

Mom,

I know you.

*You don't wear your feelings around
on the outside for everyone to see.*

You don't feel you have to chatter a lot to be heard.

You sometimes like to keep things to yourself.

But you never fooled me, even once.

*Even though we hardly ever talked
about feelings in so many words,*

I always knew how much you cared.

*I knew it in a million ways,
by a million and one little things
you did to let it show.*

*And somehow I've always known
that beneath that tough exterior
was the most special, loving,
and caring mother in the world.*

*So thanks for being just the way you were . . .
you'll never know how much it meant
to have a mother just like you.*

*And even though we don't often talk
about feelings in so many words,
I love you, too . . . I always will.*

Ellen Brenneman



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In Loving Memory



Carol Mae Redwing passed away Saturday, November 18, 2023 in Watertown, SD at the age of 78.

Carol Mae (Beatty) Redwing, the daughter of Earl and Iona (Bell) Beatty was born on December 3, 1944, in Luverne, Minnesota. She lived in Jasper, MN and attended Jasper Public Schools until moving to Pipestone where she attended Pipestone High School graduating in 1962. She worked as a waitress and later married Rupert H. Redwing on January 13, 1963, at Pipestone, Minnesota and started raising a family. They made their home in Pipestone until 1971 when the couple moved to Watertown, SD. She worked for Crystal Water in Watertown, SD, where she won many awards for her work. She enjoyed loom knitting, puzzles, scratch off tickets and spending time with her family.

She is preceded in death by her husband, Rupert, her parents, three siblings, and one infant son.

She is survived by four daughters; Sandra (Kevin) Stark of Perris, CA, Connie Dragoo of Norfolk, NE, Tina Clarkson of Minneapolis, KS, and Elizabeth Ober of North Platte, NE; five sons; Clayton (Deb) Redwing of Sioux Falls, SD, Kevin (Denise) Redwing of Perris, CA, Keith (Julie) Redwing of Norfolk, NE, Timothy Redwing of Clifton, IL and Brian Redwing of Watertown, SD, one brother Donald (Marcella) Beatty of Balaton, MN, 33 grandchildren, 38 great grandchildren and 2 great-great grandchildren.



Celebrating the Life of Carol Mae Redwing

Visitation

First United Methodist Church
Watertown, South Dakota
Monday, November 27, 2023, 5-7 PM

Services From

First United Methodist Church
Watertown, South Dakota
Friday, December 15, 2023, 10 AM

Officiant

Pastor Jen Tyler

Music

Daniel Tsukamoto - Pianist

Kristina Mullen - Soloist

Processional - "Amazing Grace"

Soloist—"On Eagle's Wings"

Soloist—"Old Rugged Cross"

Recessional - "How Can I Help You Say Goodbye" - Patty Loveless

Honorary Pall Bearers

Her Grandchildren, Great Grandchildren & Great-Great Grandchildren

Pall Bearers

Travis Cartney

Rick Sommers

Jerrin Stulken

Zachary Redwing

Cole Clarkson

Rick Cartney

Interment

Oxford Cemetery
Thomas, South Dakota

*Following the burial, please join the family for lunch and
a time of fellowship and remembrance back at the church.*

*The family of Carol Redwing thanks you for your presence here today,
for your thoughts, prayers, and other acts of kindness shown to them.*