

## Pastor Robert Junior Roth

Bob was born March 10, 1931, in Faulk County, SD. Bob was the fourth of five sons to parents Robert W. Roth and Edith (Burke) Roth. He attended rural school for grades 1-8, and high school in Cresbard, SD, graduating in 1949. He farmed with his father upon completing high school. On May 28, 1951, he married Enid Wilkins in Aberdeen, SD. To this union six children were born.

In 1959, he entered Dakota Wesleyan University in Mitchell, SD, then on to Garrett Theological Seminary, Evanston, IL, in 1963, graduating with a Masters in Theology in 1967. Bob served parishes in Seneca, Fulton-Farmer in South Dakota; Marshall, Wisconsin while attending seminary; Belle Fourche-Camp Crook-Buffalo-Harding, Britton-Langford-Pierpont, and Sturgis, SD. From 1983-89, he served as Council Director for the South Dakota Conference of the United Methodist Church, while living in Mitchell. He retired in 1996 to Boulder Canyon, then on to Spearfish, SD.

Bob enjoyed playing amateur baseball, hunting, fishing, family camping, and photography. He helped organize and serve with the Belle Fourche ambulance service, coached youth baseball, served on community boards and agencies, and helped with many church camps.

In the afternoon of March 16, 2019, retired Pastor Robert Junior Roth, 88, passed away, comforted by family members near and far, ending his battle with Parkinson's, to be with his Lord and Savior in eternal peace.

Bob's immediate family includes his wife, Enid; sons, Tom of Kansas City, KS, Jerry (Kay) of Gillette, WY, and Ron of Sturgis, SD; daughters, Joanne (Rex) Vigoren of Spearfish, SD, Janice (Jo Powell) of Spearfish, SD, and Cheryl (James) Honomichl of Volga, SD; 10 grandchildren; nine great-grandchildren, with one more on the way; and one great-great-grandchild.

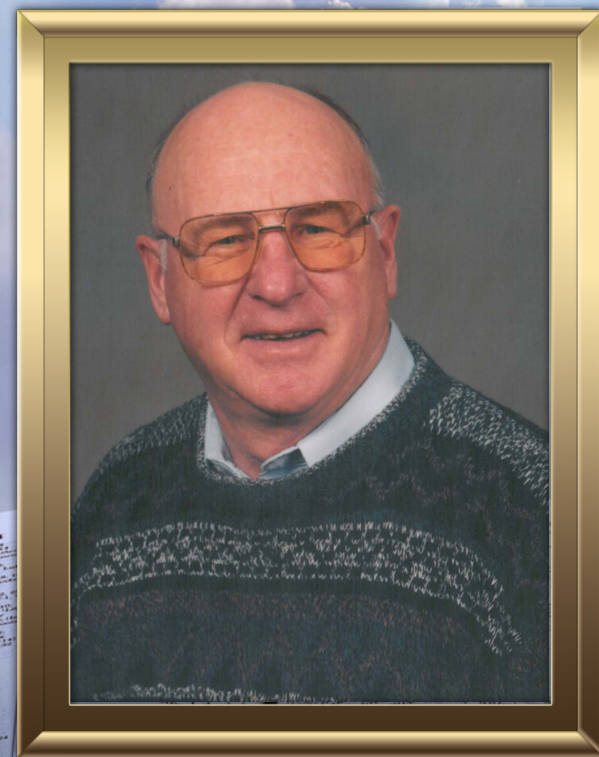
He was preceded in death by his grandson, Jacob Honomichl; daughter, Janice; two brothers; and his parents.

A memorial has been established.

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



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



*In Loving Memory*

*Pastor Robert Junior Roth*

*March 10, 1931 ~ March 16, 2019*





### ***After The Clouds***

***After the clouds, the sunshine,  
After the winter, the spring,  
After the shower, the rainbow,  
For life is a changeable thing;***

***After the night, the morning,  
Bidding all darkness cease,  
After life's cares and troubles,  
The comfort and sweetness of peace.***



## ***In Memory Of Pastor Robert Junior Roth***

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

March 10, 1931  
Faulk County, South Dakota

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

March 16, 2019  
Belle Fourche, South Dakota

### ***Funeral Service***

Friday, March 22, 2019, at 10:00 a.m.  
Sturgis United Methodist Church  
Sturgis, South Dakota

### ***Officiant***

Pastor Jenene Earl

### ***Musicians***

Harmonica: Pete Moe  
Organist: Dr. Mike Fellner  
Bells, Guitar and Vocals: Cheryl and Rylee Honomichl  
Myrna Hill

### ***Musical Selections***

"Lord You Have Come to the Lakeshore" hymnal #344  
"It Is Well With My Soul" hymnal # 377  
"Precious Lord, Take My Hand" hymnal # 474  
"Hymn of Promise" hymnal #707

### ***Pallbearers***

Tom Roth ~ Jerry Roth ~ Ron Roth  
Rex Vigoren ~ James Honomichl ~ Chris Roth

### ***Interment***

Pine Slope Cemetery  
Belle Fourche, South Dakota