



*In Loving Memory*  
CELEBRATING A LIFE

*Carolyn Rae Danburg*

**Funeral Service:**

10:00 a.m., Saturday, January 7, 2017  
First United Methodist Church  
Miller, South Dakota

**Minister:** Rev. Matt Richards

**Casketbearers:** Grandsons

Whyley Ruhnke, Nick Saugstad, Steven Fernholz,  
Spencer Fernholz, Jordan Speirs, Stetson Baloun,  
Riggin Baloun, Noah Grogan

**Honorary Casketbearers:**

All her Granddaughters & Great Grandchildren

**Ushers:** Eugene Moncur & Royce Blackburn

**Pianist:** Sandi Aymar

**Musicians:** Anna & Lorelei Simons

**Music Selections:**

"Hymn of Promise", "Jealous of the Angels"  
"Hallelujah", "I Will See You Again"  
"Amazing Grace, My Chains are Gone"

**Interment:**

G.A.R. Cemetery  
Miller, South Dakota  
(at a later date)

Arrangements Entrusted To  
Reck Funeral Home - Miller, South Dakota  
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Our *Guardian Angel*

**Carolyn Danburg**

August 11, 1951 - December 31, 2016

Hope  
Strength

**TO THOSE I LOVE AND  
THOSE WHO LOVE ME**

*When I am gone, release me, let me go,  
I have many things to see and do  
You mustn't tie yourself to me with tears.  
Be happy that we had so many years.*

*I gave to you my love. You can only guess  
How much you gave me in happiness  
I thank you for the love you each have shown  
But now it's time I traveled on alone.*

*So grieve a while for me, if grieve you must;  
Then let your grief be comforted by trust.  
It's only for a time that we must part,  
So bless the memories that lie within your heart.*

*I won't be far away, for life goes on.  
So if you need me call and I will come  
Though you can't see me or touch me I'll be near.  
And if you listen with your heart you will hear  
All of my love around you soft and clear.*

*And then, when you come this way alone....  
I'll greet you with a smile and say  
"WELCOME HOME"*

Carolyn Danburg, 65, of Miller, passed away Saturday, December 31, 2016 at the Avera Hand County Memorial Hospital in Miller.

Carolyn Rae was born August 11, 1951 in Miller, South Dakota to Ralph and Dorothy (Danburg) Freimark. She lived in the Miller area her entire life. On June 29, 1971, Carolyn married Steve Danburg in Carson City, NV. Together they raised six children: Staci, Tamie, Sherry, Tania, Shawn, and Tyann.

Throughout Carolyn's life, she held various jobs which included the Café at the sale barn, Lips Café, bookkeeper for Danburg Plumbing and Heating, Alco/Duckwalls, Good Samaritan Society, lunch room at the Miller Public Schools, and babysitting. She was a member of the First United Methodist Church in Miller.

In her free time, Carolyn was the secretary for the local bowling league and attended several state and national bowling tournaments. She played softball for many years. A big part of her life included following her children and grandchildren's activities. She enjoyed doing ceramics, camping, shopping, and decorating her home for all occasions. Carolyn was known as Grandma Carolyn or Mom to many who crossed her path. Many also knew her as Snow White due to her love of her white Ford Mustang convertible.

Blessed to share in her life was her husband, Steve Danburg of Miller; children: Staci (Scott) Saugstad of Marshall, MN, Tamie (Barry) Grogan of Miller, Sherry Speirs of Ashley, ND, Tania (Dana) Ruhnke of Miller, Shawn (Kelly) Fernholz of Miller, and Tyann Baloun (Mark Baxter) of Rockham, SD; 19 grandchildren: Kelsey and Nick Saugstad; Dani Danburg; Allison and Noah Grogan; Chantal Williams; Chasitie Danburg; Chelcie and Jordan Speirs; Whyley, Kallie, and Kael Ruhnke;

Steven, Kadye, and Spencer Fernholz; Baylee Blake; and Stetson, Justice, and Riggin Baloun; two great grandchildren: Hayden and Gracelynn Williams; one sister, Sharon Kindlé of Olympia, WA; brothers-in-law: Chet (Karen) Danburg of Carson City, NV, Terry (Lori) Danburg of Wessington, and Randy Danburg of Miller; sister-in-law, Becky (Lyle) Resel of Wessington; aunts: Derla (Dave) Simons and Ruth Roeber; and several nieces, nephews, and cousins.

She was preceded in death by her parents, Ralph and Dorothy Freimark; parents-in-law, LeRoy and Deloris Danburg; brother-in-law, Roger Kindle; and nephews: Chet and Todd Danburg.

