

## Hilda Elizabeth "Sandy" Baier

Hilda Elizabeth "Sandy" (Sandvand) Baier was born July 24, 1934, in Seattle, WA, where she met and married Edward Dean Baier on August 20, 1959. They moved to Rapid City, SD, and later to Sturgis.

Throughout her life, Sandy was very active with her husband. She enjoyed metal detecting and rock hounding. In recent years, she greeted for, and was a member of LifeSpring Wesleyan Church. She very much enjoyed her church family. She also enjoyed yard sales, auctions, and competing with her husband to sell the most items on eBay. She took great pleasure in spending time with her grandkids and great-grandkids.

Hilda was a huge encourager to others, always offering a kind word and warm embrace. She spent a lot of time in the word of God. She had a strong relationship with the Lord and shared that love with many.

Hilda "Sandy" Baier, age 84, of Sturgis, SD, died Tuesday, June 18, 2019, at Firesteel Healthcare in Mitchell, SD.

She is survived by one sister, Leona Kriess; her husband, Edward Dean Baier; son, Brian Baier and his fiancé, Barb Meverden; daughter, Karen (Keith) Whitford; grandchildren, Josh (Amber) Whitford, Kristin (Joel) Lankutis, Kelsey (Jeremy) Eckhart, Jeff Baier, and Josh (Kayla) Meverden; many great-grandchildren; and special caregiver, Ashley Patta.

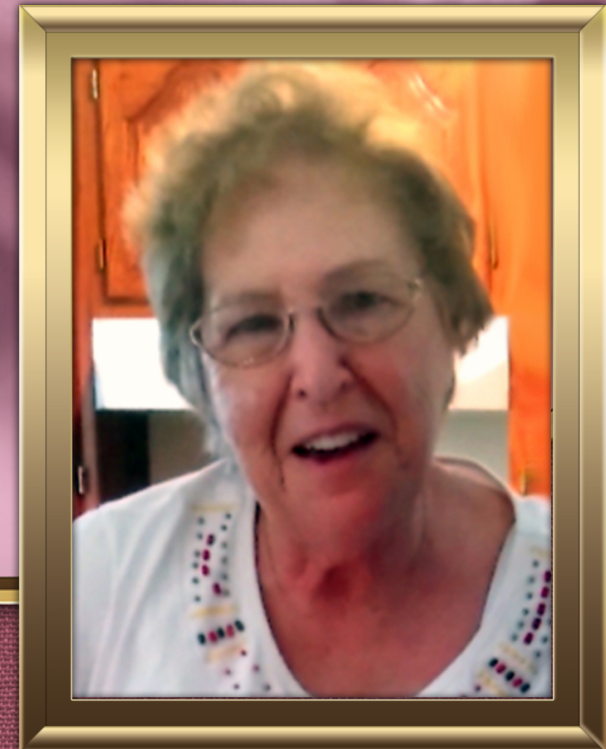
She was preceded in death by her son, Gary Allen Baier; grandson, Greg Allen Baier; and 6 brothers and sisters.

A memorial has been established to Firesteel Healthcare Memory Care Unit. A special thanks to the Memory Care Health and Hospice Team.

Condolences may be sent to the family at [www.kinkadefunerals.com](http://www.kinkadefunerals.com).

***A Mother holds her children's hands for a while. . .  
Their hearts forever.***

*The family invites you to join them for fellowship and lunch in the church basement following the committal service. We thank you for your presence and condolences.*



*In Loving Memory*  
**Hilda Elizabeth "Sandy" Baier**

*July 24, 1934 ~ June 18, 2019*



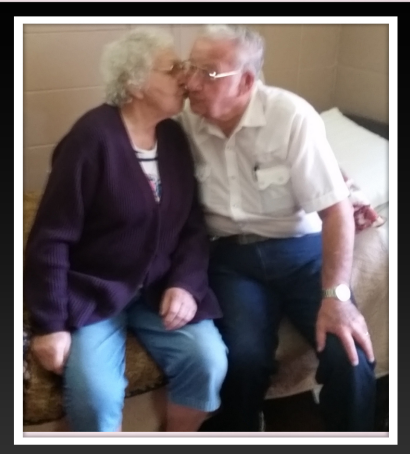


*Life is but a stopping place,  
A pause in what's to be,  
A resting place along the road,  
To sweet Eternity.*

*We all have different journeys,  
Different paths along the way,  
We all were meant to learn some things,  
But never meant to stay...*

*Our destination is a place,  
Far greater than we know,  
For some the journey's quicker,  
For some, the journey's slow.*

*But when the journey finally ends,  
We'll claim a great reward,  
And find an everlasting peace,  
Together with the Lord.*



*In Memory Of*  
***Hilda Elizabeth "Sandy" Baier***

***Date of Birth***  
July 24, 1934  
Seattle, Washington

***Date of Death***  
June 18, 2019  
Mitchell, South Dakota

***Funeral Service***  
Monday, June 24, 2019, at 11:00 a.m.  
LifeSpring Wesleyan Church  
Sturgis, South Dakota

***Officiant***  
Pastor Matt Shulaw

***Musical Selections***  
"Amazing Grace"  
"How Great Thou Art"  
"The Old Rugged Cross"

***Pallbearers***  
Josh Whitford ~ Jeremy Eckhart  
Josh Meverden ~ Tom Aga

***Honorary Pallbearers***  
Jeff Baier ~ Joel Lankutis

***Final Resting Place***  
Black Hills National Cemetery  
Sturgis, South Dakota