



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 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 and 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

Avanell Marie Jacobson

WHO WAS BORN

June 24, 1930

Watertown, South Dakota

AND CALLED TO HER ETERNAL HOME

April 2, 2018

Ortonville, Minnesota

FUNERAL SERVICE

Friday, April 6, 2018 - 10:30 a.m.

St. John's Catholic Church

Ortonville, Minnesota

OFFICIANTS

Padre David Garza

Deacon Paul Treinen

MUSICIANS

Pat Kunz, Organist

Lael Jacobson, Soloist

Sonda Jacobson, Pianist

CASKET BEARERS

Caleb Jacobson Logan Jacobson

Ben Jacobson Dan Jacobson Zach Jacobson

Branda Jacobson Riley Jacobson Tennie Jacobson

HONORARY BEARERS

Rose Lichty Neil Young Lael Jacobson

Staff and residents at Fairway View

Ortonville Hospital Staff

INTERMENT

Mound Cemetery

Ortonville, Minnesota

APPRECIATION

Avanell's family is grateful for your attendance at this service.
Your expressions of kindness and love are deeply
appreciated. Following the service, please join the family
for lunch and fellowship in the church dining room.

Avanell Marie Jacobson was born on June 24, 1930, in Watertown, SD. She was the daughter of Gustave and Theresa (Ronke) Marquardt. She grew up on the family farm near Florence, SD. Avanell attended country school through the eighth grade, and graduated from Watertown High School.

Avanell met her husband, Eugene Willard Jacobson, on a blind date. They were united in marriage on June 19, 1951 in Florence, SD. Together they farmed northeast of Ortonville and upon retirement, they moved to Ortonville.

Avanell was a faithful and long-time member of St. John's Catholic Church and was active with the ladies circle and Bowl of Love. Avanell always enjoyed sharing afternoon coffee with friends. She was an avid walker and loved to garden, raising vegetables and flowers. She enjoyed embroidering dish towels and giving them as gifts. She was a Minnesota Twins fan and loved to read anything by Louis L'Amour. Cooking and baking for family was her passion, and she will always be remembered for her "famous" O'Henry and SpongeBob Bars. Most importantly, Avanell treasured time spent with her family and friends.

Left to cherish her memory are her children: Bruce Jacobson of Pierre, SD; Brent (Dorla) Jacobson of Clinton, MN; Barbara Young of Libby, MT; Bradley (Sonda) Jacobson of Harris, MN; grandchildren: Ben Jacobson (fiancé Kenzi); Dan Jacobson; Caleb (Megan) Jacobson; Logan (Sarah) Jacobson, Lael Jacobson; Rose (Tyler) Lichty; Neil Young, Zach (Kaitlin) Jacobson; Branda Jacobson (fiancé Matt); Riley (Sherahlynn) Jacobson; and Tennie Jacobson; great-grandchildren: Linnea Jacobson and Lucia Jacobson; brother, LaMar (Dee) Marquardt of Watertown, SD; and sister-in-law, Joan Marquardt of Watertown, SD. She was preceded in death by her parents; husband, Gene; and siblings: Laverne Marquardt and Lavonne Robbins.

