



Mary Anderson

January 30, 1942 - April 9, 2020

Services will be streamed live on our website 2 pm, Tuesday, April 14 at <https://vimeo.com/406354120>

Private funeral service for Mary Anderson has been scheduled for Tuesday, April 14, 2020 at the Hayhurst Funeral Home Chapel. A public Viewing will be on that same day, from 11:00 AM – 1:00 PM.

Mary Anderson was born on Friday, January 30, 1942 in Montevideo, Minnesota, the daughter of Kenneth and Thelma (Vandervoort) Bartlett. She passed from this life on Thursday, April 9, 2020. She was 78 years of age.

Mary grew up in Minnesota, graduated from high school then attended Brainerd Community College earning a certificate as a Licensed Practical Nurse. She worked in hospitals while the family lived in Minnesota and then the City of Faith Hospital after they moved to Oklahoma.

Mary was married to the Rev. Dennis Anderson on August 12, 1961 in Saint Paul, Minnesota. There they became the proud parents of two sons, Christopher and Andrew, and one daughter, Heidi. The family has many wonderful memories of Mary as wife, mother and grandmother. Some of these include living on the lake, camping as a family, playing board games and working puzzles together. Mary was a great cook, especially known for her

spaghetti sauce. She had a “green thumb” and could literally grow anything. She was an accomplished seamstress, sewing clothing, draperies, and even made she and Dennis down jackets one winter. She loved animals of every variety, and owned at different times dogs, cats, goats, chickens, rabbits and one sheep. She told her children she always wanted 49 horses (not just one or even 50, but 49) but could never give them a reason why. She was a true people-person always interested in others. She kept bookmarks in her Bible of missionaries so she could remember to pray for them. Mary was a soft-spoken, gentle soul who loved to laugh. She will be missed by her family and many friends.

Mary is survived by,

Husband, Rev. Dennis Anderson of Broken Arrow

Daughter, Heidi and Roger Hess of Broken Arrow

Son, Christopher and Betty-Jo Anderson of Catoosa

Son, Andrew and Jeanie Anderson of Apple Valley, Minnesota

Grandchildren, Brittni and Jason Cedar of Broken Arrow

Steffen and Brittnay Hess of Bartlesville

Tiffani Hess of Broken Arrow

Jonathan and Rebecca Anderson of Broken Arrow

Katelyn and Dayton Weatherford of Carrollton, Texas

Caleb and Jessica Anderson of Kuwait

Ryan Anderson of Los Angeles, California

Kirsten and Joel Willenbring of Apple Valley, Minnesota

Kelsey Anderson of Apple Valley, Minnesota

Jaclyn and Matthew Schmeichel of Burnsville, Minnesota

Great-Grandchildren: Madelynne, Royce, Vera, Kodie, Brooklynn, Hunter and Hazel

Mary was preceded in death by:

Her parents: Kenneth and Thelma Bartlett, one brother: Kenny, Jr. and two sisters: Bonnie and Nancy

Tribute Wall



“ *Mary Anderson*

October 23, 2023 at 01:21 AM



“ *Richard & Pam, Pat & Ed, and Jerry. purchased the Divine Peace Bouquet for the family of Mary Anderson.*



Richard & Pam, Pat & Ed, and Jerry. - April 13, 2020 at 10:35 AM



“ *Randy Rose purchased the Lovely One Spathiphyllum Plant for the family of Mary Anderson.*



Randy Rose - April 13, 2020 at 09:59 AM



“ *One of the first times I got to spend time with Mary was the first New Years of my married life. Warren and I enjoyed Mary and Denny at our home that night so many years ago. She was a good friend, loving and sweet. She is missed. So sorry Denny for your loss and for the kids but praise the Lord we will have a reunion in heaven in God's time.*

Donna Anderson - April 12, 2020 at 02:50 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Mary Anderson.*



April 12, 2020 at 12:04 PM



“ *A very sweet lady from my Church.*

susie sparks - April 10, 2020 at 09:53 PM