



PSALM 23

*The Lord is my Shepherd:*

I SHALL NOT WANT.

*He Maketh me to lie down*

IN GREEN PASTURES : HE LEADETH ME  
BESIDE THE STILL WATERS.

*He Restoreth my Soul, He leadeth me*

IN THE PATHS OF RIGHTEOUSNESS  
FOR HIS NAME'S SAKE.

*Yea, though I walk through the Valley*

OF THE SHADOW OF DEATH, I WILL FEAR  
NO EVIL: FOR THOU ART WITH ME ; THY ROD  
AND THY STAFF THEY COMFORT ME.

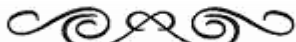
*Thou preparest a table before me*

IN THE PRESENCE OF MINE ENEMIES :  
THOU ANOINTEST MY HEAD WITH OIL ;  
MY CUP RUNNETH OVER.

*Surely Goodness and Mercy shall follow*

ME ALL THE DAYS OF MY LIFE : AND I WILL DWELL  
IN THE HOUSE OF THE LORD FOR EVER.

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*In Loving Memory*



Eleanor Wiesner, age 92, of Watertown, SD, died March 21, 2024 at Avantara Care Center of Lake Norden with family by her side.

On February 23, 1932, on a farm six miles east of Estelline, SD, Eleanor H. Bruinsma was born to parents Dirk and Ida (Franken) Bruinsma. She grew up on the farm with her ten siblings and attended school in Estelline graduating in 1949. Following graduation, she attended Dakota State College where she obtained her teaching certificate. She then taught for a year in a one room country school.

Eleanor was united in marriage to Wallace "Wally" Wiesner on June 15, 1951, in Clear Lake, SD. Wally was called into the service but upon his return, the couple made their home in Brookings, Sioux Falls, Irene, Beresford and back to Sioux Falls while raising their two sons, Gary and Calvin. Eleanor loved the outdoors and especially hiking. She hiked often and was a member of the local hiking club. She was active in her church circle and enjoyed knitting afghans, doing needlework, and baking especially her bars and her well-remembered apple pies. In the center of Eleanor's life was her family. She thoroughly cherished her grandchildren and loved attending their sporting and school events.

She is preceded in death by her parents, her husband and her siblings, Jesse, Alvin, Ben, Janet, Stephanie, Art, Lester, Delmer and Iva Mae.

Grateful for having shared Eleanor's life are her two children, Gary Wiesner and his wife, Jill of Pickstown and Calvin Wiesner and his wife, Sandy of Watertown, four grandchildren, Brad Wiesner, Sarah Schmillen, Kyle Wiesner, and Jenny Bernin, and seven great grandchildren. She also leaves her brother, Robert Bruinsma and a sister-in-law, Mary Bruinsma.

*The family of Eleanor Wiesner thanks  
you for your presence here today,  
for your thoughts, prayers, and other  
acts of kindness shown to them. Following  
the service, please join them for  
refreshments in the fellowship area.*



## *Celebrating the Life of Eleanor H. Wiesner*



### ***Services***

Lutheran Church of Our Redeemer  
Watertown South Dakota  
Wednesday, March 27, 2024  
1:00 PM

### ***Officiant***

Pastor Laura Overbo

### ***Music***

A.J. Sherrill—Pianist  
Robyn Givens—Soloist  
"Just a Closer Walk With Thee"  
"How Great Thou Art"  
"On Eagles Wings"

### ***Casket Bearers***

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|-----------------|----------------|
| Cathee Bruinsma | Conda Bruinsma |
| Steve Kalsbeck  | Roger Kalsbeck |
| Chris Johnson   | Cammie German  |
| Dean Bruinsma   | Donna Jensen   |

### ***Honorary Bearers***

Brad Wiesner, Sarah Schmillen, Kyle Wiesner, Jenny Bernin

### ***Interment***

Lake View Cemetery  
Clear Lake, South Dakota

