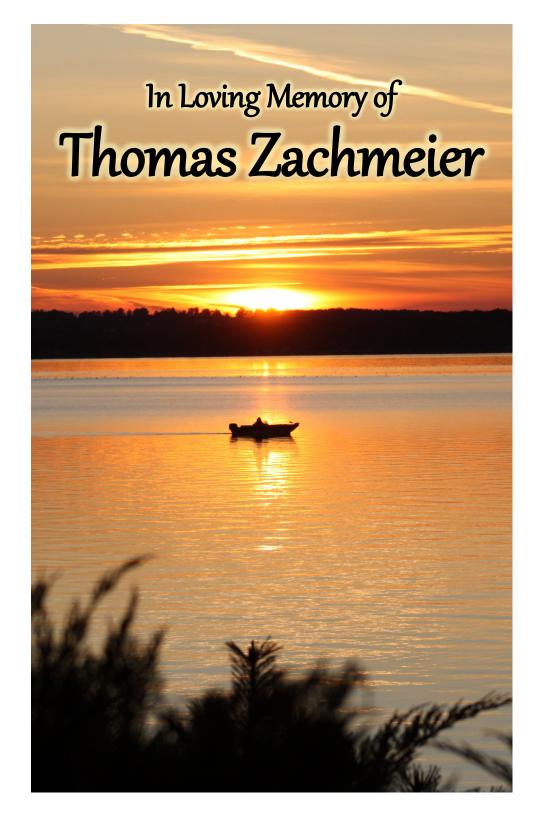
# God Saw You

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.

Bud<mark>dy ~ Thank you for being my specia</mark>l gift. Love, Grandpa





Thomas Zachmeier

January 19, 1946 — May 3, 2022

Thomas "Tom" Zachmeier, 76, of Mandan, passed away May 3, 2022, at his home with family around him.

Tom was born on January 19, 1946, at St. Alexius Hospital in Bismarck to Harry and Katherine (Jiran) Zachmeier. He attended Mandan High School.

In 1965, Tom enlisted in the Army National Guard and served for 6 years. Returning home, he worked as a water well driller and manufacturer for 40 years, owning Zachmeier Well Drilling.

On July 6, 1968, Tom married the love of his life, Colleen Peake, at St. Joseph Catholic Church in Mandan. They made their home along the Missouri River, north of Mandan, where they raised three wonderful children, Jerry, Sheri, and Brandee.

He belonged to several organizations including the Legion Club, Water Well Association, and was a member of St. Joseph Catholic Church.

Tom is survived by his wife of 53 years, Colleen; children, Jerry (Amy) Zachmeier, Sheri Zachmeier, and Brandee (Shane) Gramling; eight grandchildren; two great-grandchildren; and siblings, Wally (Lyla) Zachmeier, Loretta (Tom) Landeis, and Leo (Jodene) Zachmeier.

He was preceded in death by his parents; five brothers, Bill, Ed, Albert, Jim, and Louie; and one sister, Harriet McFerran.

Please go to www.BuehlerLarson.com to share memories of Tom.

Parish Rosary/Vigil Monday, May 9, 2022; 7:00 PM

Buehler-Larson Funeral Home
Presider Deacon Randy Frohlich

Funeral Liturgy Tuesday, May 10, 2022; 10:30 AM

St. Joseph Catholic Church

Celebrant Father Josh Waltz
Musicians Phil Horn & Gene Mosbrucker

Prelude "The Old Rugged Cross"

Opening Song "On Eagle's Wings"

### Liturgy of the Word

Old Testament Reading Ecclesiastes 3:1-11

Lector Vicki Peake
Responsorial Psalm Psalm 23

"The Lord is my shepherd, there is nothing I shall want."

New Testament Reading Revelation 20:11-21:1

Lector Kelley Franklund
Gospel Reading Matthew 5:1-12a

Homily

#### **Liturgy of the Eucharist**

Preparation of Gifts Song "Be Not Afraid"

Presentation of Gifts Madysen Zachmeier & Sara Zachmeier

Eucharistic Prayer

Communion Song "I Am The Resurrection & The Life"
Communion Meditation "I Am The Bread Of Life"
Final Commendation "Song Of Farewell"

Closing Song "Amazing Grace"

#### **Pallbearers**

Blaine Zachmeier ~ Andy Zachmeier ~ Bruce Zachmeier ~ Larry Orgard

## **Honorary Pallbearers**

Gary McFerran ~ Tony Zachmeier ~ Lyle Zachmeier ~ Brandon Christenson

**Graveside Service** 

**North Dakota Veterans Cemetery** 

Mandan, North Dakota



Following the burial, the family invites you for lunch and fellowship at Powerhouse Bar & Grill, 501 Burlington Street SE, Mandan.