



If Tears Could Build a Stairway

If tears could build a stairway and memories were a lane I'd walk right up to heaven and bring you home again No Farewell words were spoken No time to say good-bye You were gone before I knew it And only God knows why. My heart's still active in sadness And secret tears still flow What it meant to lose you No one can ever know. But now I know you want us To mourn for you no more To remember all the happy times Life still has much in store. Since you'll never be forgotten I pledge to you today A hallowed place within my heart Is where you'll always stay.

Tammy Mae Bahnson



Born

November 13, 1974 ~ Perham, Minnesota

Died

October 17, 2018 ~ Wadena, Minnesota

Service

St. Paul's Lutheran Church ~ Henning, Minnesota Tuesday, October 23, 2018 at 11:00 a.m.

Clergy

Rev. Kevin Mann

Music

Congregational Hymns ~ Organist, Dianne Gutknecht

Pallbearers

Brady Fenske ~ Bryce Fenske ~ Nick Haspel Josh Fenske ~ Jeremy Fenske ~ Dave Bertek

Lovingly Remembered By

Husband: Allen; daughters: Ashley Fenske; Emma Bahnson; son: Austin (Andie Haller); parents: Orlin and Connie Fenske; parents-in-law: Roger and Linda Bahnson; sister: Brenda (Mike) Haspel; brother: Allan (Chihyon) Fenske; sisters-in-law: Lainie Fenske; Charlotte Bahnson; as well as aunts, uncles, nieces, nephews, and many friends.

Laid to Rest

St. John's Lutheran Church Cemetery ~ Ottertail, Minnesota

If Roses Grow in Heaven

By Dolores M. Garcia

If roses grow in heaven,
Lord please pick a bunch for me,
Place them in my Mother's arms
and tell her they're from me.
Tell her I love her and miss her,
and when she turns to smile,
place a kiss upon her cheek
and hold her for awhile.
Because remembering her is easy,
I do it every day,
but there's an ache within my heart
that will never go away.



Tammy Mae Fenske was born November 13, 1974 in Perham to Orlin and Connie (Wymer) Fenske. Tammy grew up in the Ottertail area, graduating from Perham High School in 1993. She continued her education at Wadena Technical College. Her working career included being a CNA at St. Williams Care Center in Parkers Prairie and the past four years at Cenex in Battle Lake where she loved her customers.

Tammy was united in marriage to Allen Bahnson on May 6, 2006 in Ottertail. Her interests included four-wheeling, watching NASCAR and football, as well as shopping. Tammy loved her cats and dogs, but especially loved spending time with family and attending family events. She was looking forward to the birth of her first grandchild.

Preceding Tammy in death are her daughter, Olivia Bahnson; her brother, Craig Fenske and her grandparents.

