

The LORD is my *Shepherd;*  
I shall not want.

He maketh me  
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 Thy 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 & mercy shall follow me  
all the days of my life;

And I will dwell in the house  
of the LORD *forever.*  
- Psalm 23



*In Loving Memory Of*

**Verna Mae Erickson**

**"Vam"**

February 16, 1930 - December 9, 2021

Verna Mae (Vam) Erickson died at the Bethel Lutheran Home in Williston, ND on Thursday, December 9, 2021.

She was born February 16, 1930 in Sioux City, IA to Oscar and Helen Albeck. She graduated from Central High School in 1948.

Vam was united in marriage with Kenneth Erickson on October 21, 1950. They resided in Sioux City where their two children Connie and Doug were born. As Ken's employment with a Finance Company kept them moving they lived in Laramie, WY, Council Bluffs, IA and Des Moines, IA before a transfer to Williston, ND in May of 1959 where they have since resided.

They spent many happy years at their lake home at Paradise Point. She enjoyed knitting, Hardunger, Bridge and Golf (even getting a hole in one!).

Vam is survived by husband, Ken at the Bethel Home; daughter, Connie (Don) Longmuir of Stanley, ND; son, Doug (Kimberly) Erickson of Cheshire, CT; grandchildren, Molly (Bob) Wheaton and their children, Raegan and Gavin of Brownstown, MI; Dr. Mark (Nikki) Longmuir and their children, Kolton, Logan, Jessa, Isaak and Henzlie of Stanley, ND; Jeff Erickson of Cheshire, CT and Jamie-Marie (Spencer) Wetmore of Berlin, CT; brother, Dean (Marcia) Albeck and sister-in-law, Lois Burke

She joined her parents, Oscar and Helen Albeck; in-laws, Leonard and Ella Erickson; brother, Richard (Lois) Albeck; sister-in-law, Jean Albeck; brothers-in-law, Dwayne (JoAnn) Erickson and Irvin Burke; infant brother, Orville and sister, Connie.

In lieu of flowers please leave a memorial to your favorite charity.

## **In Loving Memory Verna Mae Erickson**

**Born to Oscar & Helen Albeck**  
February 16, 1930 ~ Sioux City, Iowa

**Called Home to Her Heavenly Father**  
December 9, 2021 ~ Williston, North Dakota

**Funeral Service**  
Wednesday, December 15, 2021 at 2:00 PM  
Fulkerson Stevenson Funeral Home Chapel  
Williston, North Dakota

**Officiating**  
Pastor Jeanne Madsen

**Music**  
"Amazing Grace"  
"How Great Thou Art"

**Pallbearers**  
Mark Longmuir      Nicole Longmuir  
Robert Wheaton      Molly Wheaton  
Jeff Erickson      Jamie Wetmore      Spencer Wetmore

**Honorary Pallbearers**  
Raegan Wheaton      Gavin Wheaton  
Kolton Longmuir      Logan Longmuir  
Jessa Longmuir      Isaak Longmuir      Henzlie Longmuir

**Final Resting Place**  
Fairview Cemetery  
Stanley, North Dakota

**Arrangements By**  
Fulkerson Stevenson Funeral Home  
Williston, North Dakota