

Memorial Visitation

Wednesday, February 11, 2026

11:00 - 2:00 PM

Kuhler Funeral Home

Casket Bearers

Stacy Goergen
Paul Cernick
Drew Cernick
Jerrad Hopper
Jake Rozell
Vance Janak

*Thank you for your many kindnesses
evidenced in thought, word and
deed, and for your attendance.*

The family of Katrina Shelton

Honorary Casket Bearers

Jace Salley
Zane Salley
Tanner Cernick
Makayla Goergen
Sierra Goergen
Jencie Goergen
Molly Hopper
Emily Janak
Taylor Kissner

Interment

Restlawn Memory Gardens Cemetery
Huron, South Dakota

In Loving Memory



Katrina Shelton

January 2, 1940

February 6, 2026



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Katrina Stahl Shelton was a devoted wife, mother, grandmother and great-grandmother — affectionately known as “Gigi.”

She was born and raised on a farm in Seward, Illinois. After attending cosmetology school, she married Richard Shelton on August 15, 1959, and together they began a lifetime of adventures.

Throughout their many moves, Huron, South Dakota, became their final home. Katrina’s entrepreneurial spirit led her to co-own a rental business before she purchased and operated the Dairy Queen in Huron. She later opened a second Dairy Queen in the mall. After selling those businesses, she founded A Touch of Country, which she expanded twice and successfully operated for 16 years before selling. Even after retiring, she

continued working as a buyer for several years — a testament to her creativity and work ethics.

Katrina was active in PEO, Beta Sigma Phi, and the Jaycees, and she cherished her time playing cards with friends. She was admired for her timeless sense of style, her talent for decorating, and her gift for hosting gatherings filled with warmth and laughter. Her “Garden Club” friends became like family — lifelong companions who shared joy, creativity, and countless memories. It was with them that “Wanda’s Pancakes” were born — a treasured family recipe that continues to bring loved ones together across generations.

Above all, Katrina’s greatest joy was her family. She loved nothing more than being surrounded by her children and grandchildren.

Katrina is lovingly remembered by her children, Belinda and Paul Cernick of Rice Lake, Wisconsin, Kent and Laurie Shelton of Huron, South Dakota, Tina and JC Salley of Rapid City, South Dakota and Amy and Stacy Goergen of Huron, South Dakota; along with 11 grandchildren and 13 great-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Richard “Dick” Shelton; her parents, Garelt and Evelyn Stahl; her brother and sister-in-law, Garelt and Lois Stahl; and her granddaughter, Savannah Cernick.

Katrina passed away peacefully Friday, February 6, 2026, at the Huron Regional Medical Center, surrounded by her loving family, at the age of 86 years, 1 month and 4 days.