

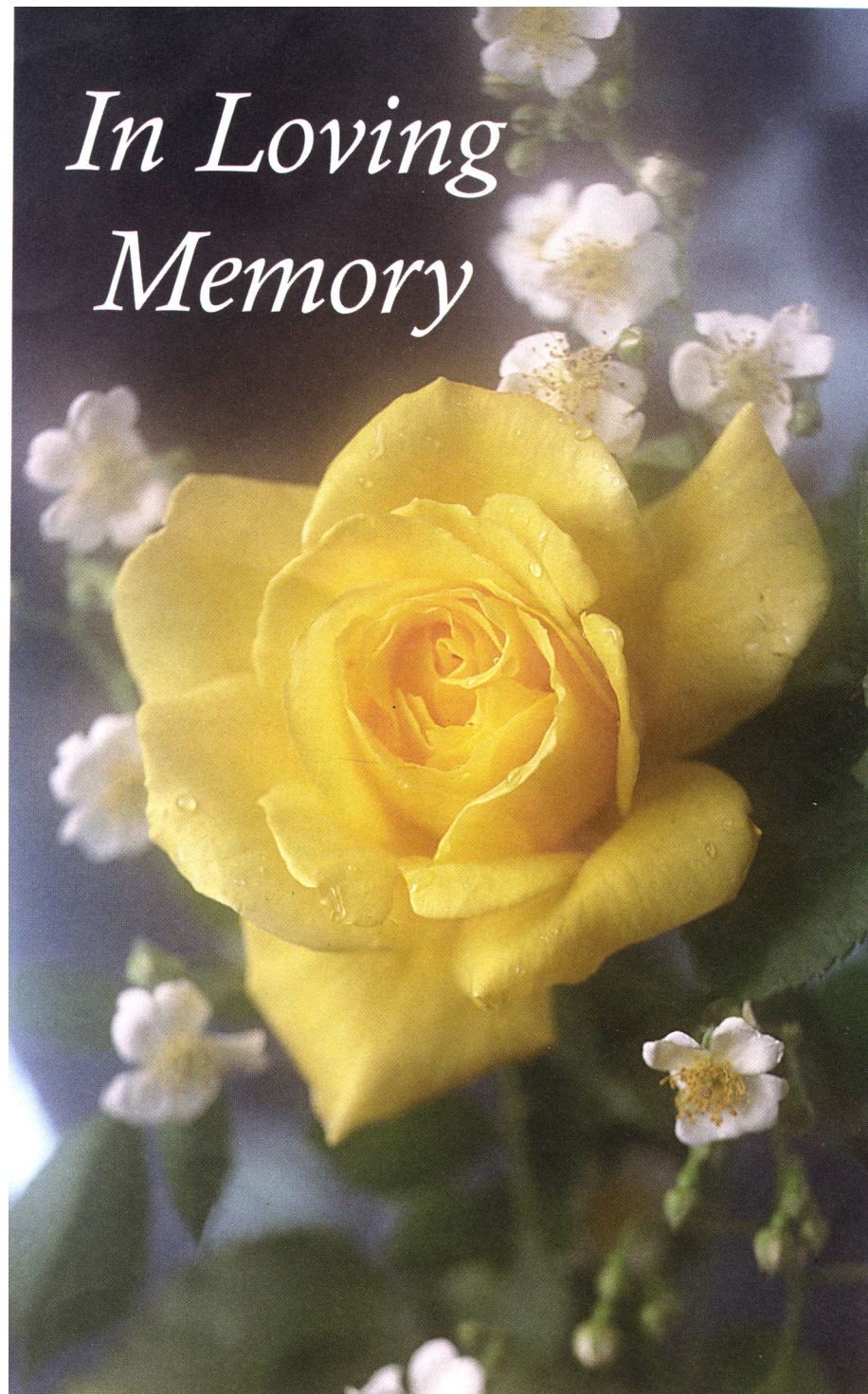
And when
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-Kahlil Gibran



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*In Loving
Memory*



Cynthia Anderson passed away peacefully on Monday, January 18, 2021 at St. Joseph's Hospital in St. Paul, MN at the age of 70. Cynthia Anne Anderson, the daughter of Gardena and Walter Anderson, was born October 27, 1950 in Watertown, South Dakota. Cynthia faced many challenges in life right from the beginning.

She was born prematurely and was affected with cerebral palsy. At an early age, she resided at a facility for disabled children in Sioux Falls, then became a resident of the Redfield State Hospital where she resided for eleven years.

In 1977, she moved to Sioux Falls to the United Cerebral Palsy Center where she lived for five years. In 1981 she moved to the Courage Center in Golden Valley, MN. The Courage Center is a residence for physically disabled persons and helped Cynthia learn to live a more independent life. One of her major goals was to obtain her GED. She was able to achieve that goal, and in 1982 she was awarded her GED.

From the Courage Center, she moved to her own apartment in Minneapolis where she lived for over 20 years, even tending her own garden. In 2008 she moved into Sterling Estates in New Brighton, MN where she resided until the time of her death.

Cynthia faced much adversity in her life but she was a fighter to the core. She liked to do fabric painting, puzzles, and listen to audiobooks. She loved her family and in recent years she really enjoyed watching videos of her three great-nephews, Bryce, Theo, and Mason.

She was preceded in death by her parents, Walter and Gardena Anderson of Clark, SD.

Survivors include her three sisters, Laura Conzet of Little Canada, MN; Judy Rider of Little Canada, MN; and Mary Jo (Gary) Pullman of Wrangell, AK; three nieces, two nephews, and three great-nephews.



Celebrating the Life of Cynthia Anderson



Services from

Furness Funeral Home Chapel
Clark, South Dakota
Saturday, October 23, 2021
10:30 a.m.

Officiant

Reverend Mark Tracy

Music

Lynnette Flint—Prelude & Postlude
Wendy Christman— Special Music
“Peace in the Valley”
“On Eagle’s Wings”

Private Interment

Rose Hill Cemetery
Clark, South Dakota



*Following the memorial service, please join the family for a dinner
& a time of fellowship in the community center of the Ulliyot Building.*

*The family of Cynthia Anderson thanks you for your presence here today,
for your thoughts, prayers, and other acts of kindness shown to them.*