

Audrey Louise Harms was born on July 4, 1943, in Grant County, SD, to Forigus and Martha (Dockter) Hooth. Audrey was one of three children and the only daughter born to Forigus and Martha. She grew up working alongside her brothers at their family farmstead, where they raised cattle and hogs and grew grain. Audrey graduated from Corona High School in 1961. On February 10, 1967, she married her loving husband, Gary Harms. Their marriage lasted almost six decades; they were married for 59 years.



Audrey and Gary had two daughters, Amy and Sheri. As a family of four, they had a dairy farm where they milked cows and raised alfalfa, corn, and beans. Audrey was a homemaker. She loved to help on the family farmstead, cook for her husband and children, and clean for her family. Before getting married and starting a family, Audrey worked at Milbank Mutual Insurance Company for many years, where she helped many customers with their needs. She later went to work for Hardware Hank, then Coast to Coast. At both establishments, she loved serving customers and enjoyed talking with them as well.

Left to cherish Audrey's memory is her husband, Gary Harms of Milbank, SD; her children: Amy Harms (Jeff Scott) of Watertown, SD; and Sheri (Gunnar) Tumlinson of Burnet, TX; and her grandchildren: Wyatt (Emily) Tumlinson of Burnet, TX; and Garrett (Carleigh) Tumlinson of College Station, TX. Audrey was preceded in death by her mother, Martha; her father, Forigus; and her brothers: Dennis Hooth and Lloyd Hooth, who she loved dearly.

IN LOVING MEMORY OF

Audrey Louise Harms

WHO WAS BORN

July 4, 1943
Grant County, South Dakota

AND CALLED TO HER ETERNAL HOME

March 25, 2026
Milbank, South Dakota

FUNERAL SERVICE

Monday, March 30, 2026 - 1:30 p.m.
Emanuel Lutheran Church
Milbank, South Dakota

OFFICIANT

Pastor Chris Davis

MUSICIAN

Sheila Dailie, Organist

SPECIAL SONGS

"If God Himself Be for Me"
"Where No One Stands Alone"
"The Old Rugged Cross"

CASKET BEARERS

Jeff Scott | Gunnar Tumlinson | Wyatt Tumlinson
Garrett Tumlinson | Bryon Hooth | Doug Hooth

BURIAL

Milbank City Cemetery
Milbank, South Dakota

APPRECIATION

Audrey's family is grateful for your attendance at this service. Your expressions of kindness and love are deeply appreciated. Following the graveside service, please join the family for a time of refreshments and fellowship in the church dining room.

ARRANGMENTS BY

Mundwiler Funeral Home
Milbank, South Dakota

I'm Free

Don't grieve for me, for now I'm free.
I'm following the path God has laid you see.
I took his hand when I heard His call.
I turned my back and left it all.

I could not stay another day,
To laugh, to love, to work or play.
Tasks left undone must stay that way,
I found the peace at the close of day.

If my parting has left a void,
Then fill it with remembered joy
A friendship shared, a laugh, a kiss,
Oh yes, these things I too will miss.

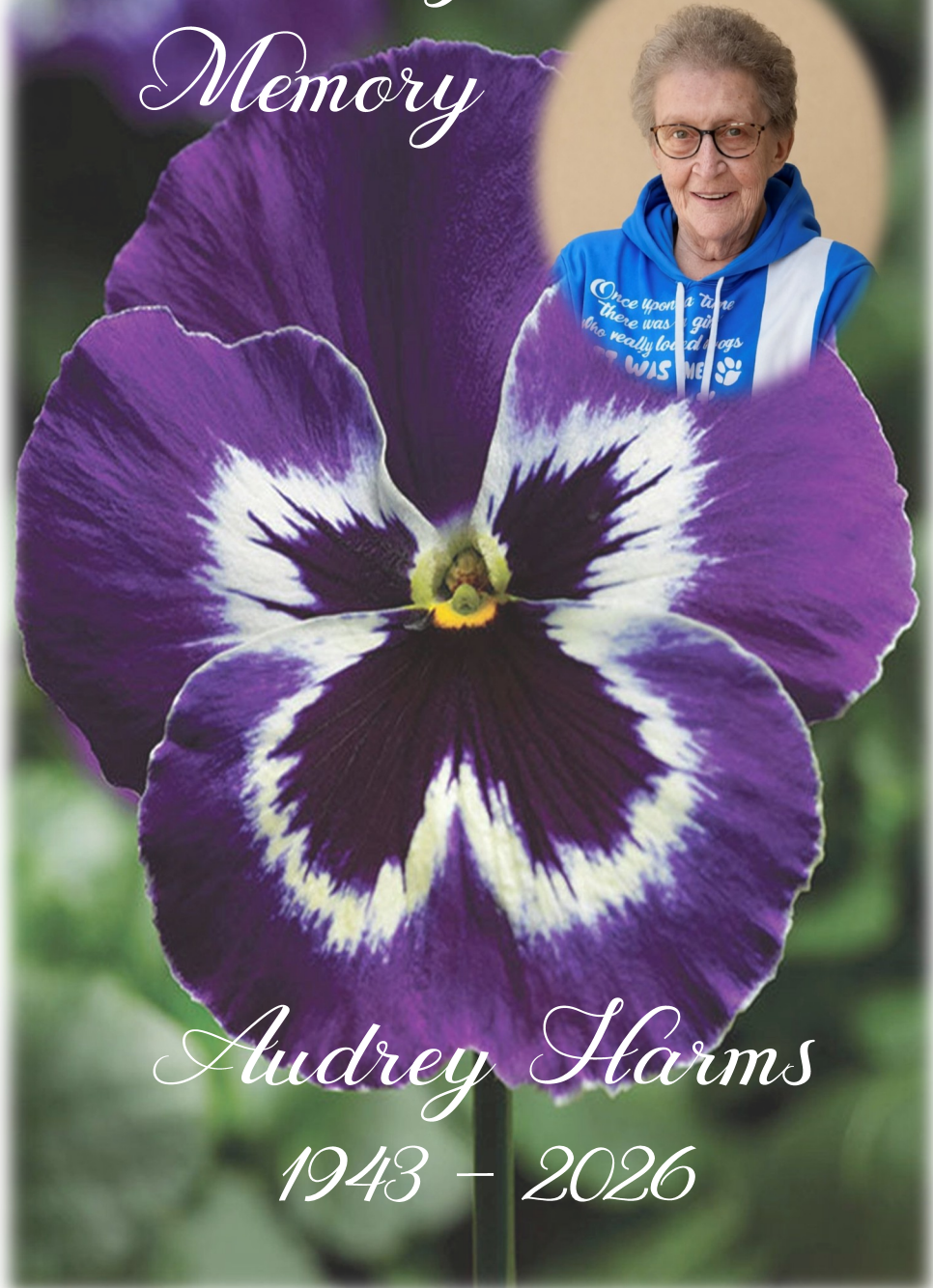
Be not burdened with times of sorrow.
I wish you the sunshine of tomorrow.
My life's been full, I savored much.
Good friends, good times, a loved one's touch.

Perhaps my time seemed all too brief.
Don't lengthen it now with undue grief.
Lift up your hearts, and to thee
God wanted me now, He set me free.

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Judie's online obituary & guestbook.



In Loving Memory



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