



*In Loving Memory*

# *Edward Peter Byhre*

November 8, 1944  
Luverne, Minnesota

January 4, 2015  
Miller, South Dakota

## *FUNERAL SERVICE*

10:00 a.m., Thursday, January 8, 2015  
Our Savior Lutheran Church  
Highmore, South Dakota

## *OFFICIATING*

Pastor David Peterson

## *CASKETBEARERS*

Skeet Smith	Junior Krick	Keith Bourk
Vince Brewer	Mike Riley	Jim Faulstich
	Don Faulstich	

## *HONORARY CASKETBEARERS*

Dick Shelton – Wilfred Keeble

## *USHERS*

Mike Luze & John Volek

## *GUESTBOOK*

Carol Faulstich

## *ORGANIST*

Katherine Porter

## *SOLOIST*

Roger Day

*“Amazing Grace”*

*“What A Friend We Have In Jesus”*

## *CONGREGATIONAL HYMNS*

*“Softly and Tenderly” – “Holy, Holy, Holy”*

## *INTERMENT*

Highmore Cemetery  
Highmore, South Dakota

*I am the resurrection, and the life*

*He that believeth in Me,  
Though he were dead,  
Yet shall he live;  
And whosoever liveth  
And believeth in Me  
Shall never die.*

*John 11:25-26*



*Following the service at the cemetery, everyone is invited to the Church Fellowship Hall for lunch and fellowship with the family.*

Edward P. Byhre, 70, of Highmore, passed away Sunday, January 4, 2015 at the Avera Hand County Memorial Hospital, Miller.

Edward Peter was born November 8, 1944 in Luverne, Minnesota to Edward and Anna (Nelson) Byhre. He attended and graduated from high school in Minnesota and Augustana College in Sioux Falls. While attending Augustana, he met his future bride, Susan Olson. They were married in 1966 in Sac City, Iowa. While working as a grad assistant in the basketball program at the University of South Dakota he earned a Masters in Physical Education.

Ed had a passion for education and coaching. His coaching took him to Minnesota, Iowa, South Dakota and Eastern Kentucky. While at Eastern Kentucky University, he was the head coach of the boys basketball program, winning the OVC Conference and earning a spot into the NCAA tournament in 1979. Upon retiring from coaching, they moved back to the Midwest where Ed worked in education, establishing the Lower Brule Community College, working as a teacher and principal at Crow Creek, Shannon County and Pine Ridge; retiring in 2011. He respected his students and staff, and formed relationships that impacted his life and theirs.

While in South Dakota, he bred, raised, and trained quarter horses; concentrating on and preserving the Driftwood bloodline. He was a member of the AQHA since 1983.

He felt blessed to have 2 wonderful children and son-in-law, happiest when he could spend time with and tease his grandchildren, care for his dogs and horses, and show his loyalty to friends.

His memory will be cherished by his wife, Susan of Highmore; daughter, Jane (Matt) Grady of Washington, D.C.; grandchildren, Jack and Henry Grady; sisters, Becky (Glenn) Corcoran of Portland, OR and Jan (Pete) King of Norwalk, CT; brother, Steven (Carole) Byhre of Wisconsin; and numerous nieces, nephews, and friends.

His parents and one son, Peter Byhre, preceded him in death.



*Edward P. Byhre*

*1944 - 2015*

*Arrangements Entrusted To*



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