

In Loving Memory of
Walter G. Sailer

September 13, 1931 ~ February 19, 2024

Memorial Service

Tuesday, February 27, 2024 ▪ 10:30 AM
Zion Lutheran Church ▪ 413 E. Ave D
Bismarck, North Dakota

Interment

Tuesday, February 27, 2024 ▪ 2:00 PM
North Dakota Veterans Cemetery
Mandan, North Dakota

Preservice Music

Invocation

The Collect

Psalm 90

Hymn

Scripture Readings

“I Know that My Redeemer Lives” LSB 461 vs 1-4

Isiah 30:19-21

1 Corinthians 15:51-57

John 14:1-6

LSB 718

Hymn

“Jesus Lead Thou On”

Sermon

Apostles’ Creed

Special Music

Prayers

Special Music

Hymn

“The Lord’s Prayer”

“Amazing Grace”

LSB 744

Benediction

Recessional

Officiating Rev. Thomas R Marcis, Jr

Organist Evelyn Orth

Soloist Jade Kleser

Reader Whitney Vogel

Following the service, the family invites you to join them for lunch and fellowship at the church.



Tribute Video

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Walter G. Sailer entered the Kingdom of Power, on September 13, 1931, the Kingdom of Grace at his baptism, October 11, 1931 and the Kingdom of Glory on February 19, 2024. “Blessed are the dead which die in the word from henceforth; ‘Yea,’ saith the Spirit, ‘that they may rest from their labors and their works to follow them.’” Rev. 14:13b.

He was born on September 13, 1931 in Hazen, North Dakota to Reinhold and Martha (Kessler) Sailer. He attended elementary school north of Stanton and graduated from Concordia high school in St. Paul Minnesota and also attended Concordia college in Minnesota and St. John College in Windfield, Kansas.

He served during the Korean conflict with United States Army and was honorably discharged in December of 1951.

On November 23, 1955 he married Violet Schweigert.

Wally worked for the North Dakota Department of transportation materials lab for 39 years.

He was a lifelong member of Zion and served as Sunday school superintendent. He also taught confirmation and Sunday School and served on the board of elders.

He was a member of the North Dakota state employees Association, the AMVETS and the American Legion.

Wally enjoyed fishing and spending time at the cabin, but most of all, he enjoyed spending time with his grandchildren.

He is survived by his wife of 68 years, Violet; his children, Sandra and Steven Haux and David and Bernie Sailer; grandchildren and their families, Whitney (Justin) Vogel, Mattea (Preston Bucholz) Haux, Aaron (Emma) Haux and their children, Walter and Evelyn, Ryan (Kelsey) Sailer and their children, Preslei, Luna and Rowan and Andrew Sailer.

He was preceded in death by his parents and his brother, Waldemar Sailer.

Memorials are preferred to Martin Luther school 413 E Ave D, Bismarck, ND 58501

A special thank you to the staff and residents at the Benedictine Living Community for the care and friendship extended to Walter and Violet.





God Saw He Was Getting Tired

*God saw he was getting tired
And a cure was not to be,
So He put His arms around him
And whispered, "Come with me."*

*In tears we watched him suffer
And saw him fade away.
Although we loved him dearly
We could not make him stay.*



Thy Word is a lamp to my feet
and a light unto my path.

Psalm 119:105

