

## Spring 2004



Spring 2004 left me with feelings I never felt before.

The beginning of all new things,  
green grass, flowers bloom, birds  
sing.

My mentor and friend, my mother  
The one who came before any other

She taught us love, life, respect and  
such  
Alone by herself, with her own special  
touch

No fortune, fame or money  
But terms of endearment, sweetheart or honey

I wish I could take her place – let it be me  
After all she has been through she should be free

Wondering with each day, is it the last?  
Please dear Lord make this disease quickly part of our past

For every door that closes you always said  
A window will open, it's still in my head

I am waiting for it to open now  
Remaining optimistic the way I know how

Have those three words I love you been said enough?  
I know she knows I was trying to be tough

The time will come when she'll have to go, leaving us to grieve  
But will she truly know the legacy she'll leave?

For when you must take her to rest  
We know, you've taken the best

My friend and mentor, my mother  
The one who was always there before any other.

~ *This was written by Shannon Lenertz when Peggy was diagnosed with cancer. She did recover from this.*

## Peggy Dillon

### Date and Place of Birth

December 20, 1929  
Olney, Illinois

### Date and Place of Death

April 29, 2009  
Minot, North Dakota

### Funeral Service

Church of Christ  
Minot, North Dakota  
Monday, May 4, 2009 – 10:30 a.m.

### Officiant

Pastor Rowlie Hutton

### Music

Music provided by the Grace Notes of Bowden, ND  
“Old Rugged Cross” & “How Great Thou Art”  
“Because You Loved Me” & “Amazing Grace”

### Honorary Bearers

Peggy's family and friends

### Active Bearers

Darren Lenertz  
Rick Miller

Gary Chauncey

Richard Pfeiffer  
Ruth Schmidt

### Private Family Interment

Rosehill Memorial Park  
Minot, North Dakota

Immediately following the funeral service, there will be a time of fellowship and lunch in the fellowship hall. Peggy's family will join you when they return from the cemetery.

Our family would like to thank all of you for your many acts of kindness. Your thoughts and prayers are greatly appreciated during this difficult time. May God bless the memory of Peggy.

*Thompson-Larson Funeral Home, Minot, North Dakota*