Stacey Marie Driver ~ Hehaka Duta Ob Manie Win (woman who walks with Red Elk) was born on April 20, 1962 in Devils Lake, ND, to Shirley Belgarde and Paul Driver Sr. She began her journey to the spirit world on December 30, 2021.

Stacey attended school at Little Flower School in St. Michael and St. Joseph's and St. Mary's in Devils Lake. She lived in Hawaii and South Dakota for a while with her sister Paulette. Stacey was a very caring person. Every morning she liked to spend time drinking her morning coffee. She has a lot of grandkids and great grandkids, who she loved dearly. Stacey helped in any way she could. She liked to visit with her friends and family, she didn't like to be alone. She loved to be around her kids and was always there to help them. Stacey has a humorous personality. She enjoyed going for drives and in her free time she enjoyed doing crafts, playing card games and dice.

She is survived by her sons Desmond Driver Sr. (Nellie), James Driver and Peter Smith; daughter Tanesia Smith; brother Paul Driver Jr. (Mariah) & family; sisters Paulette Driver & family, Verna (Ron) Baker & family and Lisa Driver & family; her aunts Lillie Owlboy, Sheila Thompson, Louella Thompson, Joyce Green, Imogene Belgarde, Arlene Belgarde, JoAnn Belgarde, Audrey Belgarde, Linda Driver, Eunice Lonebear, Evelyn Jimenez; her uncles Delvin Driver Sr., Marvin Driver, Larry Belgarde, Alfred Thompson Sr. and Robert Thompson Sr.; grandchildren Jonathan Driver Sr. (Kaylean), Shirley Driver, Alexis Driver, Emilee Driver, Desmond Driver Jr., Totiana Driver, JC Driver, Janasis Driver, Janet Driver, Dakota Smith, Katrina Smith, Lashawnee Smith, Martha Littlewind, Patricia Smith and Malaya Driver; great-grandchildren Kade Driver, Jonathan Driver Jr., Keya Driver, Gracelynn Lawrence and Blakely Yankton.

Stacey is preceded in death by her parents Shirley and Paul; maternal grandparents Peter Belgarde Sr. and Mary Jane Granbois Belgarde/Thompson; paternal grandparents Verna Turtlehead Driver and James Driver Jr., nephew Dustin (Cricket) Jackson, her fur baby Ewok, aunts, uncle and many cousins.



In Loving Memory



Stacey Driver

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APRIL 20, 1962 - DECEMBER 30, 2021



I'm Free

Don't grieve for me, for now I'm free, I'm following the path God laid for me. I took His hand when I heard Him call; I turned my back and left it all.

I could not stay another day
To laugh, to love, to work or play.
Tasks left undone must stay that way.
I found that peace at the close of day.

If my parting has left a void,
Then fill it with remembered joy.
A friendship shared, a laugh, a kiss,
Oh yes, these things I too will miss.

Be not burdened with times of sorrow,
I wish you the sunshine of tomorrow.
My life's been full, I savored much,
Good friends, good times, a loved one's touch.

Perhaps my time seemed all too brief, Don't lengthen it now with undue grief. Lift up your heart and share with me, God wanted me now, he set me free.

Thank you, Mom,
For always being there to share in my laughter
and to comfort me in my tears;

for providing me with the warmth, security, love, and understanding that only a mother could provide. And although at times I may appear ungrateful, it is not that I do not love you or that I am not thankful. It is just that at times it seems hard to find the words to say thank you. Not only for being the wonderful mother that you have always been and will forever continue to be, but also to say thank you for being my best friend and for just being you. And along with these thanks come these very simple-yet so important-words,

words for you to always remember...
We love you, Your Children

Celebrating The Life Of

Stacey Marie Driver

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April 20, 1962 – Devils Lake, ND December 30, 2021 – St. Michael, ND

WAKE/ROSARY SERVICE

Wednesday, January 5, 2022
Wake 5:00PM ~ Rosary Service 6:30PM
Tekakwitha Center, St. Michael, ND

MASS OF CHRISTIAN BURIAL

Thursday, January 6, 2022 10:00AM St. Michael Catholic Church, St. Michael, ND

OFFICIATING

Fr. Paul Schuster

SPECIAL MUSIC All Drum Groups

PALLBEARERS

Conrad DeMarce ~ Harry Wolters ~ Jon Driver ~ DJ Driver Russell Baker ~ Kade Driver ~ Desmond Driver James Driver ~ Peter Smith ~ Brandon Driver

HONORARY PALLBEARERS

All of Stacey's Family and Close Friends. Special thank you to the Spirit Lake paramedics and EMTS that worked to revive Stacey. Sorry to any family and friends that we forgot to mention.

BURIAL

St. Michael Catholic Cemetery, St. Michael, ND

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