

## Frank Charles “Sonny” Hogan, Jr.



Sonny was born November 26, 1946, at Milbank, SD, to Pearl H. (Latham) and Frank Charles Hogan, Sr. Growing up on a farm, Sonny loved horses and the wild side of life. He always had the urge to come west. In the 90's, Sonny had that dream come true.

Forty years of driving truck, his life became hauling asphalt, living in a camper with the best of men, Jerry, Jerry, Buddy, and Jonathan; the good life of crockpot suppers and Jerry Schuelke making the lunch boxes.

Sonny married Jane Common in Tombstone, AZ, January 24, 2016.

Still having the urge to ranch, Sonny got that chance out west with Mike and Lyle, raising cattle, horses, and his wife, Jane, raising the sheep. (Sonny didn't like sheep. Ha!)

Frank “Sonny” Hogan, Jr., 70, of Vale, SD, died Sunday, May 7, 2017, at his residence.

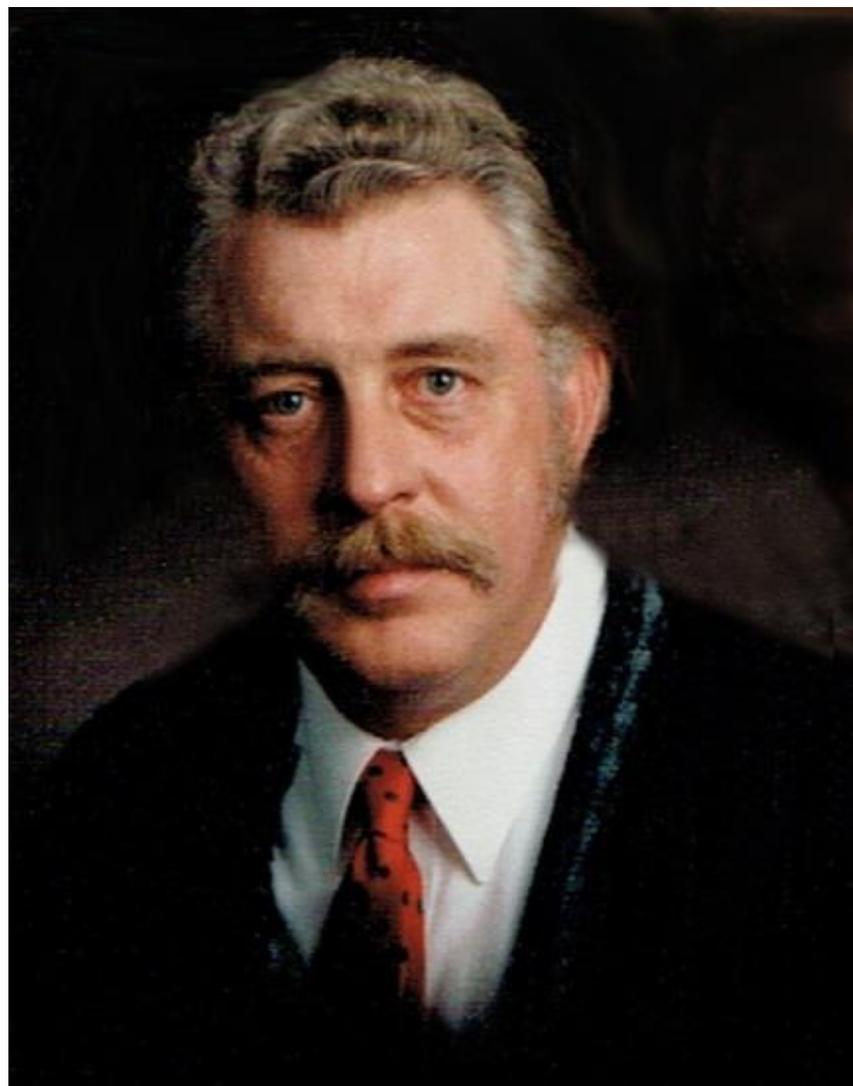
Survivors include his wife, Jane; son, Philip (Melissa) Hogan, and grandchildren, Erica, Christine, Ashley, Philip Dakota, Emily, and Zachary, and great-grandchildren, Daylon, Drake, Dreyden, Payton, Candice, Audrey, Hayden, and Ridge; stepdaughter, Brandy (Jonathan) and grandchildren Kurtis and Haley; son, Ryan (Jamie) and grandchildren, Tayten, Tanner, and his fat baby, Tillee; his mother-in-law, Alta Common; three brothers, Darwin, Keith, and Mike Hogan; four sisters, Betty Saeger, Vonnie Hoeke, Shirley Busk, and Barbara Gerdes; and numerous nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by his parents; two infant sisters at birth; brother, Jim Hogan; sister, Kay Voeltz; five brother-in-law's, four nephews and one niece.

Condolences may be sent to the family at [www.kinkadefunerals.com](http://www.kinkadefunerals.com).



## *In Loving Memory Of*



*Frank Charles “Sonny” Hogan, Jr.*

*1946 ~ 2017*



### **The Bend in the Road**

When we feel we have nothing left to give  
And we are sure that the “Song has ended”- -  
When our day seems over and the shadows fall  
And the darkness of night has descended,

Where can we go to find the strength  
To valiantly keep on trying,  
Where can we find the hand that will dry  
The tears that the heart is crying- -

There’s but one place to go and that is to God  
And, dropping all pretense and pride,  
We can pour our problems without restraint  
And gain strength with Him at our side—

And together we stand at life’s crossroads  
And view what we think is the end,  
But God has a much bigger vision  
And He tells us it’s only a bend - -

For the road goes on and is smoother,  
And the “pause in the song” is a “rest,”  
And the part that’s unsung and unfinished  
Is the sweetest and richest and best - -

So rest and relax and grow stronger,  
Let go and let God share your load,  
You work is not finished or ended,  
You’ve just come to “a bend in the road.”

Helen Steiner Rice

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## **Frank Charles “Sonny” Hogan, Jr.**

### ***Born***

November 26, 1946  
Milbank, South Dakota

### ***Died***

May 7, 2017  
Vale, South Dakota

### ***Funeral Service***

Monday, May 15, 2017, at 4:00 p.m.  
Kinkade Funeral Chapel  
Sturgis, South Dakota

### ***Officiant***

Pastor Marcia Brennan

### ***Musical Selections***

“On The Wings of a Dove”

### ***Pallbearers***

Terry Nelson ~ Darwin Hogan, Jr. ~ Kyle Hoeke  
Dan Bendel ~ Rick Angerhofer ~ Doug Bendel  
Todd Jantz ~ Ryan Smeenck

### ***Honorary Pallbearers***

Jerry Schulke ~ Jerry Becker ~ Johnathan Bad Wound  
Marlin Larson ~ Buddy Simons ~ Ryan Smeenck

### ***Interment***

Saturday, May 27, 2017, at 2:00 p.m. (CST)  
Hope Lutheran Cemetery  
Summit, South Dakota