

WHEN I COME TO THE END OF THE DAY
AND THE SUN HAS SET FOR ME
I WANT NO RITES IN A GLOOM-FILLED ROOM
WHY CRY FOR A SOUL SET FREE?

Miss me a little, BUT NOT TOO LONG.

AND NOT WITH YOUR HEAD BOWED LOW.
REMEMBER THE LOVE WE ONCE SHARED.

Miss me, BUT LET ME GO.

FOR THIS IS A JOURNEY WE ALL MUST TAKE,
AND EACH MUST GO ALONE.
IT'S ALL PART OF THE MAKER'S PLAN,
A STEP ON THE ROAD TO HOME.
WHEN YOU ARE LONELY AND SICK AT HEART,
GO TO THE FRIENDS WE KNOW,
AND BURY YOUR SORROWS
IN DOING GOOD DEEDS—

Miss me, but let me go.

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Celebration of Life Tribute video.



IN LOVING MEMORY



Anna Berger

1931-2025

Anna Marie Berger, 94, of Mandan, passed away on December 2, 2025, at Missouri Slope LCC on Washington.

Anna was born February 6, 1931, to Zuchaeus and Katherine Braun in Selfridge, ND. She married Peter J. Berger on October 25, 1949, in Selfridge. They made their home on the farm north of Solen in 1954. Here they raised their seven children. They lived on the farm until their retirement in 1993, and then moved to Mandan.

Anna was a devoted farm wife. She kept herself busy with planting a large garden every year. She also had many hobbies which included sewing clothes for her kids, cake decorating, and making wedding flowers. Anna made the cake and flowers for most of her children's weddings. She made quilts for each of her children and each grandchild received a quilt at their graduation. After most of her kids were grown, Anna drove bookmobile for Sioux County. She was an active member of Christian Mothers in Solen and Mandan. When they moved to Mandan, Anna learned to paint ceramics. Her family is fortunate to have many of her crafts and projects to remember her by.

Anna will be deeply missed by her children, Duane (Pam), Jerome (Brenda), Darold (Wanda), Randy (Patty), Jolene (Jimmie), Denise (Mike), and Keith (Diane); 18 grandchildren; 35 great-grandchildren; and 3 great-great-grandchildren. She is also survived by her sister, Katie Bauer; sister-in-law, Josephine Ripplinger; and brother-in-law, George Kuchynski.

Anna was preceded in death by her husband, Peter; granddaughter, Dana; great-grandson, Luke; brothers, Bernard, Lawrence, and John; and sisters, Tillie, Barbara, Liz, Regina, and Theresa.



Parish Vigil	Tuesday, December 9, 2025; 7:00 PM
Presider	Deacon Randy Frohlich
Funeral Liturgy	Wednesday, December 10, 2025; 10:30 AM St. Joseph Catholic Church, Mandan, ND
Celebrant	Fr. Josh Waltz
Musicians	Phil Horn & Regina McLain
Casketbearers	Shawn Berger, Logan Berger, Jeremy Bullinger Casey Berger, Cole Bossert, Justin Berger Corey Berger, Clint Berger, Daniel Berger, & Lane Berger
Lectors	Shana Sailing & Diane Berger
Prelude	<i>“Precious Lord, Take My Hand”</i>
Processional Song	<i>“Jesus Remember Me”</i>
<i>Liturgy of the Word</i>	
Old Testament Reading	Isaiah 55:9-12
Response	Psalm 27
<i>“The Lord is my light and my salvation.”</i>	
New Testament Reading	Romans 6:3-9
Gospel Reading	John 14:1-6
Homily	
<i>Liturgy of the Eucharist</i>	
Preparation of Gifts Song	<i>“10,000 Reasons”</i>
Presentation of Gifts	Grandchildren & Great Grandchildren
Eucharistic Prayer	
Communion Songs	<i>“Hail Mary, Gentle Woman”</i> & <i>“On Eagle’s Wings”</i>
Communion Meditation	
Final Commendation	<i>“Old Hundred”</i>
Closing Song	<i>“Carry Me Home”</i>
Committal Service	Mandan Union Cemetery Mandan, North Dakota

***The family invites you for food & fellowship at the Mandan Moose,
111 11th Ave NE, immediately following the burial service.***