



Because You Loved Me

*You were my strength when I was weak,
You were my voice when I couldn't speak,
You were my eyes when I couldn't see,
You saw the best there was in me.
Lifted me up when I couldn't reach;
You gave me faith 'coz you believed.
I'm everything I am
Because you loved me.*

*I lost my faith, you gave it back to me.
You said no star was out of reach.
You stood by me and I stood tall,
I had your love I had it all.
I'm grateful for each day you gave me;
Maybe I don't know that much
But I know this much is true-
I was blessed because I was loved by you.*

IN LOVING MEMORY OF

Mary Ann Johnson

WHO WAS BORN

January 20, 1956
Milbank, South Dakota

AND CALLED TO HER ETERNAL HOME

March 11, 2024
Aberdeen, South Dakota

FUNERAL SERVICE

Monday, March 18, 2024 - 11:00 a.m.
Bethlehem Lutheran Church
Aberdeen, South Dakota

OFFICIATING

Pastor Matt Spoden

MUSICIANS

Joni Lammon
Alyssa Middleton

CASKET BEARERS

Erwin Johnson | Jeremy Johnson | Justin Johnson
Orrin Johnson | Daryl Johnson | Silas Johnson

INTERMENT

LaBolt Cemetery
3:30 p.m.
LaBolt, South Dakota

APPRECIATION

Mary Ann's family is grateful for your attendance at this service.
Your many expressions of kindness and love are deeply appreciated. Following the funeral service, please join the family for food and fellowship in the church Parish Center.

Mundwiler Funeral Home - Milbank, South Dakota

Mary Ann grew up in the Milbank area. She was united in marriage with Erwin L. Johnson on December 18, 1976. They were blessed with two sons: Jeremy and Justin. Mary Ann and Erwin lived in Watertown, SD. Mary Ann earned her Licensed Practical Nursing degree and worked at the hospital in Watertown until 1981. The family moved to Aberdeen. Mary Ann continued her education and received her Registered Nursing Degree. She provided loving care for many years at Dakota Midland Hospital, Manor Care, and Sanford Hospital.

Mary Ann had a kind and caring heart which was evident in her nursing career. She adored her family and cared for her grandchildren for a period of time. She was selfless and always put others needs in front of her own.

Mary Ann was an avid reader and enjoyed many, many books. She liked to watch television series, especially Yellowstone and her daily soap operas. She loved to shop as often as she could! She considered her sisters-in-law: Sylvia, Dianne, and Rosalie, as true sisters and always looked forward to their group FaceTime visits. She also enjoyed sewing and crocheting. She and Erwin enjoyed traveling, especially trips out west.

She was a member of Bethlehem Lutheran Church.

Mary Ann Johnson is survived by her husband, Erwin Johnson of Aberdeen, SD; two sons: Jeremy (Amanda) Johnson of Chiloquin, OR; and Justin Johnson of Upland, CA; four grandchildren: Amelia, Olivia, Silas, and Sierra; one great-grandson, Thompson; brothers-in-law and sisters-in-law: Jerald Johnson and Betty Wilson of Minneapolis, MN; Daryl (Sandi) Johnson of Watertown, SD; Sylvia (David) Drake of Watertown, SD; Diane Schepker of Minneapolis, MN; Rosalie (Bill) Schaffer of Revillo, SD; Orrin (Sue) Johnson of Finley, ND; Michael (Susan) Johnson of Milbank, SD; and many nieces and nephews. She was preceded in death by her parents and brother, James Glomstad.

