



I HAVE A PLACE IN HEAVEN

Please don't sing sad songs for me,
Forget your grief and fears,
For I am in a perfect place,
Away from pain and tears...

I'm far away from hunger
And hurt and want and pride.
I have a place in Heaven
With the Master at my side.

My life on earth was very good,
As earthly lives can go,
But Paradise is so much more
Than anyone can know...

My heart is filled with happiness
And sweet rejoicing, too.
To walk with God is perfect peace,
A joy forever new.

IN LOVING MEMORY OF

Kenneth Alan Strandvold

WHO WAS BORN

August 11, 1934
Portland, Oregon

AND CALLED TO HIS ETERNAL HOME

January 15, 2019
Milbank, South Dakota

FUNERAL SERVICE

Friday, January 18, 2019 - 10:30 a.m.
Living Word Lutheran Church
Milbank, South Dakota

OFFICIANT

Rev. Kent Groethe

MUSICIANS

Judy Sprung, Pianist
Brenda Maass, Soloist

CASKET BEARERS

David Wellnitz Jason Wellnitz Michelle Wellnitz
Chris Rabe TJ Rabe Tracy Upton

HONORARY BEARERS

Antique Car Club

INTERMENT

Milbank City Cemetery
Milbank, South Dakota

APPRECIATION

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

ARRANGEMENTS BY

Mundwiler Funeral Home
Milbank, South Dakota

Kenneth Alan Strandvold was born on August 11, 1934, in Portland, Oregon, to Carl and Evelyn (Hanson) Strandvold. Ken moved to Milbank with his parents at the age of seven and has lived in Milbank since that time. He married Kay Kottwitz at First English Lutheran Church in Ortonville on September 11, 1955.

Ken worked for the Standard Oil Service Station, Hunter Granite, and Storsteen Auto, but was best known as an insurance agent for thirty years with First National/Norwest/Wells Fargo Banks. Ken retired in 1996, and he and Kay spent their winters in Texas for the next twenty years. He was a member of Living Word Lutheran Church and the Antique Car Club. Ken was especially fond of his old cars: a 1966 Chevy Impala Convertible, a 1956 Ford Crown Victoria, and a 1966 Ford Mustang. He was also an avid golfer. Ken and Kay enjoyed traveling all over the world.

Ken is survived by his wife, Kay; daughter, Karla (Gary) Wellnitz of Milbank; grandchildren: David, Jason (Amber), and Michelle; and two great-grandchildren: Treyton and Benson.

He was preceded in death by his parents; son, Keith; and brother, Phil.

When Ken would say good bye, he would do the Hawaiian sign and say, "Hang Loose", and walk away with a smile on his face.

"Hang Loose!"



In Memory Of Kenneth Strandvold



1966 Chevy Impala Convertible



1956 Ford Crown Victoria

1966 Ford Mustang