For Those I Love, For Those Who Love Me...

When I am gone, release me, let me go -
I have so many things to say and do,
You mustn't tie yourself to me with tears.
Be happy that we had so many years.
I gave you my love you can only guess,
How much you gave me in happiness.
I thank you for the love you each have shown.
But now it's time I traveled on alone.
So, grieve awhile for me if you must
Then let your grief be comforted by trust.
It's only for a while that we must part
So, bless the memories within your heart.
I won't be far away, for life goes on
So, if you need me, call and I will come.
Though you can't see or touch me, I'll be near -
And if you listen with your heart, you'll hear
All my love around you soft and clear.
And then, when you must come this way alone,
I'll greet you with a smile, and "Welcome Home."

In Loving Memory of

Donna Jo Wheeler

April 15, 1966 ~ November 13, 2023

Funeral Service

Hickey Funeral Chapel
Chamberlain, SD
1:00 p.m., Tuesday, November 21, 2023

Officiating

Rev. Jim Oleson

Casketbearers

Jadon Pease
Jackson Cedarface
Will Smith
Michael Smith
Richard Hartland
Dan Hartland

Interment

Gregory IOOF Cemetery
Gregory, SD

Officiating

Caleb Dunham
Dennis Hause

***Arrangements By**: Hickey Funeral Home, Chamberlain, SD*

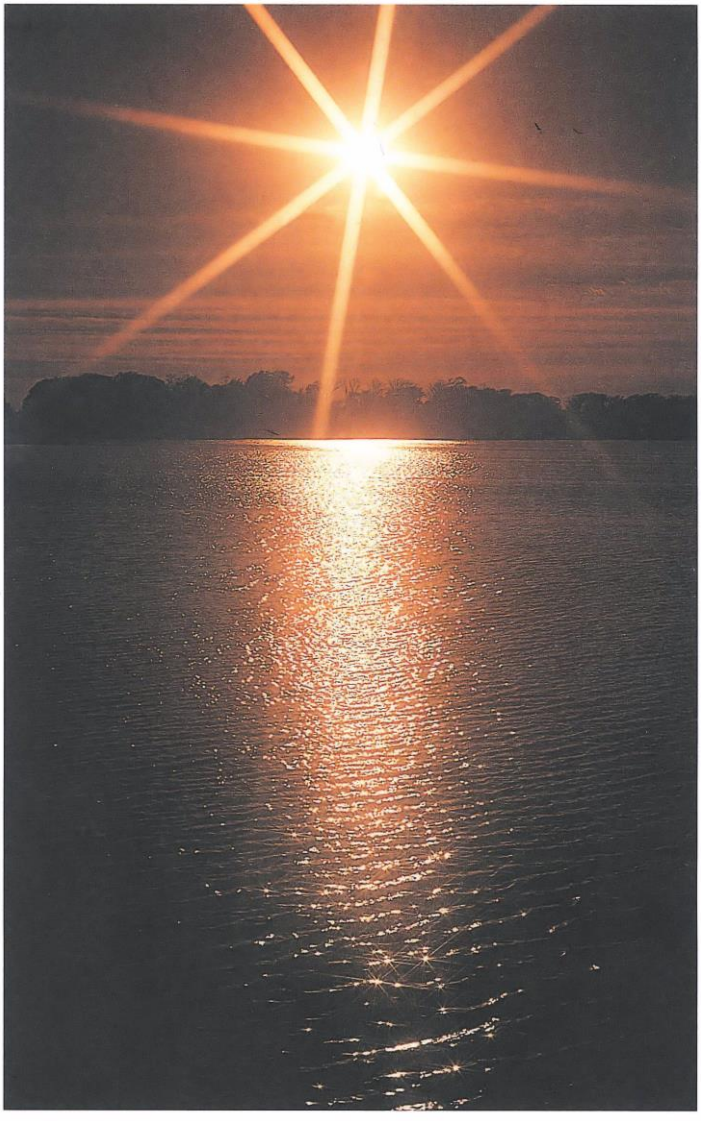
Donna Jo Wheeler was born April 15, 1966 to Jack and Dortha (McCollam) Wheeler. She attended school in Chamberlain where she graduated Chamberlain High School in 1983.

Donna worked different jobs in the Chamberlain area and most recently was a care provider at Dakota Milestones.

She enjoyed going to the beach, fishing at the river but most of all loved spending time with her grandchildren.

Donna passed away on November 13, 2023 at home at the age of 57 years. Gratefully sharing her life are her children Terri Cedarface of Chamberlain, SD, Michael Smith of Chamberlain, SD, Tasha Taylor of Chamberlain, SD, and Will (Ashley) Smith of Harrisburg, SD; ten grandchildren; and two nephews and a niece along with many friends.

Preceding her in death were her parents, her brother Jack D. Wheeler, and an infant brother Donald Lee Wheeler.



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