A Journey Back

I journeyed back to childhood days
And stopped along the route;
I picked up pen and paper
To tell what it's about.

I paused among the middle years,
My hair was tinged with gray;
The children all had spread their wings
And drifted on their way.

The big old house was quiet now,
No music, rock and roll,
'Twas nice when once they hurried home
To cookies after school.

Back then I found new interests,
Antiques and crafts to do,
To help me cut the apron strings
When there would just be two.

Then I saw a younger me
With babies on my knee,
And if I felt the burden then,
Too soon I'd be set free.

I cleaned them up and cared for them
And wiped away their tears,
It was my only goal in life
To mother through the years.

The girlish bride I'm seeing now
And all there was to learn,
To cook, and clean, and care for him
And riches not to years.

When as a child, I played with dolls,
Lived during a world war;
Through books I traveled distant lands
When not busy with a chore.

Our home was not a castle,
Many things I did without.
My parents taught me values,
That's what life is all about.

Now my journey is ending
And I'm growing old,
But if I've lived accordingly
I'll be welcomed to His fold.

Beverly Faber … 1982

Pallbearers

Jonathan Faber CJ Faber Evan Faber
Michael Anderson Brian Gasvoda Rusty Sparks

In Loving Memory of Beverly Faber

Date of Birth	Date of Death
January 1, 1932	August 7, 2026
Great Falls, Montana	Havre, Montana

Funeral Mass
11:00 a.m., Saturday, August 22, 2026
St. Margaret Mary's Catholic Church

Celebrant ~ Father Pete Guthneck

Musicians ~ Karen Moes & Kathy Bahnmiller-Camp

Special Music
Prelude ~ Bridge Over Troubled Waters ~ Simon & Garfunkel
Communion ~ In the Garden & Anima Christi
Postlude ~ Morning Has Broken

Congregational Hymns
Holy God, We Praise Thy Name, Prayer of St. Francis,
Song of Farewell, Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee

Scripture Readings
1st Reading ~ Ecclesiastes 3:1-8 ~ Sarah Faber
Psalm ~ Shepherd Me, O God
2nd reading ~ Proverbs 31:10-31 ~ Evan Faber
Gospel ~ John 12:23-26 ~ Father Pete Guthneck

Eulogist ~ Chris Faber

Interment
Big Sandy Cemetery

Beverly's family has requested that you join them for a time of fellowship at the The Mint Bar immediately following the graveside service.

We wish to acknowledge with deep gratitude the many expressions of love, concern, and kindness shown during this time.

May God Bless and Keep You

Beverly Faber