

Dorene (Dori) Phyliss Tishmack was born on September 11, 1950, to John and Bernice Tishmack (Blotsky) in Lemmon, South Dakota. She attended St Mary's Catholic School in Lemmon and was the oldest of five siblings. Dorene married Dennis Brabazon on February 4, 1967, in Council Bluffs, Iowa. The couple renewed their vows on February 4, 1977, at St Mary's Catholic Church in Lemmon, South Dakota. During the early years of their marriage, the couple lived in Council Bluffs, Iowa; Haynes, North Dakota; Coquille, Oregon; and Tacoma, Washington before permanently settling in Lemmon, South Dakota in 1973.

Dorene loved to dance and grow flowers, country western and classic rock music, socializing with family and friends, card playing, and enjoying fishing and camping with family and friends. She was very spiritual and often attended Catholic Retreats at differing locations in South Dakota prior to her health issues. Dorene received her greatest joy teaching head start and catechism to children. Dorene entered the Kingdom of Heaven on July 28, 2025. Dorene's presence was a blessing for many; her passing has left an emptiness that may never be filled.

She is survived by her husband, Dennis Brabazon; her son Lyle Brabazon (Christina); her daughter from the heart, Tammy Brabazon; Sister Myrna (Mahlon) Schweigert; brother Kenneth (Patricia) Tishmack; brother Gordon (Licia) Tishmack; numerous aunts, uncles, nieces, nephews, and special family friends.

Dorene is reunited in Heaven with her parents, John and Bernice; step-father Bill Rafferty; sister Arlys Christiansen; son Robert (Bobby) Brabazon; in-law parents Francis (Lyle) and Emily Brabazon; sister(s) in-law Jean Rosenberg; Beverly Rafferty; and, Bernice Englehorn; brother in-law Ronald (Sonny) Brabazon; and all who have positively touched her life that have passed before her.



In Loving Memory of Dorene Brabazon

Date and Place of Birth

September 11, 1950

Lemmon, SD

Date and Place of Death

July 28, 2025

Hettinger, ND

Rosary

7:00 p.m.

St. Mary's Catholic Church

August 1, 2025

Lemmon, SD

Mass of Christian Burial

11:00 a.m.

St. Mary's Catholic Church

August 2, 2025

Lemmon, SD

Fr. Greg Hilzendegar, officiant

Karla Doblitz, music minister

Sara Paizie, lector

Casketbearers

Kermit Kahl

Duane Meink

Mike Paisey

Gary Johnson

George Wentz

Quint Borchert

Honorary Casketbearers

Gordon and Kenny Tishmack

"When shadows fall across our lives and dim the sunshine's glow, by being here you help us bear our grief and onward go." With that thought in mind, we thank you for attending today's service. All are invited to meet the family downstairs for refreshments and a time of fellowship.

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"Do not let your hearts be troubled.

You believe in God

believe also in me.

My Father's house has many rooms

if that were not so,

**would I have told you that I am going there
to prepare a place for you?**

And if I go and prepare a place for you,

I will come back and take you to be with me

that you also may be where I am.

**You know the way to the place where I am
going."**

-John 14:1-6