

Timothy Jon Farstad, 69, Sturgis, passed away July 25, 2015, at the Department of Veterans Affairs, Fort Meade. He left this earth peacefully, surrounded by his family and with his granddaughter at his side, reading him the Bible.

He was born April 5, 1946, in Bismarck, ND, to Raymond and Virginia (Simon) Farstad and grew up on the family ranch near Watauga. After graduating from McIntosh High School in 1964, he enlisted in the US Air Force. He married Alice Barr in 1967, and after his honorable discharge from the Air Force, they returned to Watauga where they farmed and ranched over the next 29 years. Tim graduated from Northern State College in Aberdeen, SD, in 1985, where the family made their home for a short time. Tim was in the banking industry for 7 years at Dakota Plains Federal Credit Union in Lemmon.

He was a member of Christ Lutheran Church, Morrystown, where he served on the Church Council, and was a volunteer ambulance driver for the Lemmon EMT Association. He enjoyed camping and fishing, riding horse and tending his cattle and after his retirement, loved spending time on his motorcycle. His favorite thing, however, was spending time with his children and grandchildren.

After his retirement, Tim made his home in the Black Hills area, where he lived until his death.

He is survived by two daughters, Laurie (Tom) Lorius, Sturgis, and Becky (Stephen) Bone, Rapid City; one son, Tyrell (Mallory Weimer), Gillette, WY; and five grandchildren, Allison and Amber Lorius, Sturgis, Zachary and Sophie Bone, Rapid City, and Lucas Farstad, Gillette. He is also survived by two brothers, David and Lanita Farstad, Waverly, MN, and Kory and Mary Farstad, Hurton; and two sisters, Kristi and Byron Utter, Mobridge, and Sharon and Don Johnson, Spicer, MN. He is also survived by many nieces and nephews, a host of friends and relatives and the mother of his children, Alice Farstad Glanz.

He was preceded in death by his parents.

In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to the Jeff
McGregor Medical Fund, c/o Leslie
Niederman, 9075 65th Ave. SW,
Morrystown, SD 57645.

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

In Loving Memory Of



Timothy Jon Farstad

1946 ~ 2015



God saw he was
getting tired
and a cure was not to be
So He put His arms
around him
And whispered
"come to Me."



With tearful eyes we watched
him suffer
And saw him fade away
Although we loved him dearly
We could not make him stay.
A golden heart stopped beating
Hardworking hands
to rest



God broke our hearts
to prove to us
He takes the very best.



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Born
April 5, 1946
Bismarck, North Dakota

Died
July 25, 2015
Fort Meade, South Dakota

Memorial Service
Thursday, July 30, 2015, at 2:00 p.m.
Christ Lutheran Church
Morristown, South Dakota

Officiant
Pastor Nick Haasch

Special Music
Paul Robinson

Urn Bearer
Tyrell Farstad

Honorary Bearers
Bob Mollman ~ Frank Mollman ~ Stephen Bone
Tom Lorius ~ Allison Lorius ~ Amber Lorius
Zachary Bone ~ Sophia Bone ~ Lucas Farstad

Inurnment
At A Later Date
Black Hills National Cemetery
Sturgis, South Dakota