



## LOVING MEMORIES

Your gentle face and patient smile  
With sadness we recall  
You had a kindly word for each  
And died beloved by all.

The voice is mute and stilled the heart,  
That loved us well and true,  
Ah, bitter was the trial to part  
From one so good as you.

You are not forgotten loved one  
Nor will you ever be,  
As long as life and memory last  
We will remember thee.

We miss you now, our hearts are sore,  
As time goes by we miss you more,  
Your loving smile, your gentle face,  
No one can fill your vacant place.

**In Loving Memory Of**

# Alvin "Alfie" Loren Bowker

August 4, 1983  
Eagle Butte, South Dakota

November 25, 2020  
Rapid City, South Dakota

### **FUNERAL SERVICE:**

1:00 p.m., Wednesday, December 16, 2020  
Blue Gym ~ Cherry Creek, South Dakota

### **OFFICIATING:**

Mother Ellen Huber, Shirley Dog Eagle, and Valerie Curley

### **CASKET BEARERS:**

Frenchy Demery, Willard Demery, Danny Hayes,  
Chaske Lovelette, Evans Bowker, Spencer Bagola,  
Kelly Waloke, Chastyn Waloke, Rodney Hayes,  
Kaleb Hollow Horn, Jason White Horse, Cody Pederson,  
Darvis One Skunk, C.J. Red Elk, Teno Bear Stops,  
Myron Flying By Jr., Eugene Condon, Myron Bagola Jr.

### **HONORARY CASKET BEARERS:**

Raylene Oacho, Renee Bagola & Family, Loren (Camile) Bagola & Family, Lou Bagola Jr., Lou Bagola III, Myron Bagola & Family, Marvin Bowker Sr., Arlene Demery & Family, Sylvester & Dena Waloke & Family, Edith Waloke Family, Iverne Thunder Hawk Family, April Waloke Family, Lavay Hayes Family, Sharon Hayes, Darla Hayes, Vanessa Hayes, Darlene Waloke Family, Harley & Alverda Zephier Family, The Bagola Family, The Little Shield Family, Tyrice Thunder Hawk, Joseph Smaller, Nicole & Jason White Wolf Family, Amanda Greaves Family, Leo Greaves, Scott Lovette, Special Friends: Shiresse Blue Arm, Raquel Hale, and any others we may have forgotten.

**DRUM GROUP:** Screaming Eagles Drum Group

### **INTERMENT:**

Congregational Cemetery ~ Cherry Creek, South Dakota

Alvin "Alfie" Bowker, 37, of Eagle Butte, passed away Wednesday, November 25, 2020 at Monument Health, Rapid City, SD.

Alvin "Alfie" Loren Bowker was born August 4, 1983 in Eagle Butte. He spent his childhood years growing up in Cherry Creek, SD. He attended school in Takini, Dupree, and Eagle Butte.

Alvin had a great sense of humor. Although he kept to himself, he loved the company of his family and friends. He liked to visit with family by making phone calls to check up on them. Alvin was very helpful, and he appreciated everyone that came around. He enjoyed cooking, watching movies, and taking walks. He gratefully shared his life with his family and friends.

Alvin married Tonya Norcross on June 7, 2007.

He is survived by his 13-year-old daughter, Irene Bowker, St. Paul, MN; his mother and stepfather, Marian Bagola and George Eagle Chasing, Eagle Butte; two brothers, Derrill Bowker and Spencer Bagola, both of Eagle Butte; three sisters: Alvette Yellow Earring (Peter), Bullhead, SD, Donita and Donnette Flying By, Eagle Butte; and many nieces and nephews.

Alvin lays to rest with his great grandparents, Edith and Frank Waloke; grandparents, Irene and Llewellyn Bagola Sr.; brother, Marvin Bowker; sister, Alverda Lisa Bowker; uncle, Byron Bagola; grandparents, Clementine and Maurice Big Eagle and Susie and Virgil Bowker; uncles, Benny and Lyle Bowker; auntie, Blanche Bowker; and cousins: Chubbs Crow Ghost and Jake and Maureen Hollow Horn.



Alvin "Alfie" Bowker

1983 ~ 2020