

### Waiting at Heaven's Door

Death beckoned her with outstretched hand  
And whispered softly of an unknown land,  
But she was not afraid to go  
For though the path she did not know  
She took death's hand without a fear  
For God who safely brought her here  
Had promised He would lead the way  
Into eternity's bright day.

For none of us need go alone  
Into the valley that is unknown,  
But, guided by our Father's hand  
We journey to the promised land.

She was your special loving Mother  
You shared your lives with one another,  
And you'll find comfort for your grief  
In knowing her death brought sweet relief.  
For, now she is free from all suffering and pain  
And your great loss became her gain...

You know that her love is with you still  
For she loved you in life and always will.

Love like hers can never end  
Because it is the perfect blend  
Of joy and sorrows, smiles and tears,  
That just grew stronger with the years.  
Love like hers can never die  
For she's taken it with her to the sky...

So think of Mum as living above  
No farther away than your undying love,  
For now she is happy and free once more  
And she's waiting for you at Heaven's door.

Helen Steiner Rice



# Remembering

THE LIFE OF

## Harriet Andrews

March 25, 1920 - November 21, 2014

Harriet Alice Andrews, 94, of Tea and formerly of Pierre, passed away Friday, November 21, 2014 at the Good Samaritan Society in Lennox, surrounded by her family.

Harriet was born March 25, 1920 at Aberdeen, South Dakota to Walter J. and Jeannette (Timberlake) Allen. After completing high school in Aberdeen, she attended South Dakota State University, graduating in 1942 with a degree in Sociology. Harriet was united in marriage to Wendell W. Andrews on June 13, 1942 in San Diego, California. One son, Gregory, and one daughter, Barbara, were born to this union.

Harriet was a homemaker, as the family moved from Huron to Minnesota to Miller to Pierre, and finally to Tea. She was active in both the First Presbyterian Church of Miller and the Oahe Presbyterian Church of Pierre. Harriet did book-keeping for the family business in Miller, was a member of PEO while in Pierre, and was an avid sports enthusiast all her life. Her love of music, art, history, and English was passed to her children and her grandson while she was instrumental in working with her son-in-law on speech therapy starting in 1979. Harriet especially loved all the time and activities she shared with her grandson through the years.

She is survived by her children; Gregory Andrews and Barbara (Joel) Paulson; grandchildren, Dr. Drew (Dr. Kristine) Paulson; great grandchildren: Bruce, Axel, and Brix Paulson; brother, William T. (Jane) Allen; and numerous nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by her husband; and sisters: Barbara (Robert) Wegner and Joan (Tim) Dunn.

*Arrangements Entrusted To*  
*Reck Funeral Home - Miller, South Dakota*  
*[www.familyfuneralhome.net](http://www.familyfuneralhome.net)*

# *Harriet Andrews*

**1920 - 2014**

**MEMORIAL SERVICE:**

11:00 a.m., Saturday, March 21, 2015  
First Presbyterian Church  
Miller, South Dakota

**MINISTER:** Rev. Brian Jones

**PIANIST:** Janet Fritzsche

**URNBEARER:** Dr. Drew Paulson

**USHER:** Philip Testerman

**ORDER OF SERVICE:**

<b>Opening Sentences:</b>	Rev. Brian Jones
<b>Prayer:</b>	
<b>Music:</b>	<i>Amazing Grace</i> Roger Day
<b>Prayer:</b>	
<b>Congregational Hymn:</b>	<i>Rock of Ages</i>
<b>Scripture Readings:</b>	John 20:1-18
<b>Message:</b>	
<b>Music:</b>	<i>The Lord's Prayer</i> Roger Day
<b>Prayer of Commendation:</b>	
<b>Congregational Hymn:</b>	<i>Blessed Assurance</i>
<b>Benediction:</b>	

**Everyone is invited to lunch and fellowship with the family  
immediately following the Memorial Service.**

**INTERMENT:**

G.A.R. Cemetery  
Miller, South Dakota