

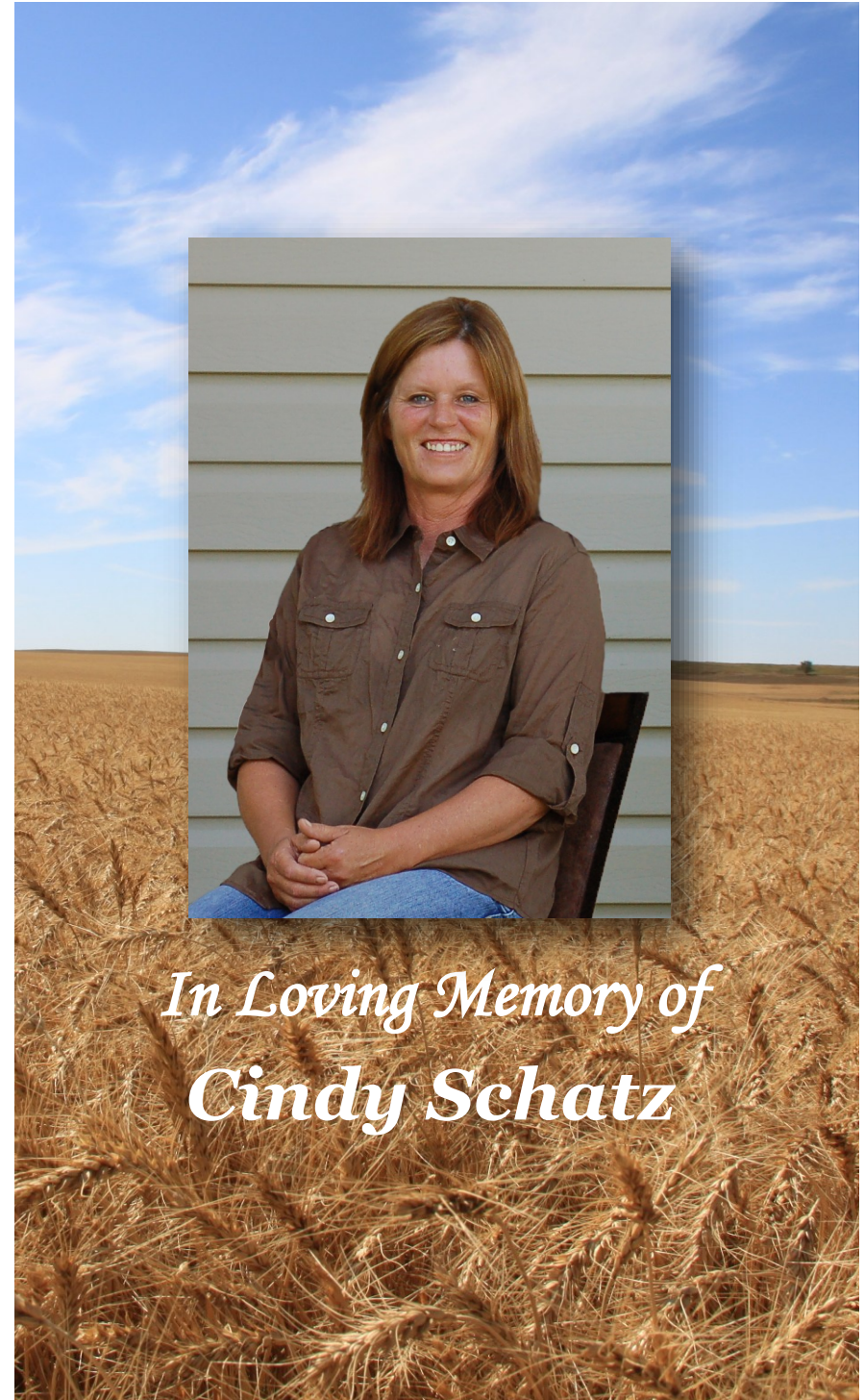
Cindy Schatz, 68, of New Leipzig, ND, passed away August 21, 2025, at Sanford Medical Center surrounded by her family.

Cindy was born on June 26, 1957, in Elgin, ND to Andrew Verne and Delores (Plunkett) Raab. She grew up in Mott, ND with four sisters and six brothers. Cindy attended school in Mott, ND and graduated in 1976.

Cindy met Clifford Schatz at the Burt roller skating rink in 1973 and they later married on June 12, 1976, in Mott, ND. They built their life on the family farm north of New Leipzig, ND and were blessed with three children and nine grandchildren. Cindy worked alongside Cliff, farming and ranching for almost 50 years. She kept busy in the spring by working with the cattle, putting anhydrous on the fields, and making sure several rows of potatoes were planted. Summers were spent baling hay, mowing the yard, planting more flowers, and taking on multiple other projects around the farm. Cindy's exceptional grain cart driving skills will certainly be missed during harvest. She was always working on a project of some sort, tackling a remodeling project or reorganizing something in the shop. Cindy enjoyed gardening, canning, baking, and finding new recipes. Just as she loved growing and tending to her fields, Cindy was constantly supporting and encouraging her kids and grandkids, attending school and life events and always being one of their biggest cheerleaders. Cindy always looked forward to the next big holiday meal that she could plan and cook for her family.

Cindy is survived by her husband of 49 years, Clifford Schatz; children, Jennifer (Bucky) Feigitsch of Bismarck, Brian (Amber) Schatz of New Leipzig, Brandon (Lacy) Schatz of New Leipzig; grandchildren, Morgan and Parker Feigitsch, Anna, Claire and Logan Schatz, Ariel, Brayden, Quinn and Paxton Schatz; mother-in-law, Winnefred Schatz of Elgin; siblings, Dennis (Mary) Raab of Carson, Sharon (Ray) Taylor of Miles City, MT, Tim Raab of Dickinson, Wanda Norton (Shawn McFarland) of Mott, Norman Raab of Mott, Terry Raab of New Leipzig; and numerous nieces, nephews, and cousins.

She is preceded in death by her parents Verne and Delores Raab; father-in-law, Clifford N. Schatz; sisters, Roberta Tilson and Glenda Masulis; brothers, Douglas Raab and Calvin Raab; sisters-in-law, Deborah Roth and Madonna Raab; brothers-in-law, Tom Tilson and Tom Masulis; nephew, Andrew Raab.





God's Farm

God needs someone in heaven to plow and plant the rows.
 And when He calls on me, I know that I must go.
 Remember that I won't be gone—I will just be away,
 working on God's farm 'til we're united again one day.
 There will be no storms in heaven and the fields are long and straight.
 When it's time for you to join me, I'll be waiting inside heaven's gate.
 Remember, until that day arrives, when once more our lives we'll share,
 to look in the green fields growing, and you'll see me working there.

In Loving Memory of Cindy Lou Schatz

Date and Place of Birth

June 26, 1957

Elgin, ND

Date and Place of Death

August 21, 2025

Bismarck, ND

Funeral Service

11:00 a.m.

Immanuel Lutheran Church

Pastor John Amundson, officiating

Friday, August 29, 2025

New Leipzig, ND

Pallbearers

Killian Norton
 Ryan Norton
 Jason Raab

Parker Feigtsch
 Logan Schatz
 Brayden Schatz

Honorary Pallbearers

Anna Schatz
 Claire Schatz
 Morgan Feigtsch

Ariel Schatz
 Quinn Schatz
 Paxton Schatz

Interment

Congregational Cemetery

New Leipzig, ND

"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. Please join the family at the Gottlieb Community Center for refreshments and a time of fellowship.

Evanson Jensen Funeral Home

Greg Jensen, Matthew Barnes, & Caitlin Johnson, Directors

Nicole Huffman, Assistant

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