



I'm Free

Don't grieve for me, for now I'm free
I'm following the path God laid for me.
I took his hand when I heard him call
I turned my back and left it all.
I could not stay another day
to laugh, to love, to work or play.
Tasks undone must stay that way.
I found that peace at close of day.
If my parting has left a void
then fill it with remembered joy.
A friendship shared, a laugh, a kiss,
ah, yes, these things I too will miss.
Be not burdened with times of sorrow.
I wish you the sunshine of tomorrow.
My life's been full, I've savored much,
good friends, good times,
a loved one's touch.
Perhaps my time seemed all too brief,
don't lengthen it now with undue grief.
Lift up your hearts and share with me
God wanted me now:
He set me free.

Mark Thomas

In Loving Memory

Joyce A. "Tudy" Matte

December 3, 1930, Lucy Twsp., Burke County - June 30, 2009, Minot, ND

Memorial Service

United Methodist Church, Bowbells, ND
Tuesday, July 7, 2009 - 11:00 a.m.

Officiating Clergy

Rev. Kathy Hammond

Music

Congregational Hymns
"Old Rugged Cross"

"I Was There To Hear Your Morning Cry"
Debbie Melby, pianist

Honorary Bearers

All of Tudy's family and friends

Private Burial

Bowbells Cemetery, Bowbells, ND

Following the service everyone is invited to join the family for lunch and fellowship in the Knowlton Center.

Tudy's family would like to thank everyone for the many acts of kindness shown during this difficult time. Your thoughts and prayers are deeply appreciated and will never be forgotten.

Thompson-Larson Funeral Home, Bowbells, ND