



Madonna Riesberg

March 29, 1938 - August 6, 2022

Madonna Bernadette Riesberg, 84 of Carroll, passed away peacefully on August 6, 2022 at St. Anthony Nursing Home in Carroll.

Mass of the Christian Burial will be celebrated at 10 a.m., Saturday, August 13, 2022 at Holy Spirit Church – St. John Paul II Parish in Carroll. The Celebrant will be Fr. Kevin Richter. Lectors for the Funeral Mass will be Sarah White, Kelsey Scallon, and Rachel Lemka. Gift Bearers will be Kendra Riesberg and Elowen Lemka. Casket Bearers will be Jake Riesberg, Alex Riesberg, Scott Brainard, Jack Boulware, Andy Boulware, and Zach Lemka. Burial will be in Mt. Olivet Cemetery in Carroll.

Visitation will begin at 6 p.m. on Friday at the Sharp Funeral Home in Carroll. A rosary will be prayed at 7:30 p.m.

Memorials may be left at the funeral home or the church and will be directed to the retired priests of the Sioux City Diocese.

Funeral arrangements are under the guidance of the Sharp Funeral Home in Carroll and online condolences may be left for Madonna's family at www.sharpfuneral.com.

Born in Nebraska on March 29, 1938, Madonna moved to the Carroll area while in grade school and graduated from St Angela's academy where she made life-long friends. Madonna married Ron Riesberg shortly after graduation and became loving mother to five children - Julie (Austin TX), Jeff (Leslie) (Kansas City), Doug (Carroll), Jane (Scott) (Seattle) and Linn (Nathan) (Tulsa). She took great pleasure in her twelve grandchildren and four

great grandchildren. A proud and loyal Catholic, Madonna lived a life of faith, prayer and service at St Lawrence and Holy Spirt parishes and in the past years could be found saying the rosary each morning at St Anthony Nursing home.

Madonna remained very close to her 9 siblings and often shared lively and funny stories of her childhood. She was ready to reunite with her mom, dad and six siblings in heaven and leaves behind three beloved brothers and a sister-in-law - Jack (Kathy) Ramaekers, Tom Ramaekers and Walter Ramaekers.

Madonna was humble and sometimes questioned her contribution, but if life is measured on love, friendship, faith, hard work and conviction, Madonna's positive impact will be long-lasting and live on in her children, grandchildren and great grandchildren.

While we will miss Madonna's quick wit, laugh and colorful conversations, we take comfort knowing she is in the loving presence of Christ, the Blessed Virgin and family/friends who have prepared the way for her.

Madonna's family would like to thank the staff at St. Anthony Nursing Home for their exceptional care.

Tribute Wall



“ Beautiful Whisper was purchased for the family of Madonna Riesberg.



August 12, 2022 at 01:38 PM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Madonna Riesberg.



August 12, 2022 at 12:45 AM



“ 7 files added to the album Madonna Riesberg



Jeff Riesberg - August 11, 2022 at 12:35 PM

MS

“ Margaret, Meythalers, and Slnrams purchased the Delightful Dieffenbachia for the family of Madonna Riesberg.



Margaret, Meythalers, and Slnrams - August 10, 2022 at 10:18 PM

FF

“ From the Rasmussen Family purchased the Arrive in Style for the family of Madonna Riesberg.



From the Rasmussen Family - August 10, 2022 at 03:13 PM



“ Delightful Dieffenbachia was purchased for the family of Madonna Riesberg.



August 10, 2022 at 11:37 AM

JE

“ RIP Donna. My mom enjoyed playing cards with her years ago. Our Sympathy. Julie (Hugeback) Eischeid

Julie Eischeid - August 10, 2022 at 11:22 AM



“ *Beautiful Dreams was purchased for the family of Madonna Riesberg.*



August 10, 2022 at 09:52 AM



“ *My sympathy to the Ramaekers and Rieberg families! I was a classmate and friend! Rest In Peace Donna 🙏*

pat sanders - August 09, 2022 at 02:37 PM



“ *Tom Ramaekers & Family purchased the Beautiful Heart Bouquet for the family of Madonna Riesberg.*



Tom Ramaekers & Family - August 09, 2022 at 01:15 PM



“ *Lovely lady. I am a resident of Orchard View, and we spent a lot of time together. I missed her when she left. God Bless you Donna.*

Dorothy Zierke - August 09, 2022 at 12:26 PM



“ *The Heppner Family purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of Madonna Riesberg.*



The Heppner Family - August 09, 2022 at 10:47 AM

ML

“ I am so sorry for your loss. Nana welcomed me into your family with open arms and made me feel like I belonged. I will think of her often when I see her beautiful smile on Rachel and Zack’s children.

Marie Lemka - August 09, 2022 at 09:55 AM

FL

“ Flexible Benefit Service LLC purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Madonna Riesberg.



Flexible Benefit Service LLC - August 08, 2022 at 04:14 PM

DK

“ I am so sorry to hear of Donna’s passing!! Donna meant the world to me. I cleaned house for Donna over the years and we quickly became very good friends!! I could tell Donna anything and she always gave me her honest opinion. I love you, Donna.....until we meet again ❤️

Debbie Kraus - August 07, 2022 at 09:57 PM