

Simple Angel Poem

*Seek an angel with an open heart
and you will find one.*

*The way you know an angel
is by your feeling.*

*Angels may not always come when you call them,
but they always come when you need them.*

*An angel is someone who helps you believe
in miracles again.*

*Sometimes you know angels only by the miracles
they have blossoming in their paths
after they have gone.*

*An angel is someone you're always happy
to bump into.*

*An angel is someone who
raises your spirits.*

*An angel is someone you feel you've known
forever even though you've just met.*

An angel is someone who helps you grow.

Angels make you feel welcome in this world.

*Angels encourage your best qualities
and hidden talents.*

*Angels give you those gentle pats on the back
when you sometimes need to keep going.*

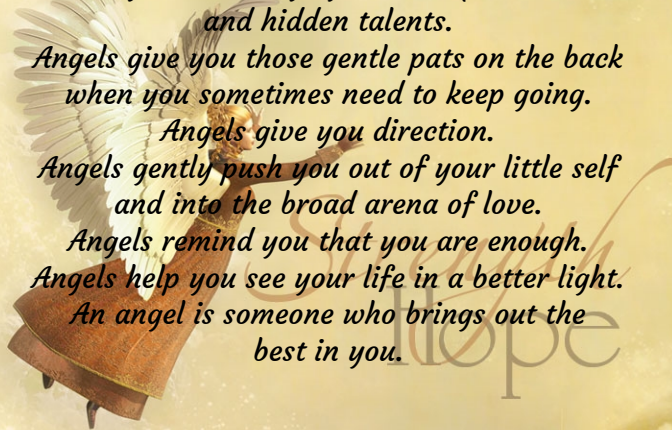
Angels give you direction.

*Angels gently push you out of your little self
and into the broad arena of love.*

Angels remind you that you are enough.

Angels help you see your life in a better light.

*An angel is someone who brings out the
best in you.*



In Loving Memory CELEBRATING A LIFE *Joann Williams*

Services

Wednesday, November 29, 2017 at 10:00 a.m.
Peoples Congregational Church
Sidney, MT

Officiating

Pastor Neil Lindorff

Music

Deniece Schwab and Heather Wall

Pallbearers

Shawn and Jason Obergfell,
Jesse, Nathan, Darrin, Chad and Kyle Williams,
Mindee Riedel, Jenny Imlay

Ushers

Dean Rehbein and Mark Nichols

Final Resting Place

Sidney Cemetery
Sidney, MT

A luncheon will be held at the church
following the graveside service

Arrangements By

Fulkerson-Stevenson Funeral Home
Sidney, MT



In Memory Of

Joann Williams

May 24, 1936 - November 22, 2017



Joann Alice Williams (81) died peacefully surrounded by many members of her loving family on November 22, 2017, at St. Vincent Hospital in Billings, Montana.

Joann was born on May 24, 1936 to Joseph and Dorothy (Larson) Bren in Glendive, MT. She grew up on the family farm near Lindsey, MT and was the oldest of 3 girls. She attended the High Point Rural School through the 8th grade and then went to Glendive and graduated with the class of 1954. Following graduation, Joann went to college in Billings, MT, where she met the love of her life at a dance class. After a whirlwind romance, Joann became the wife of Neil Russell Williams on December 11, 1955 in Glendive, MT.

Neil and Joann made their home in Glendive and Sidney throughout the years until moving to Sidney in 1964, where they have resided since. Their close-knit family included 1 daughter and 3 sons. Joann was a hard-worker and kept the family home in tip-top shape as well as babysitting, working at Bob's Warehouse Grocery and the M&M Café throughout the years.

She loved decorating her home with her collections of bells and angels and seasonal decorations in the picture window.

Joann was a member of the Lonsdale Methodist Church and later the Peoples Congregational Church. She was also a member of the Ladies' Auxiliary of the VFW and the Moose Lodge where she held many positions in local and state ranks. Joann was an active member of the Moose for 38 years fraternally as well as the social activities of the Moose Lodge. She obtained the three higher degrees of the WOTM and participated in their bowling and dart teams for years. She could be seen at many dinners being a cashier or enjoying them.

Joann enjoyed spending time with family and friends whether just visiting or putting puzzles together or playing cards. She was lovingly referred to as "Granny Alice," (a nick-name that she hated!) She was also an avid reader and faithful Facebook friend to many. Joann's greatest joy was watching her kids, grandkids and great-grandkids participate in any school or sports activity where she boisterously cheered them on! She even was awarded a Lifetime Membership for AAU Wrestling.

Joann is survived by her husband of 61 years, Neil; children, Kathy (Rocky) Obergfell, Terry (Luanne) Williams, Curt Williams and David (Colleen) Williams, all of Sidney; 11 grandchildren, 16 great-grandchildren; sister, Darlene (Chuck) Gardner of Great Falls, Montana; Brother-in-laws, Keith (Marika) Williams and Lyle (Marilyn) Williams; Numerous nieces and nephews.

Joann was preceded in death by her parents; sister and brother-in-law, Bernice and Mahlon Whipperman and infant brother, Gary Neil Bren.

Honor Loving Memory

