



*I am with you always; I never sleep
So for my body, please don't weep.
I am God's thousand winds that blow
I am God's diamond glint on snow.
I am God's sun on ripened grain
I am God's gentle touch of rain.
When you awake in the morning's hush
I am the swift uplifting rush
Of God's quiet birds in circled flight
I am God's stars that shine at night.
Do not think of me as gone
I am with you all in each new dawn.*



In Loving Memory



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Kathi Granum

December 28, 1946

September 20, 2022

Funeral Service

10:30 A.M. Tuesday, September 27, 2022

First Lutheran Church

Volga, South Dakota

Clergy

Pastor Laura Overbo

Music

Amazing Grace ~ Elvis

I Can Only Imagine ~ Mercy me

Go Rest High on That Mountain ~ Vince Gill

Pallbearers

*Derek Granum Chase Grengs Stephanie Hruska
Kaylee Granum Carly Granum Avery Granum*

Honorary Pallbearers

*Mary Lee Cathy Blomberg Jacki Nelson
Stephanie Bayer Susie Flynn Donna Sauer
The late Sheila Bayer Diann Hoffman*

Interment

*First Lutheran Cemetery
Volga, SD*

Kathi Granum, 75, of Volga, passed away on Tuesday, September 20, 2022, at the Sanford USD Medical Center in Sioux Falls.

Kathi Granum was born on December 28, 1946, to Donald and Dorothy (Russell) King in Redwood Falls, Minnesota. The family later moved to Brookings, South Dakota, where Kathi graduated from Brookings High School. She was united in marriage to Gerald Granum on June 21, 1964.

Kathi developed a love of writing early in her life and devoted most of her professional career as editor of the Volga Tribune and Arlington Sun. She also was a contributing writer to various other publications throughout the Midwest.

Kathi also worked for Swiftel Communications while continuing to freelance for the Volga Tribune.

Besides raising five children, in her "spare time", she enjoyed volunteering as a Court Appointed Special Advocate (CASA), and Beta Psi and Jaycette board member. Kathi was an avid reader, a bowling enthusiast, and enjoyed quality time at her Lake Campbell home taking pontoon rides and winning the annual family bean bag tournament five years in a row with her son David.

Kathi also loved watching all her grandchildren's activities, particularly basketball. She will be remembered as an amazing wife, mother, and grandmother.

Kathi is survived by her husband, Gerald, of Volga; daughter, Lynn Grengs (Doug) of Brookings; sons: Gerry (Gina) of Tualatin, OR, Jamie (Teresa) of Volga, David (Angie) of Rochester, MN, and Darin (Karen) of Worthing, SD; 15 grandchildren; 6 great-grandchildren; and mother-in-law, Arlene Granum of Volga.

She is preceded in death by her parents, Donald and Dorothy King; father-in-law, Sylvan Granum; brother, Russ King; sister, Marlene West; sisters-in-law: Sally Roth and Pam Granum; and brothers-in-law: Dick Walter and Stan West.

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