



Psalm 23

*The Lord is my shepherd; I shall not want.
He maketh me to lie down in green pastures:
He leadeth me beside the still waters.
He restoreth my soul;
He leadeth me in the paths of righteousness
for his name's sake.
Yea, though I walk through
the valley of the shadow of death,
I will fear no evil: for thou art with me;
thy rod and they staff they comfort me.
Thou preparest a table before me
in the presence of mine enemies:
thou anointest my head with oil;
my cup runneth over.
Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me
all the days of my life:
and I will dwell in the house of the Lord forever.*

In Loving Memory of

Lois Janis Bode

January 1, 1930 ~ December 1, 2023

Funeral Service

Zion Lutheran Church, Chamberlain, SD
2:00 p.m., Monday, December 4, 2023

Officiating

Rev. Robert Hinckley

Music

Mel Hargens ~ Organist

Casketbearers

Dustin Gibbons
Jeffrey Bode
Brian Bode

Spencer Gibbons
Scott Anderson
Tim Bode

Honorary Bearers

Lois' Sons

Loren Bode
Steven Bode

Lyle Bode
Carl Bode

Private Family Interment

Riverview Cemetery, Chamberlain, SD

Everyone is invited for refreshments & fellowship in the church hall immediately following the funeral service.

Arrangements By: Hickey Funeral Home, Chamberlain, SD

Lois was born at the farm home in Brule Co. Pukwana, SD on January 1, 1930, to Henry and Wilhelmina "Minnie" (Swanson) Thompson. Lois was baptized at Pukwana Free Lutheran Church July 11, 1930 and confirmed at Zion Lutheran Church, Chamberlain, SD on December 25, 1949.

She attended grades one through eight at Olson Country School north of Pukwana and graduated from Chamberlain High School in 1948.

Lois married Walter F. Bode on June 1, 1949 at the Lutheran Parsonage by Rev. Ellis Nieting. They lived on the Paul Bode farm.

Lois passed away on December 1, 2023 at Sanford Medical Center in Chamberlain at the age of 93 years.

Lois is survived by her six children: Gloria (and Ken) Anderson of Chamberlain, Loren (and Julie) Bode of Pukwana, Lyle (and Brenda) Bode of Mt Vernon, Steven Bode of Plano, TX, Jeanette (and Bill) Gibbons of Brookings, and Carl (and Nancy) Bode of Plankinton. She is also survived by her sister Lorraine Mosemann of White Lake, as well as 12 grandchildren, 14 great grandchildren, and many nieces and nephews.

Lois is preceded in death by her husband (October 11, 1986); parents; brothers Avery, Milden, and Normand; sister Lucille Fick; sisters in law Glenda, Eleanor, and Doris; brothers in law Raymond Fick and Lewis Mosemann; and daughter in law Christine "Chris" (Comegys) Bode.

Please direct memorials in Lois name to Main Street Living.
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