



Tracy Jean Thoreson

Date and Place of Birth

February 9, 1966 ~ New Rockford, North Dakota

Date and Place of Death

September 15, 2007 ~ Minot, North Dakota

Funeral Service

Oak Valley Lutheran Church ~ Velva, North Dakota

Tuesday, September 18, 2007 – 1:00 p.m.

Service Participants

Pastor Rollin Rogness – Officiant

Joyce Anderson - Eulogist

Alysa Anderson and Nichole Thomas - Readers

Music

Rob Marcotte, Vocalist to offer

“The Lord’s Prayer” & “How Great Thou Art”

Stephanie Dean, Vocalist to offer “Wind Beneath My Wings”

Marilyn Anderson, Organist

Congregational Hymns

“What A Friend We Have In Jesus” & “Jesus Loves Me”

“Lift High The Cross”

Honorary Bearers

Tracy’s family and friends

Active Bearers

Alan Bergstad

Dirk Jenson

Armann Anderson

Brad Bergstad

Darrell Sauvageau

Jon Anderson

Jerry Larson

Gary Kutz

Final Resting Place

Hjerdahl Lutheran Cemetery ~ Voltaire, North Dakota

Those wishing to attend the graveside service are asked to drive with both headlights and hazard lights “ON”. Please follow the vehicle in front of you as close as safety permits. Once at the cemetery please double park and follow the family to the graveside for the final prayers.

Immediately following the funeral service, there will be a time of fellowship and refreshments served by the ladies of Hjerdahl Lutheran Church in the fellowship hall. Everyone is invited to join the family for this time. The graveside service will commence at 3:00 pm. There will not be a formal procession to the cemetery due to safety reasons.

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

“And God Said”

I said, “God, I hurt.”
And God said, “I know.”

I said “God, I cry a lot.”
And God said, “That is why I gave you tears.”

I said “God, I am so depressed.”
And God said, “That is why I gave you sunshine.”

I said, “God, life is so hard.”
And God said, “That is why I gave you loved ones.”

I said, “God, my loved one died.”
And God said, “So did mine.”

I said, “God, it is such a loss.”
And God said, “I saw mine nailed to a cross.”

I said, “God, but your loved one lives.”
And God said, “So does yours.”

I said, “God, where are they now?”
And God said, “Mine is on My right and yours is in the light.”

I said, “God, it hurts.”
And God said, “I know.”

Thompson-Larson Funeral Home, Minot, North Dakota