



Today we are thinking of you,
but then that's nothing new.
We thought of you yesterday,
and the day before that, too.

So many things have happened

since you were called away

so many things to share with you,

had you been left to stay.

We were blessed by the years with you
and leave the rest to God.

Those of you who have your loved ones,
cherish them with care.

For you don't realize the heartache
when they're no longer there.

In Loving Memory of

Amanda Sue Kleinsasser

February 7, 1985

Sioux Falls, South Dakota

February 16, 2016

Aberdeen, South Dakota

FUNERAL SERVICE:

11:00 a.m., Tuesday, February 23, 2016

United Church of Faulkton ~ Faulkton, South Dakota

OFFICIATING:

Pastor Bill Hoffman

CASKETBEARERS:

Chris Geist

Steve Bau

Scott Geist

Tom Pfeifer

Destry Geist

Jim Speck

HONORARY CASKETBEARERS:

Aspire Community

USHERS: *Jerry Fischer and Bob Hadrick*

ORGANIST: *Marlene Hammond*

MUSICAL SELECTIONS:

"In the Garden" "Old Rugged Cross"

"Angel"

INTERMENT:

Miranda Cemetery ~ Miranda, South Dakota



Faulkton, South Dakota
www.familyfuneralhome.net

Amanda Kleinsasser, 31, of Aberdeen, passed away Tuesday, February 16, 2016 at her home.

Amanda Sue Kleinsasser was born February 7, 1985 in Sioux Falls to Daniel Kleinsasser and Gwendolyn Cunningham. At 18 months of age, Amanda was diagnosed with Leukemia. Having won that battle, she moved with her mother and sister to Illinois. There Amanda attended school in Red Bud and Ruma.

When she was 13, Amanda moved back to South Dakota to live with her dad. After her uncle's passing, she moved to Aberdeen where she attended and finished her schooling, graduating from Central High School in 2006.

Amanda enjoyed being actively involved in the Aspire community in Aberdeen. All of them became her family. She also loved coming to Faulkton to visit family, watching WWE and monster trucks, and hanging out with her friends. One of her favorite recent trips was when she got to go to Disney World in Florida. She will be missed by everyone that knew her. She touched so many lives.

Amanda's life will be cherished by her sister, Elizabeth Cunningham (Kent Snow) of Faulkton; grandmother, Anna Kleinsasser of Grassland Colony; nephew, Austin Snow of Faulkton; numerous aunts, uncles, and friends of the Aspire community.

She was preceded in death by her parents, maternal grandparents, and paternal grandfather.



When I Must Leave You

When I must leave you
for a little while,
Please do not grieve
and shed wild tears
and hug your sorrow
to you through the years,
But start out bravely
with a gallant smile;
And for my sake
and in my name
Live on and do
all things the same,
Feed not your loneliness
on empty days,
But fill each waking hour
in useful ways,
Reach out your hand
in comfort and in cheer
And I in turn will comfort you
and hold you near;
And never, never
be afraid to die,
For I am waiting
for you in the sky!

HELEN STEINER RICE