



Psalm 23

The Lord is my shepherd, I shall not want.

He makes me lie down in green pastures.
He leads me beside still waters.

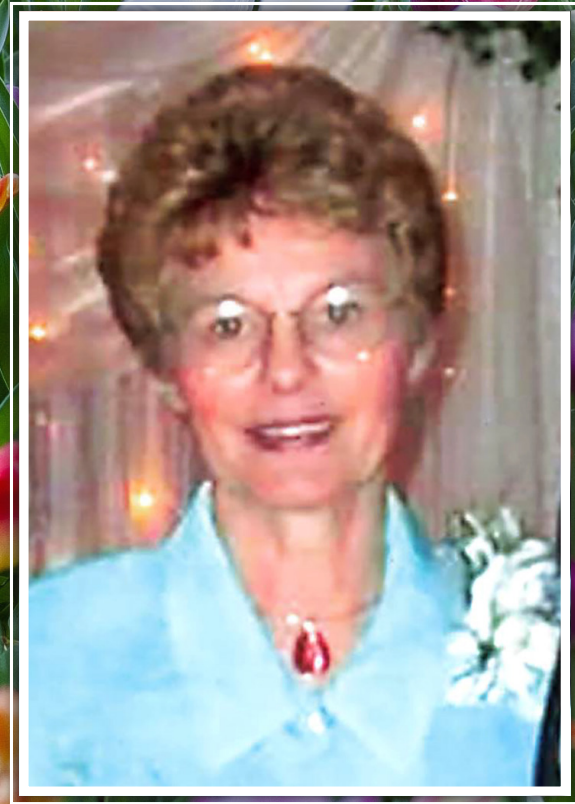
He restores my soul. He leads me in paths
of righteousness for his name's sake.

Even though I walk through the valley of
the shadow of death, I will fear no evil,
for you are with me; your rod and your
staff, they comfort me.

You prepare a table before me in the
presence of my enemies; you anoint my
head with oil; my cup overflows.

Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me
all the days of my life, and I shall dwell in
the house of the Lord forever.

Celebrating the Life of



Lois E. Conaway

August 2, 1939 - May 22, 2026

Lois E. Conaway, 86, of Highland, Illinois, formerly of Britt, passed away Friday, May 22, 2026 at St. Joseph's Hospital in Highland.

Lois Elaine Conaway, the daughter of Clarence and Leona (Monson) Weiland, was born on August 2, 1939, in Garner, Iowa. She attended Hayfield Consolidated School before moving to Britt, where she graduated from Britt High School in 1957. Following high school, Lois worked at Des Moines Insurance. On August 1, 1958, she was married to Charles A. Conaway, Jr. at First Lutheran Church in Britt. The couple made their home in Britt, where they raised their five children. Lois was deeply committed to her community and church. She dedicated her time to teaching Sunday School, Bible School, and Confirmation classes at First Lutheran Church, where she also served as a deacon on the church council. She was an active member of the Britt Lioness Club, serving as its president, and participated in the Red Hat Society. Lois contributed to the community by helping deliver Meals on Wheels. Alongside her husband, she helped manage the Britt Country Club and their family business, A-1 Plumbing, Heating & Appliance. Family was central to Lois's life; she cherished raising her children and took great joy in her grandchildren, who were a continual source of happiness. Her personal interests included playing golf, gardening, staying involved in her family's activities, and painting, an art in which she was particularly skilled.

Lois is survived by her children, Rebecca (Wade) Finch of Britt, Timothy (Quinann) Conaway of Las Vegas, NV, Tamara (Scott) Stieb of Highland, IL, and Michael (Ryan) Conaway of Merrimac, MA; 12 grandchildren, Lindsey (Josh) Monjure, Tara (Cade) Kelly, Casey (Martin) Jensen, Daniel (Lainey) Finch, Heather (Carlos) Conaway, Samantha (Luke) Howell, Timothy (Alexis) Conaway Jr., Jacob, Zachary, Blake, Cory and Luke Stieb; 14 great-grandchildren; one great-great-grandchild; her siblings, Imogene Burgardt and Don Weiland of Britt; and many nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Charles A. Conaway in 2021; her parents, Clarence and Leona Weiland; son, Rodney Clarence Conaway; granddaughter, Jennifer Rae Conaway; her siblings, Bud Weiland, Darlene Dunbar, Dean Weiland, Larry Weiland and Diane McKinney; and her brothers and sisters-in-law, Bernice Weiland, John Burgardt, Darlene Weiland, Roger McKinney and Elaine Weiland.

In lieu of flowers, memorials may be directed to First Lutheran Church.

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FUNERAL SERVICE

First Lutheran Church
Britt, Iowa

10:30 a.m., Friday, May 29, 2026

OFFICIATING

Rev. Anna Wolf

MUSIC

Anita Eden, Organist
Congregational Hymns

"How Great Thou Art"

"Precious Lord, Take My Hand"

Special Music

"You Raise Me Up"

USHERS

Al Burgardt

Rick Burgardt

CASKET BEARERS

Dan Finch

Jacob Stieb

Zachary Stieb

Cory Stieb

Luke Stieb

Cade Kelly

Timothy Conaway

Blake Stieb

BURIAL

Evergreen Cemetery
Britt, Iowa

All are invited to a luncheon at the Britt Country Club immediately following the committal service at the cemetery.

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FUNERAL HOMES