl's mother Frances Brummels of Ewing, NE; Brothers: Gary (Lynn) Brummels of Waukee, IA; Jim Brummels of Wayne, NE; Rod (Jane) Brummels of Osmond, NE; Roger (Lori) Brummels of Norfolk, NE; Ed (Sandy) Brummels of Osmond, NE; Dan (Jo) Brummels of Ewing, NE; sister-in-laws Lin Brummels of Winside, NE; sister-in-laws Connie Tufte of Hermosa, SD, and Rhonda (Brad) Kobold of Sergeant Bluff, IA; and brother-in-law Dennis Meier of Durham, NC; and many nieces and nephews.

Preceded in death by her husband Gary, her father, Vernon Brummels, father-in-law Laurence Meier, mother-in-law Charlotte Meier, her grandparents Harry and Ida Brummels and Edward and Anna Weyhrich, brothers-in-laws Dwayne Meier and Roger Tufte, and sister-in-law Mary Nelson.

In Loving Memory



In Memory of
Cheryl Ann Meier
Orchard, Nebraska

"Peace I leave with you;

my peace I give to you.

Not as the world gives do I give to you.

Let not your hearts be troubled,

neither let them be afraid".

John 14:27

We deeply appreciate the tribute accorded to our loved one by your presence here today. We would be pleased if you could join us for lunch and fellowship following the committal service in the church basement.

~ Cheryl's family

Date of Birth

September 12, 1948
Osmond, Nebraska

Date of Death

June 6, 2024
Orchard, Nebraska

Funeral Services

10:30 a.m. Wednesday, June 12, 2024
Concordia Lutheran Church
Clearwater, Nebraska
Pastor Jon Sollberger ~ Officiating
Sherri Ahlers ~ Organist

Pallbearers

Chris O'Brien Dylan O'Brien
Kurt Bravo Riley Montgomery
Mike Barlow Jack Barlow

Burial

Ewing City Cemetery
Ewing, Nebraska



Snider Memorial Funeral Home
Clearwater, Nebraska
www.snidermemorial.com

