

## Rev. David Paul Walker

Rev. David Paul Walker was born on December 29, 1961, in Deadwood, SD, to Walter and Viola Walker. David had 5 siblings and was the youngest among the six children. He was raised in Central City, SD, and lived his entire life in the Black Hills.

He married Julita Aguilor on April 15, 2007, and together they were blessed with two wonderful children, Esther and Daniel Walker. He was a godly, loving, and wonderful husband to his wife, and father to his children. He had a strong faith in God and loved so much, his Maker, Savior, and Redeemer.

He attended school in Deadwood and graduated from Black Hills State University with a B.S. Degree, majoring in Industrial Technology, with a minor in Drafting. He also graduated from the 3-year ministerial studies program of the Berean School of the Bible. At an early age, he began writing poetry and published an inspirational poetry book entitled "If There Be Any Virtue or any Praise, Think On These Things" in 1997. During his college years, he was actively involved in various ministries such as Selah, Chi-Alpha, Fellowship of Christian Athletes, and B.A.S.I.C. (Brothers and Sisters in Christ). He was also involved in mission trips with B.A.S.I.C. and Y.W.A.M. (Youth with a Mission).

David worked as a freelance journalist writing articles for five different South Dakota newspapers. He worked in various companies, but especially enjoyed driving the school bus in the Meade County School District. His main goal in life was to preach the gospel and to share the love of Jesus with others. He was an Assembly of God Minister. He ministered to Buffalo, SD, several Nursing Homes in the Black Hills, the Veterans Home in Whitewood, and Assisted Living in Sturgis with his family.

He enjoyed being outdoors with his family, going on vacation, camping in the woods, fishing, and going for a drive and for a walk.

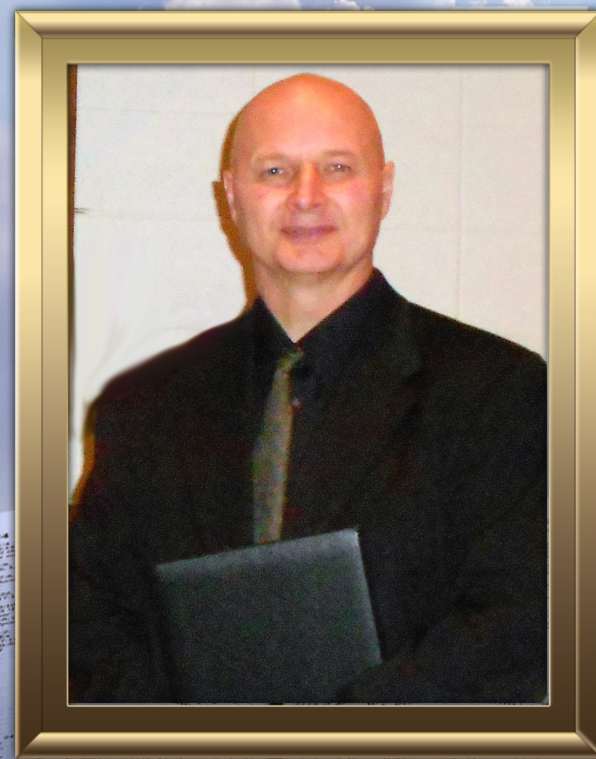
David, 57, of Whitewood, went to be with the Lord on Thursday, April 4, 2019, at home.

He is survived by his wife, Julita; daughter, Esther; son, Daniel; brothers and sisters, Bill (Birdie) Walker, Shirley (Bob) Olson, Ruth (Bob) Alfson, Rebekah Smith, and Timothy (Sheila) Walker; and his nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by his father and mother, Walter and Viola Walker.

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

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

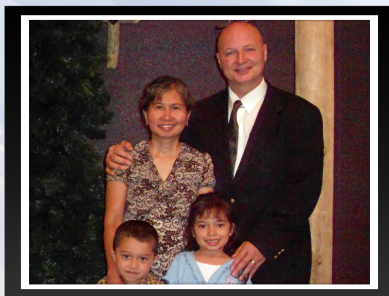


*In Loving Memory*

*Rev. David Paul Walker*

*December 29, 1961 ~ April 4, 2019*





## **Dawning Of Departure**

Look up for your redemption draweth nigh;  
for soon we'll leave  
this earthly domain to live with Christ on high.

Oh the majesty, the spendor,  
when we see Jesus face to face,  
to glory in his wonderous beauty,  
and bask in his embrace.

When you see the desolation,  
when famine and earthquakes  
shake the land,  
know for sure the second coming  
is at hand.

In the twinkling of an eye,  
all our sorrows will be nigh;  
as we rise to meet Jesus in the sky.

Though dark trails may assail me  
as I walk the narrow way,  
I have hope, for beauty  
dawns forever in Christ's eternal day.

In a whisper of compassion,  
with a touch of heavens grace;  
I am gently reminded that soon I'll  
rise to leave this earthly place.

Where time will no longer through  
heavens heaven's eternal door where beauty  
goes on forever on that distant shore.

## ***In Memory Of*** ***Rev. David Paul Walker***

### ***Date of Birth***

December 29, 1961  
Deadwood, South Dakota

### ***Date of Death***

April 4, 2019  
Whitewood, South Dakota

### ***Funeral Service***

Thursday, April 11, 2019, at 2:00 p.m.  
Crossroads Assembly of God  
Sturgis, South Dakota

### ***Clergy***

Pastor J.R. Meadows

### ***Soloist***

Daniel Walker - "Enter In" "I Can See"  
Esther Walker - "In Heaven's Eyes"

### ***Musical Selections***

"He Walks With Me" "Perfect Heart"  
"Power In The Blood" "He Sets Me Free" "Amazing Grace"

### ***Pallbearers***

Dan Alfson ~ Doug Alfson ~ Darrin Alfson  
Shaun Smith ~ Travis Smith ~ Robert Rousch ~ Mark Vaughn

### ***Honorary Pallbearers***

All Family, Friends, and Neighbors

### ***Final Resting Place***

Whitewood Cemetery  
Whitewood, South Dakota