



*God saw he was getting tired  
And a cure was not to be,  
So He put His arms around him  
And whispered "Come with me."*

*With tearful eyes  
We watched him suffer  
And saw him fade away  
Although we loved him dearly,  
We would not make him stay.*

*A golden heart stopped beating,  
Hard working hands to rest.  
God broke our hearts to prove to us  
He only takes the best.*

**IN LOVING MEMORY OF**

# **RONALD JOHN COOK JR.**

**Šungwakan Ob Mani (He Walks With Horses)**

June 2, 1984  
Eagle Butte, South Dakota

August 15, 2021  
Eagle Butte, South Dakota

**WAKE SERVICE:** 7:00 p.m., Tuesday, August 24, 2021  
St. John's Episcopal Church ~ Eagle Butte, South Dakota

**FUNERAL SERVICE:** 11:00 a.m., Wednesday, August 25, 2021  
St. John's Episcopal Church ~ Eagle Butte, South Dakota

**OFFICIATING:** Deacon Iva Traversie, Valerie Curley, Shirley Dog Eagle

**CASKET BEARERS:** Kenny Spotted Bear, Chauncey Red Elk, Efton Dog Eagle, Bradley Clown, Bob Mandan, Rufus Cook, Erik Twite, Chuck Holloway, Jay Clark, CL Red Fox

**SPECIAL CASKET BEARERS:** Jestin Twite, Chyler Condon, Juell Twite, Kaystis Cook, Kayden Cook, Justin Twite, Enaysia Cook, The Late Romey Gunville

#### **SURVIVORS:**

Sisters: Edie Cook-Twite (Erik Twite), Justin, Juell and Jestin Twite, Ronette Cook-Condon (Shaun Condon), Enaysia Cook, and Chyler Condon; Father, Ronnie Cook, Sr.; Nieces, Kaystis and Kayden Cook; Grandson, Miko Yazzi; very special Auntie/Mom's: Janice Mandan, Johanna High Bear and Joyce Gunville; and Uncle, Bob Mandan

#### **PRECEDED IN DEATH BY:**

Mother, Rosetta Cook; Brother, Kay Cook; Sister, Darann Dog Eagle; Maternal Grandparents, Joyce Traversie and Chuck Dog Eagle; Paternal Grandparents, Mary Summers-Cook and John Cook; Uncle, Romey Gunville; Stillborn Son, Quese Cook; Uncle, Dusty Dog Eagle and many other relatives

**DRUM GROUP:** Wakinyan Maza

**INTERMENT:** St. James Episcopal Cemetery ~ Bear Creek, South Dakota

## **HONORARY CASKET BEARERS:**

Joyce Gunville, Dawson Gunville & family,  
Janice Mandan, Johana High Bear, Blue Coat families,  
Shirley Dog Eagle, Diane Pretty Weasel, Dustin Gunville,  
Paulette Steele, Chuck Eagle Pipe, Bo Eagle Pipe,  
Jesse Porras, Ron Brown Otter, Robin LeBeau,  
Heather LeBeau, Jay Cook, Jerry & Rita Farlee,  
Lizette & Alvino Roybel, Arlys Bagola & family,  
Renee Turning Heart & family, Shellie Dog Eagle  
Peterson & family, Rhea Turning Heart & Jeff,  
Lonnie and Marissa LaPlante, Sharon and Johnny Holloway,  
Iny Hale, Shelby Good Eagle, Marlin Miner, Sr.,  
Kracy Dog Eagle, Delores Bagola & Family, Larry Shunk,  
Shane Thompson, Shawn Means, Steven Bruguier,  
Ryan Arpan, Mark and Connie Knight and family,  
Billy Cook and family, Dennis Cook & family,  
Bonita Clark, Jolee Clark, Paula Mae High Bear & family,  
Marcus High Elk, Dayton Eagle Chasing, Aaron & Jessica  
Turning Heart Jr., Kirk High Elk, Memorie White Mountain,  
Lonnie Cottier, Betty Cook & family,  
Old Agency Staff & Residents, Tennille Ducheneaux Scott,  
Sherman Haskell, Chanalaya Dyda, Kathy, Lyle, & Shannon  
Anderson, Connie Bird Necklace, Keri Fisher,  
Family and Friends near and far, please accept our  
apologies as Ron tried to remember as many as he could.

It is not intentional; he knows  
there's a lot of people who knew him.

**IN LOVING MEMORY**  
**1984 - 2021**



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