



The measure of a man  
is not the **NUMBER**  
of servants he has  
but the number of  
*People he Serves*

Lauren Van Rosendale, 86 of Tioga, ND, passed away on Saturday, March 25, 2023, at the Tioga Medical Care Center in Tioga, ND.

Lauren was born to Florence Downing and Charles Van Rosendale in Miller, SD.

Lauren was raised in Miller, SD and attended schools in Miller. He graduated school in 1954 and then joined the United States Navy in 1954 and was Honorably Discharged in 1957 in San Diego, California.

He met Linda S. Ewing married at The Little Brown Church in Nashua, Iowa in February, 1959. They had 3 children Lyle, Laurene, and Lori. Linda and Lauren raised their 3 children between Indiana and South Dakota. They later were divorced.

He worked as an inspector for the State of South Dakota Department of Transportation. He coached boxing in Hand County, South Dakota for upwards of 10 years.

Lauren was known for being a great pool player, pinochle and a serious competitor of playing cribbage. He wouldn't go easy on opponents you had to earn the win. He was the owner of the Skol Bar for many years. He would bring a lot of people into his life as customers that would also become friends. Lauren was very involved with the community and enjoyed driving the veterans bus.

Lauren is survived by his children, Lyle (Tammy) Van Rosendale, Laurene (Steve) Long and Lori (Jeff) Woods; brother; Donald (Beverly) Van Rosendale; 8 grandchildren; 17 great-grandchildren; and 2 great-great-grandchildren.

He is preceded by his parents; half-sister, Lotus Summer; and great-grandson, Austin Lee Byrer.



*Celebrating* THE *Life* OF

**Lauren Van Rosendale**



October 28, 1936 - March 25, 2023



## *Lauren Van Rosendale*

**Born to Charles & Florence Van Rosendale**

October 28, 1936  
Miller, South Dakota

**Returned to His Heavenly Father**

March 25, 2023  
Tioga, North Dakota

**Memorial Service**

Saturday, April 1, 2023 at 1:00 PM  
Fulkerson Stevenson Funeral Home Chapel  
Tioga, North Dakota

**Officiating**

Pastor Mike Olson

**Music**

"Old Rugged Cross"

"Little Brown Church in the Vale"

"Amazing Grace"

"Anchors Away"

**Honorary Urn Bearers**

Susan & Colin Christofferson  
Grant Kallberg

**Arrangements By**

Fulkerson Stevenson Funeral Home  
Tioga, North Dakota

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

