

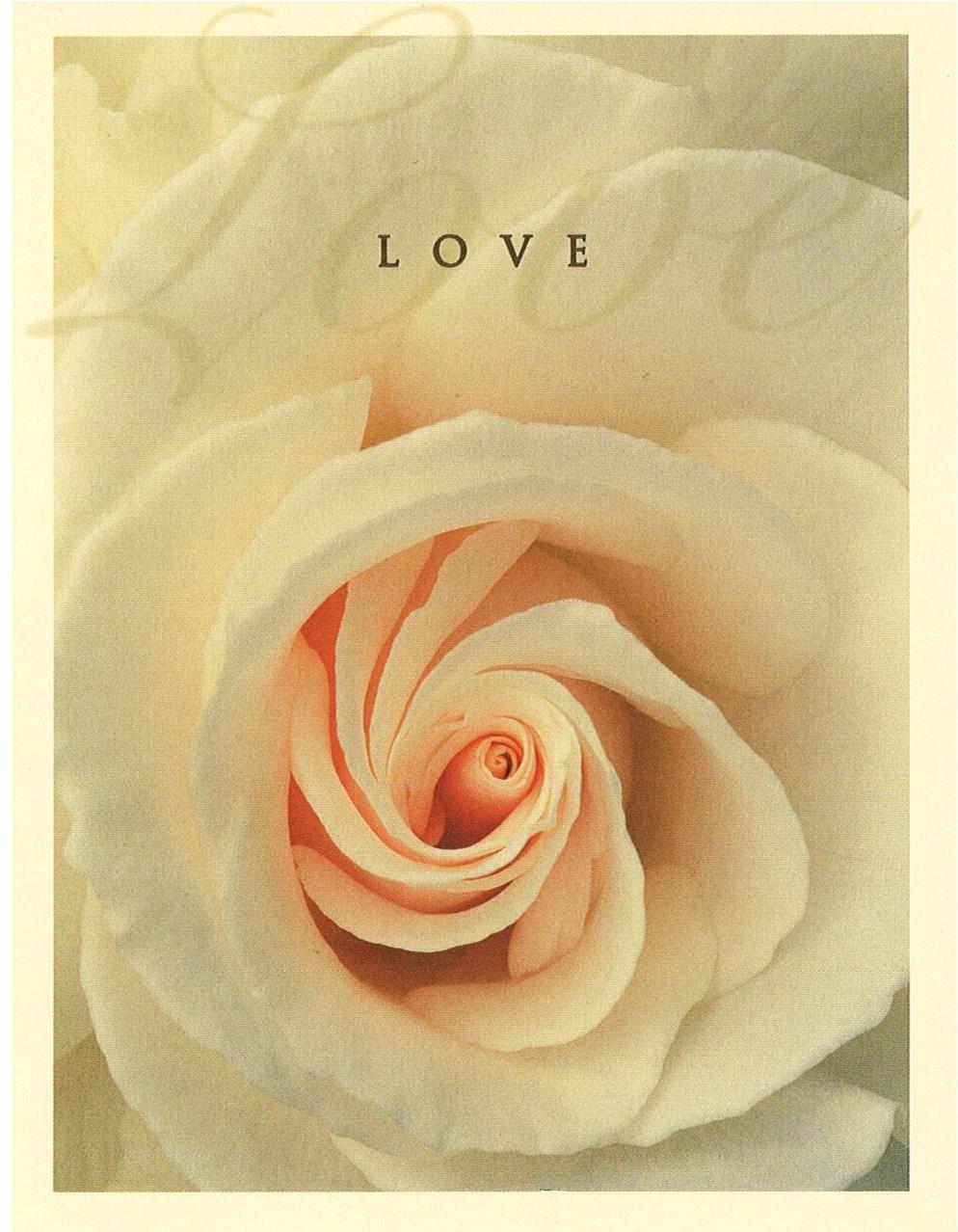
*Susan H. Bell, 89, of Miller, S.D., died on Saturday evening, October 1, 2011 at her home.*

*Susan H. Kearton was born on May 24, 1922, in Arlington, S.D., to Rev. John H. and Carrie (Stevanus) Kearton. She spent her early years in Canton, Yankton, and Wessington Springs. She graduated from Wessington Springs High School in 1940. She then attended Dakota Wesleyan University in Mitchell and later taught school.*

*On March 1, 1944 she married Robert Bell at St. Lawrence, S.D. In 1984 they retired from farming and moved into Wessington Springs. On January 13, 2005, Susan moved to Miller, S.D. She was a member of Rose Hill Presbyterian Church in Hand County, serving several offices. She was a member of the S.D. Ornithologist Society. Along with watching birds, she loved to travel, fish, and go camping. She was an avid sports fan. She was always listening to them on her radio, watching them on TV, and cheering on her favorite teams the S.D.S.U. Jackrabbits and the Chicago Cubs.*

*Grateful for having shared her life are her nieces and nephews.*

*She was preceded in death by her husband on July 12, 1993; her parents; two sisters, Mary Hansen and Josephine Bell; nephew, Randall (Randy) Bell; grandniece, Katie Conkey; and grandnephew, Kyle Bell.*



Arrangements Entrusted To



Miller, South Dakota  
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*In Loving Memory*

# *Susan H. Bell*

May 24, 1922  
Arlington, South Dakota

October 2, 2011  
Miller, South Dakota

## **FUNERAL SERVICE**

11:00 a.m., Wednesday, October 5, 2011  
First Presbyterian Church  
Miller, South Dakota

## **MINISTER**

Rev. Allan Sager

## **HONORARY CASKETBEARERS**

John Boomsma	A. John Boomsma
Brian Bell	Ryan Bell
Lee Conkey	Mike Krueger
Travis Bell	Shawn Bell

## **USHERS**

Philip Testerman – Whitey Wieland

## **PIANIST**

Tom Koth

## **SOLOIST**

Brian Winter  
"Well Done"

## **CONGREGATIONAL HYMNS**

"Amazing Grace"

"Blest Be the Tie That Binds"

## **INTERMENT**

Rose Hill Cemetery  
Wessington, South Dakota

## **DON'T BE SAD**

*Don't be sad and lonely,  
Because I've gone away.  
Think about me only,  
When it's a brighter day.  
Don't waste your time crying,  
Since I'm no longer here.  
You have spent enough time,  
Showing me that you care.  
Wipe away your sadness,  
For tears won't bring relief.  
Cherish the memories,  
Forget about your grief.  
If I could be with you,  
That is where I would be,  
But I have no power,  
To change life's destiny.  
So try to be happy,  
Don't mourn your life away,  
For we'll be together,  
At the end of life's day.*