



Sharon Jolene (Kruizenga) Van Veldhuizen, daughter of Paulie and Janet (Vander Velde) Kruizenga, was born October 7, 1942, at Rock Valley, Iowa. She was united in marriage with Bernie Van Veldhuizen on October 23, 1959.

Sharon worked at K-Products and later went on to work for 25 years at Groschopp. Sharon was an avid sprint car race fan and also enjoyed crafts, crocheting, and crossword puzzles.

Sharon died Saturday, March 12, 2022, at Hegg Health Center in Rock Valley at the age of 79.

Survivors include her husband of 62 years, Bernie; 4 children, Linda (Ron) Oelrich of Randolph, Nebraska, Connie (Harlan) Van Otterloo of Hospers, Iowa, Mike (Lety) Van Veldhuizen of Sioux City, Iowa, and Dan Van Veldhuizen of Rock Valley; 11 grandchildren; 15 great-grandchildren; and sister, Paula (Roger) Negaard of Rock Valley.

She was preceded in death by her parents, Paulie and Janet Kruizenga.

*In Loving Memory*  
***Sharon J. Van Veldhuizen***

*October 7, 1942 ~ March 12, 2022*

**FUNERAL SERVICE**

2:00 PM, Wednesday, March 16, 2022

Porter Funeral Home  
Rock Valley, Iowa

**OFFICIATING**

Pastor Jesse Walhof  
Living Water Community Church

**PIANIST**

Amanda Van Otterloo

**MUSICAL SELECTIONS**

*“Amazing Grace”*  
*“How Great Thou Art”*

**HONORARY PALLBEARERS**

Jeff Kats

**PALLBEARERS**

Paul Oelrich ~ David Oelrich  
James Oelrich ~ Stephanie Van Otterloo  
Bryan Van Otterloo ~ Wade Van Otterloo

**INTERMENT**

Valley View Cemetery  
Rock Valley, Iowa

*Sharon’s family invites everyone for a time of food and fellowship at the funeral home following the burial.*

# 23<sup>rd</sup> Psalm

THE LORD IS MY *Shepherd*: I SHALL NOT WANT.  
HE MAKETH ME TO LIE DOWN IN GREEN PASTURES:  
*He leadeth me* BESIDE THE STILL WATERS.  
HE RESTORETH MY SOUL: HE LEADETH ME IN THE  
PATHS OF RIGHTEOUSNESS  
*for His names sake.*  
YEA, THOUGH I WALK THROUGH THE VALLEY OF THE  
SHADOW OF DEATH, *I will fear no evil:*  
FOR THOU ART WITH ME: THY ROD AND  
THY STAFF *they comfort me.*  
THOU PREPAREST A TABLE BEFORE ME IN THE  
PRESENCE OF MINE ENEMIES:  
THOU ANOINTEST MY HEAD WITH OIL:  
*my cup runneth over.*  
SURELY GOODNESS AND MERCY SHALL FOLLOW  
ME ALL THE DAYS OF MY LIFE: AND I WILL  
DWELL IN THE *house of the Lord forever.*



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