Roger A. Skadsem, age 57, of New Rockford, ND, passed away peacefully on June 30th, 2025, in his home in New Rockford, ND.

Roger Skadsem was born on April 26th, 1968, in Devils Lake, ND. He was the first son of Ann M. and Roger W. Skadsem.

Roger grew up in the St. Michael's area and graduated from Warwick High School in 1986. Over the years, he held various construction jobs and worked at the elevators in Sheyenne and Oberon. He was also employed with NCZ Express in New Rockford. In addition, Roger was also a clown for Geske and Son's rodeo for several years.



He had a passion for fishing and loved spending time on the water. Roger also enjoyed playing poker, a love he

inherited from his mother, Ann, and he traveled to compete in many poker tournaments over the years.

Aside from his love of fishing and poker, Roger's greatest joy was his family. He especially treasured time with his grandchildren, Abria, DJ, and Weston, never arriving without gifts and taking every opportunity to make them feel special. He also loved visiting his nieces and nephews and never came empty-handed when he stopped by to see them.

Roger was truly loved and will be dearly missed by his family, including his daughter, Samantha (Nathan) Joramo, Devils Lake; step-son, Duane Mudgett, New Rockford; grandchildren, Abria, DJ, and Weston; siblings, Rodney (Heather), Warwick, Tammi Skadsem, Devils Lake, and special friend, Michelle Hillebrand.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Ann and Roger Skadsem, grandparents, aunts, and uncles.

Celebrating

THE LIFE OF



Roger Skadsem

APRIL 26, 1968 - JUNE 30 2025



When I Come To The End Of My Journey

When I come to the end of my journey And I travel my last weary mile Just forget if you can, that I ever frowned And remember only the smile. Forget unkind words I have spoken Remember some good I have done Forget that I ever had heartache And remember I've had loads of fun. Forget that I've stumbled and blundered And sometimes fell by the way Remember I have fought some hard battles And won, ere the close of the day. Then forget to grieve for my going I would not have you sad for a day But in summer just gather some flowers And remember the place where I lay. And come in the shade of evening When the sun paints the sky in the west Stand for a few moments beside me And remember only my best.

In Loving Memory Of

Roger Aaron Skadsem

April 26, 1968 – Devils Lake, ND June 30, 2025 – New Rockford, ND

VISITATION

Thursday, July 10, 2025 10:00AM - 11:00AM First Lutheran Church, New Rockford, ND

FUNERAL SERVICE Thursday, July 10, 2025 11:00AM First Lutheran Church, New Rockford, ND

> **OFFICIATING** Pastor Jeff Halvorson

MUSIC You Should Be here by Cole Swindell Precious Memories by Alan Jackson The Gambler by Kenny Rogers

HONORARY BEARERS All of Roger's family & close friends

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