

## PSALM 23

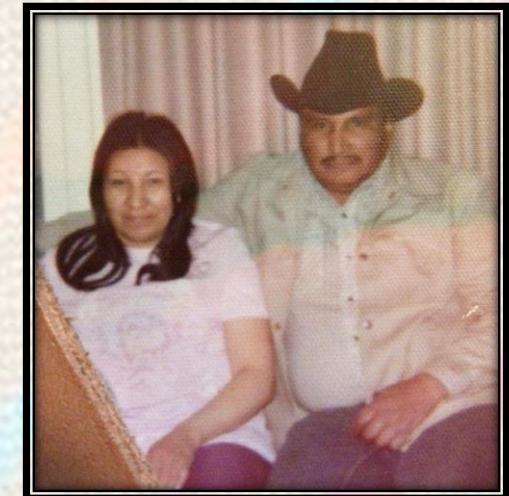
*The Lord is my Shepherd:  
I shall not want  
He maketh me to lie  
down in green pastures;  
He leadeth me beside  
the still waters.*

*He restoreth my soul;  
He leadeth me in the  
paths of righteousness  
for His name's sake.*

*Yea, though I walk through  
the valley of the  
shadow of death, I will  
fear no evil, for Thou  
art with me; Thy rod and thy  
staff they comfort me.*

*Thou preparest a table  
before me in the  
presence of mine enemies;  
Thou anointest my  
head with oil; my cup  
runneth over.*

*Surely goodness and mercy  
shall follow me all the days  
of my life and I will dwell in the  
house of the Lord forever.*



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FUNERAL CHAPEL

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*In Loving Memory*

# Barbara Jean Iron Wing

March 9, 1942

Old Agency, South Dakota

April 23, 2017

Eagle Butte, South Dakota

**WAKE SERVICE:** 7:00 p.m., Thursday, May 4, 2017  
St. John's Episcopal Church ~ Eagle Butte, South Dakota

**FUNERAL SERVICE:** 11:00 a.m., Friday, May 5, 2017  
St. John's Episcopal Church ~ Eagle Butte, South Dakota

**OFFICIATING:** Mother Mikayla Dunfee, Pastor Jedidiah and Sally Jezek

**MC:** Richard Charging Eagle

**CASKETBEARERS:** Dalton Nelson, Jared Blue Coat, Derek Straight Head, Waylon Johnson, William "Bill" High Bear, Richard "Cody" Dog Eagle

**HONORARY CASKETBEARERS:** Marcella Lebeau, Arbana Thompson, Evelyn Veaux, Yvonne Garreau, Grace Larrabee, Florence Halfred, Melda & Melvin Garreau & Family, Marlene Bowker, Myra Lee, Margie Clown, Carrie Blue Coat, Carla Blue Coat, Reba Three legs & Family, Iva Traversie & Family, Ira Blue Coat & Family, Richard Red Elk & Family, Shirley (Dupris) Dog Eagle, Valerie Curley & Family, Shirley (Counting) High Horse & Family, Kermit Garter, Sammy Garter, Maggie Montreal, Alberta Brown Thunder, Wilma Traversie & Family, Nadine Shaving, Cindy Schad & Family, Gloria & Scott Laundreaux, Cheryl Red Bear & Family, Emanuel Red Bear, Barb High Bear, Carl High Bear & Family, Lola Blue Earth & Family, Lynn High Bear & Family, Melynda High Bear & Family, Hilda & Hap Marshall, Darlene Rosas, Barbara Roach & Family, Delema Butcher & Family, Gary High Bear & Family, Benita Clark, Darla Yellow Earring, Raylene Miner, Delphine Marrowbone, Breast Cancer Program, Victoria Dupris, Rhea Turning Heart & Family, Arlyss Turning Heart & Family, Renee Turning Heart, Eddie Crow Feather, Wilma Straight Head & Family, Doretta Bowker & Family, Ed Widow & Family, Joni Bowker & Family, Orally Bowker & Family, Shelly Scott & Family, Mike Rousseau, Bernie & Dorothy Tibbs, Brenda & Duane Gray, Patty Little Wounded & Family, Leroy Iron Wing & Family, Hazel Traversie & Family, Jason Bourdufsky & Family, Jerome Slides Off & Darcy Morrison, Jovan & Elliot Blue Coat, Susie Payne & Family, Joanne Red Bear & Family, Tracy Long Soldier & Family, Sally & Jed Jezek, Carrie Iron Wing & Family, Delphine Dog Eagle, Leah Red Bird, Preston Phillips & Family, Wendell Phillips & Family, Wendy Phillips, Sylvia Brown & Family

**MUSICIANS:** Harvey Hawk Eagle, Sisters In Harmony, Wakinyan Maza

**INTERMENT:** LaPlant Congregational Cemetery ~ LaPlant, South Dakota

Barbara Iron Wing, 75, of Eagle Butte, passed away Sunday, April 23, 2017 at IHS Hospital, Eagle Butte.

Barbara (Counting) Iron Wing was born to Simon Counting and Sophie Garter at the Old Agency. Barbara was the oldest of six siblings. She grew up in the Bear Creek community and then later moved south of Eagle Butte. Barbara attended school at the Old Agency Boarding School. She married George R. Iron Wing, Sr., and to this union four children were born: Mark (deceased), Sharana, George, and Chauncina. They made their home in the LaPlant community; as her husband had a ranch north of there. Barbara enjoyed working on the ranch, helping her husband brand, fencing, and feeding the cattle and horses. She often took her four children along when she was helping George. She loved and cherished all her memories of times spent with her husband and children. Barbara enjoyed quilting; sewing for her brother, Kenneth; and baking and cooking for her family. Barbara attended church every Sunday at the LaPlant First Baptist Church. She looked forward to "Simply Smile" and enjoyed their company when they came each summer. She also enjoyed attending the sporting events of her granddaughter, Kobey, at Tiospaye Topa School. Every summer she would attend the women's retreat with Sally Jezek and Joan Garter. She used to sit at the council sessions, and she would attend the District 6 meetings regularly. Barbara was a very soft spoken and kind lady who had compassion for others. She lived a very humble life and often reflected back on her childhood and growing up years.

She thought highly of her children, grandchildren, and great grandchildren. She loved traveling with her oldest daughter, Sharana, to the southwest or wherever she was going. She would jump in just to go for a drive out of town. This month, she was looking forward to making one last trip to Arizona for her two granddaughter's, Brittany and Nizhoni's, high school graduation, but her time with us ended too soon.

Barbara is survived by her children: Sharana Iron Wing (Brady), George Iron Wing (Sierra), and Chauncina Iron Wing all of Eagle Butte; sister, Phyllis Begay of Window Rock, AZ; brother, Darrell (Joan) Garter of New Hope, AL; and hunka sister, Carrie Blue Coat.

She was in preceded in death by her parents, Simon Counting and Sophie Garter; husband, George Iron Wing, Sr.; son, Mark Iron Wing; grandson, Isiah Desmond Iron Wing; brother, Kenneth Counting, Sr.; sisters, Dora Phillips and Gloria Brown; and sister-in-law, Chauncina Bourdufsky.

## *In Loving Memory of*



*Barbara Jean Iron Wing*

*Wawiyokipi Win "Happy to See People"*

*March 9, 1942 – April 23, 2017*