

Gerald Wayne "Jerry" Anderson

May 12, 1943 - September 17, 2023

As many of you know - early on in Jerry's life, he had a passion for racing. For nearly 30 years, he raced his own cars as #87 at Willamette Speedway alongside his brother Charley (#62 & #97) and son Glenn (#64). Later in life he would return to that passion as a fan, alongside family at several events across the country.

In 1994, Jerry and his wife Janet followed a dream of his and headed for Alaska - Land of the midnight sun! He quickly fell back in love with his passion of fishing - and sockeye fishing was his favorite - Loved these words "The sockeye are running grab your poles!"

He and wife lived in Alaska for 20 years. It was here that he attended the Soldotna Church of Christ - and it was there he found a new love. The Love of our Lord and Savior! There he was baptized into Christ - Oh what a happy day that was!

Five years ago, we decided it was time.
to come back to Oregon, so we headed back!
His passion for the Lord grew, and he became very involved at the Toledo Church of Christ - he loved leading singing and "fixing what needed fixing!"

As anyone that knew him in his last years - One thing comes to mind - Lawn mowers

He spent many hours working on lawn mowers - They were all unique in their own way, and a challenge to him!

I am quite sure that he will hear:

"Well done good and faithful servant."



IN LOVING MEMORY

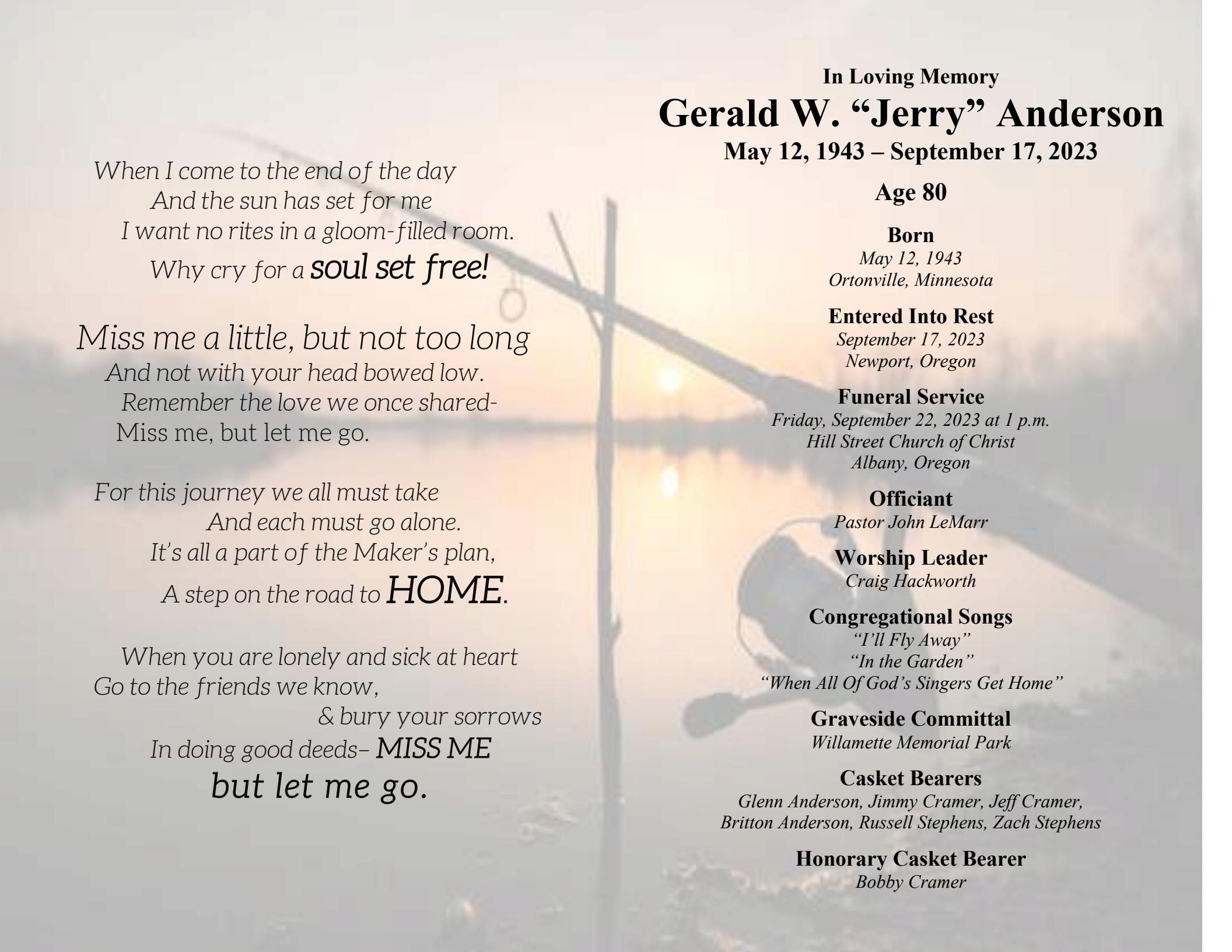
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*Precious in the sight of the Lord
is the death of His godly ones.*

-Psalm 116:15 NASB



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Age 80

Born

May 12, 1943
Ortonville, Minnesota

Entered Into Rest

September 17, 2023
Newport, Oregon

Funeral Service

Friday, September 22, 2023 at 1 p.m.
Hill Street Church of Christ
Albany, Oregon

Officiant

Pastor John LeMarr

Worship Leader

Craig Hackworth

Congregational Songs

"I'll Fly Away"

"In the Garden"

"When All Of God's Singers Get Home"

Graveside Committal

Willamette Memorial Park

Casket Bearers

Glenn Anderson, Jimmy Cramer, Jeff Cramer,
Britton Anderson, Russell Stephens, Zach Stephens

Honorary Casket Bearer

Bobby Cramer

When I come to the end of the day
And the sun has set for me
I want no rites in a gloom-filled room.
Why cry for a **soul set free!**

Miss me a little, but not too long
And not with your head bowed low.
Remember the love we once shared-
Miss me, but let me go.

For this journey we all must take
And each must go alone.
It's all a part of the Maker's plan,
A step on the road to **HOME**.

When you are lonely and sick at heart
Go to the friends we know,
& bury your sorrows
In doing good deeds- **MISS ME**
but let me go.