

Maxine "Max" Raye Van Eps was born on January 28, 1946, in Willmar, Minnesota, the daughter of Cornie and Eleanor (Bonnema) Zondervan. She grew up in Prinsburg, graduated from CMCS High School in 1964 and then received secretarial training at the Willmar Vo-Tech. On June 5, 1964, Max was united in marriage to Anthony "Tony" Van Eps. They lived in Prinsburg, LeSuer and Fairfax prior to moving to Willmar in 1969. She was employed at Rice Memorial Hospital as a Ward Clerk Secretary prior to managing the daycare center at the Kandi-Courts in Willmar. She was a member of the Rock of Life CRC and was she served as the church pianist, a Sunday School Teacher and was active with the Calvinettes. She enjoyed gardening flowers and vegetables, feeding the birds and chipmunks, and being outdoors walking, biking or hiking. She also enjoyed volunteering at her children's schools (CMCS & CCS).

She is survived by her loving husband, Tony; three sons, Timothy (and Jessica Bode) Van Eps of Hawick, Paul (and Denee) Van Eps of Willmar and Ben (and Jennifer) Van Eps of Prinsburg; three grandchildren, Jenna, Marissa and Avery; and two brothers, Clayton "Shorty" Zondervan (and Maureen Hjelle) of New London and Jeff (and Julie) Zondervan of New London, besides other relatives and friends.

She was preceded in death by her parents and one sister in infancy, Glenys.

Celebrating the Life of



Max Van Eps

1946 - 2023

Twenty-Third 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 name's 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.*

Arrangements By
Peterson Brothers Funeral Home
"Celebrating A Life Remembered"

In Loving Memory Of

Max Van Eps

January 28, 1946

Willmar, Minnesota

August 16, 2023

Willmar, Minnesota

Celebration of Life

Tuesday, August 22, 2023 - 11:00 a.m.

Rock of Life Christian Reformed Church

Willmar, Minnesota

Prelude

Shirley Rolffs

Processional Hymn "Amazing Grace"

Welcome

Opening Prayer

Sharing of Memories by family

Special Music "What A Day That Will Be"

Heather Ruplinger

Prayer

Scripture Reading - Ecclesiastes 3:1-11

Meditation - A Time for Everything

Pastor Les Kuiper

Prayer

Hymn "Jesus Loves Me"

Parting Blessing

Recessional Hymn "Great Is Thy Faithfulness"

Postlude

Casketbearers

Max's Beloved Family

Interment

Holland Township Cemetery

Prinsburg, Minnesota