

Shirley Jean Peterman 86, of Velva, ND (formerly of Crosby, ND) passed away peacefully surrounded by family on Sunday, December 10, 2023 at the Souris Valley Care Center in Velva, ND after an extended illness.

Shirley was born in Crosby, ND to Elmer and Laura (Bjerken) Benter. She was working at the Tasty Freeze when she met Harvey Peterman whom she married on June 9, 1957. From this union was born their only child, David in 1959. Shirley and Harvey spent many hours watching his sports games and following him to rodeos. She was elected Divide County Judge and Clerk of Court in 1957 and held that position until she retired on December 31, 2006.

Shirley was a lifelong member of the Concordia Lutheran Church in Crosby, ND and was also very active in Homemakers Club and the Legion Auxiliary. In her free time, she enjoyed knitting.

Shirley is survived by her son, David (Shelley) of Minot, ND; special great nephews, Allan (Brittany) Shefstad and family of Burlington, ND and Larry (Lacey) Shefstad and family of Crosby, ND; sisters, Donna Looman of Miles City, MT and Dorene Anderson of Miles City, MT; sister-in-law, Myrna (Marlyn) Vondall of Trenton, ND; brother-in-law, Gordon Peterson of Washington.

She was preceded in death by her parents; husband, Harvey; brothers, Clarence and Robert Benter; sisters, Alice Shefstad and Lois Gabel.

In Loving Memory Shirley Jean Peterman

Born to Elmer & Laura Benter
April 14, 1937 ~ Crosby, North Dakota

Called Home to Her Heavenly Father
December 10, 2023 ~ Velva, North Dakota

Funeral Service

Saturday, December 16, 2023 ~ 2:00 PM
Concordia Lutheran Church
Crosby, North Dakota

Officiating

Becky Knudson

Music

Nina Williams ~ Accompanist
"Amazing Grace" "On Eagles Wings"
"In The Garden"
"How Great Thou Art" ~ Carrie Underwood & Vince Gill

Pallbearers

Al Shefstad	Larry Shefstad
Todd Anderson	Trinity Anderson
Blake Shefstad	Bruce Gabel

Honorary Pallbearers

Wyatt Shefstad	Clayton Shefstad
Kami Shefstad	Alyssa Shefstad

Final Resting Place

Concordia Cemetery
Crosby, North Dakota

Arrangements By

Fulkerson Stevenson Funeral Home
Williston, North Dakota