

*In a thousand lifetimes,  
I could never pick  
the perfect words  
to say how I feel about you.  
Almost every day  
Something about you,  
about us,  
makes me happier  
that we're together.  
Feeling your hand in mine,  
looking at those gentle eyes,  
kissing your soft, wonderful lips,  
just enjoying each other's company -  
these are the things I treasure.  
All I can say is  
what's in my heart -  
I Love You  
Simple as that.*



*Strength  
Hope*

*In Loving Memory*  
CELEBRATING A LIFE  
**Lawrence Roy Gabriel**

March 28, 1934 - April 2, 2015

**FUNERAL SERVICE:**

11:00 a.m., Wednesday, April 8, 2015  
New Life Assembly of God  
Pierre, South Dakota

**MINISTER:** Pastor Daryn Pederson

**CASKETBEARERS:**

Rod Burley - Joshua Gabriel - Bruce Kessler  
Alec McQuisten - Shawn Schulz - Ron Snow  
Dennis Tower

**HONORARY CASKETBEARERS:**

His many Grandchildren & Great Grandchildren  
Sue Schulz - Catana Crane & Family  
Dave & Ellen Ramsey  
The Staff & Children at St. Joseph's School

**MUSICIAN:** Marla McGeorge

*"I Will Bless You Oh Lord"*

**CONGREGATIONAL HYMNS:**

*"There is Power in the Blood"*

*"The Old Rugged Cross"*

*"He Lives"*

**INTERMENT:**

Pleasant Hill Cemetery  
Blunt, South Dakota



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Lawrence Gabriel, 81, of Miller and formerly of Harrold, passed away Thursday, April 2, 2015 at Avera Hand County Memorial Hospital, Miller.

Lawrence Roy Gabriel was born March 28, 1934 to Egnatz and Theresa (Hoffert) Gabriel at Onaka, SD. He married Virginia Anderson at Lebanon, SD, November 2, 1953. To this union was born: Jackie Gabriel, Patricia (Ken) Huckfeldt, and Michael (Mariann) Gabriel. He married Doralyn Dempsey at Pierre, SD, December 16, 1977.

Lawrence enjoyed family gatherings (large and small) where he often entertained by singing, dancing, playing guitar or drums, and the fan favorite the accordion! He loved his family! He also enjoyed gardening, and yard work, sitting in the yard visiting with neighbors, "coffee-time" with friends, riding bikes, taking walks, going for a drive, and playing cards, all with his "Sweetie" by his side.

Lawrence enjoyed working with his hands: He worked in his "Million Dollar Junk Yard" making wooden planters, picture frames, bookcases, metal-work lawn ornaments and he was currently drawing up plans to make a yard ornament that he'd seen on a recent trip to Illinois.

He is survived by his wife, Dorie; his son; Michael (Mariann) Gabriel, step-children; Forrest, Dennis, Jacob, and Patrick Towers, Sherri (Jerry) Dittman, and Aaron Dempsey, grandchildren; Joe (Irish) Gillaspie, Patrick, Jerry and Bill Huckfeldt, Jessica Fernandez, Joshua (Amy) Gabriel, Elizabeth and Shawn Schulz, step-grandchildren; Amber (Jeff) Peterson, Alec (Tiffany) McQuisten, Kera (Joel) Towers, Brooke, Carlee and Katie Sanders, Logan and Cade Wurts, great-grandchildren; Brilie and Amara Schulz, Mia, Jace, and Alexa Fernandez, Madison and Kassidy Huckfeldt, Aryanna and Logun Gillaspie, step-great-grandchildren; Baine and Michael Towers, Joseph, Nancy, Emilee Peterson, Haley Baker, sisters-in-law; Viola Gabriel, Gwen Painter, Marcie Hershman, Jackie Dolliver, one brother-in-law; Norvel Lentz; and many beloved nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by his parents; daughters; Jackie and Patricia, seven brothers, five sisters, and one grandson.

Arrangements Entrusted To  
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