



## Roberta H. Barthel

July 27, 1937 - September 6, 2017

Roberta "Berta" H. Barthel, 80 year old resident of Little Falls, MN, passed away on Wednesday, September 6, 2017 at the St. Cloud Hospital. A funeral service will be held at 11:00 A.M. on Wednesday, September 13, 2017 at St. Peter's Lutheran Church in Swanville, MN with Rev. Kevin Zellers officiating. Burial will take place at the Minnesota State Veterans Cemetery north of Little Falls, MN. A visitation will be held from 9-11 A.M. on Wednesday at St. Peter's Lutheran Church in Swanville, MN. Funeral arrangements are with the Shelley Funeral Chapel in Swanville, MN.

Roberta was born on July 27, 1937 in Cosmos, MN to the late Harvey and Mildred (Carlson) Bowen. She attended school in Cushing, MN. On June 7, 1957 she was united in marriage to Edward Barthel in Swanville, MN. Roberta worked along side her husband farming and helping out where ever needed on the farm that she loved. She was an excellent baker and cook. She especially loved baking apple pies, home made bread and making cream of wheat with toast. She looked forward to summer time and having her nieces and nephews visit the farm and fish fries at her nieces house. Roberta was a member of St. Peter's Lutheran Church in Swanville. With a smile on her face, Roberta was always very positive and never complained. For the past several years she resided at Highland Senior Living in Little Falls and enjoyed the residents and staff there. Roberta was truly loved by all and will be dearly missed.

Roberta is survived by her brother, Robert Bowen of North St. Paul; sisters, Barbara Beto of Brainerd, Karen (Tom) Fischer of Cottage Grove, Pamela (Roger) Lamb of Stillwater, Ila Rahn of Little Falls; nieces and nephews, Wendy Bowen of North St. Paul, Joe Bowen of Sandstone, MN, Kathy (Greg) Kretzman of Brainerd, Vicky Berry of Brainerd, Debra (Gene) Tautges of Pagosa Springs, CO and Les (Connie) Beto of Brainerd, MN; and many grand-nieces and nephews.

Roberta was preceded in death by her parents and husband, Edward.

# Cemetery Details

## Minnesota State Veterans Cemetery

15550 Highway 115  
Little Falls, MN

# Previous Events

## Visitation

SEP 13. 9:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

St. Peter's Lutheran Church - Swanville  
502 Berkey Avenue  
Swanville, MN

## Service

SEP 13. 11:00 AM (CT)

St. Peter's Lutheran Church - Swanville  
502 Berkey Avenue  
Swanville, MN

# Tribute Wall



“ *Lemieur Funeral Homes created a Tribute Video in memory of Roberta H. Barthel*



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**Lemieur Funeral Homes** - September 11, 2017 at 04:15 PM



“ *Roberta H. Barthel*

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January 21, 2023 at 11:59 AM



“ *Wendy lit a candle in memory of Roberta H. Barthel*



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**Wendy** - September 16, 2017 at 09:08 PM



“ 55 files added to the album *Life Tributes*



**Lemieur Funeral Homes** - September 11, 2017 at 03:08 PM



“ Kathryn Gessell lit a candle in memory of *Roberta H. Barthel*



**Kathryn Gessell** - September 10, 2017 at 10:29 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum* was purchased for the family of *Roberta H. Barthel*.



September 10, 2017 at 08:31 PM

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“ *"A person that departs from this earth never truly leaves, for they are still alive in our hearts and minds, through us, they live on".*

*Please accept our condolences, she will not be forgotten.*



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**Amanda Lease & Family** - September 10, 2017 at 07:27 PM



“ *Karen Fisher lit a candle in memory of Roberta H. Barthel*



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**Karen Fisher** - September 10, 2017 at 04:59 PM

JD

“ *Juliann Doucette lit a candle in memory of Roberta H. Barthel*



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**Juliann Doucette** - September 09, 2017 at 01:24 PM

JD

*We graduated together!! Prayers to the family and friends...*

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**Juliann Doucette** - September 09, 2017 at 01:27 PM



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**Sarah Holtslander** - September 08, 2017 at 12:29 AM



“ *Kathy Kretzman lit a candle in memory of Roberta H. Barthel*



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**Kathy Kretzman** - September 07, 2017 at 08:06 PM



*I love you, Berta..*

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**Kathy Kretzman** - September 07, 2017 at 08:07 PM