

I'm Free

Don't grieve for me, for now I'm free.
I'm following the path God has laid you see.
I took his hand when I heard His call.
I turned my back and left it all.

I could not stay another day,
To laugh, to love, to work or play.
Tasks left undone must stay that way,
I found the peace at the close of day.

If my parting has left a void,
Then fill it with remembered joy
A friendship shared, a laugh, a kiss,
Oh yes, these things I too will miss.

Be not burdened with times of sorrow.
I wish you the sunshine of tomorrow.
My life's been full, I savored much.
Good friends, good times, a loved one's touch.

Perhaps my time seemed all too brief.
Don't lengthen it now with undue grief.
Lift up your hearts, and to thee
God wanted me now, He set me free.



IN LOVING MEMORY OF

Douglas Wayne Tietjen

WHO WAS BORN
January 15, 1964
Milbank, South Dakota

AND CALLED TO HIS ETERNAL HOME
June 7, 2019
Corona, South Dakota

GATHERING OF FAMILY AND FRIENDS
Thursday, June 13, 2019 - 5:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m.
Mundwiler Funeral Home Chapel
Milbank, South Dakota

APPRECIATION
Doug's family is grateful for your attendance at this gathering.
Your expressions of kindness and love are deeply appreciated.

ARRANGEMENTS BY
Mundwiler Funeral Home
Milbank, South Dakota



Douglas Wayne Tietjen was born on January 15, 1964, in Milbank, SD, to Elmer and Sylvia (Green) Tietjen.

Doug worked for United Hardware, Dakota Granite, Harms Gravel, and most recently, Dakota Machine Works. He enjoyed fishing, working on small engines, and maintaining his vehicles. In the last several years, Doug enjoyed his trips to ride motorcycles through the Black Hills with his brother, Ron.

The happiest time in Doug's life was when his son, Dylan, was born in 1994. Being a father was the best part of his life. He enjoyed helping others and would do anything for anyone.

Doug is survived by his son, Dylan Tietjen of Watertown, SD; his significant other and Dylan's mom, Sandy Roedocker of Milbank, SD; Dylan's brother, Matt (Jennifer) Roedocker of Watertown, SD; sisters: Ione Swedlund of Volga, SD; and Arlys (Ed) Kraft of Sun City, AZ; brothers: Dennis (Annie) Tietjen of Remer, MN; and Ron Tietjen of Spearfish, SD; and many nieces, nephews, and cousins.

Doug was preceded in death by his parents: Elmer and Sylvia; sister, Judy Brotzel; brothers: Dan "Duke" Tietjen and Lee Tietjen; and cousin and friend, John Pond.



*Peaceful
Reflections...*