

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 & mercy shall follow me
all the days of my life;

And I will dwell in the house
of the LORD *forever.*
- Psalm 23

IN LOVING MEMORY OF

Arlo Frank Christians

WHO WAS BORN

August 27, 1934

Milbank, South Dakota

AND CALLED TO HIS ETERNAL HOME

October 14, 2022

Milbank, South Dakota

FUNERAL SERVICE

Thursday, October 20, 2022 - 10:30 a.m.

Emanuel Lutheran Church

Milbank, South Dakota

OFFICIATING

Reverend Tim Rynearson

MUSICIANS

Kristy Tostenson, Organist

Vocalists:

Kellie Christians | Cassidy Christians

CASKET BEARERS

Jerry Pauli | Wade Leddy | Scott Manning

Mark Huntington | Mark Larson | George Mertens

INTERMENT

Milbank City Cemetery

Milbank, South Dakota

APPRECIATION

Arlo's family thanks you for your presence today
and for your many acts and words of kindness.

Following the interment, please join the family for a time
of food and fellowship in the Church Fellowship Hall.

ARRANGEMENTS BY

Mundwiler Funeral Home

Milbank, South Dakota

Arlo Frank Christians was born on August 27, 1934, in Milbank, SD, to Harry and Gladys (Gill) Christians. He attended country school and graduated from Milbank High School with the Class of 1952.

In 1954, Arlo joined the United States Army and spent most of his military time in Alaska as a diesel mechanic.

On November 14, 1959, Arlo was united in marriage with Shirley Bucholz at St. Peter's Lutheran Church in Bellingham, MN. To this union, three children were born.

During his life, Arlo was a grain and dairy farmer. He was a member of Emanuel Lutheran Church and served on the Board of Elders. Arlo was also the Township Clerk and supervisor for Madison Township for many years.

Arlo's pride and joy were his granddaughters and great-grandchildren. He enjoyed many rides around the farm on his Gator.

Arlo is survived by his wife of almost 63 years, Shirley; two sons: Michael Christians and Keith (Natalie) Christians; daughter, Barbara (Ronald) Peterson; four granddaughters: Kayla (Mark) Huntington, Kelsey Peterson, Kellie Christians, and Cassidy Christians; three great-grandchildren: Kent, Ronnie, and Gwen; sisters-in-law: Judy Radtke, Faye Runge, and Rose Bucholz; brother-in-law, Francis Boogaard; along with many other relatives and friends.

He was preceded in death by his parents; granddaughter, Cara Christians; and two brothers: Earl Christians and Allan Christians.

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Arlo Christians
1934 - 2022