

# Cindy Rae Stemmerman - Faini

December 12, 1964 – January 16, 2020



Cindy Rae Faini, 55, of Sioux Falls, South Dakota passed away on Thursday, January 16, 2020 at Avera McKennan Hospital in Sioux Falls. Cindy Rae Faini was born December 12, 1964 in Mitchell, SD to Raymond and Dorothy Stemmerman. Cindy grew up on the family farm with her 5 siblings in Pukwana, South Dakota. She attended the South Dakota School for the Deaf in Sioux Falls and graduated in 1983.

During her time at the school for the deaf, Cindy was involved in basketball and volleyball teams as well as being a cheerleader. She was also a member of the Jr. National Association for the Deaf. Cindy has and continues

to be remembered by her fellow classmates as “so sweet and so funny”. Cindy enjoyed playing games, reading, playing snapchat games with friends and their kids, watching movies, and going to the Deaf Center. She was also a proud member of the South Dakota Association of the Deaf. She worked at several places naming Citibank, Dakota News and Macy’s. Cindy also enjoyed volunteering of her time at South Dakota Parent Connection.

Cindy is survived by her two sons, Justin (Caramie) Faini, and Victor (Heather) Faini; her daughter, Maria Faini; her siblings Ruth Hanson, Avis Bahm, Joyce (Joe) Leheska, and Rene (Marlon) Koepsell; her grandchildren, Lucy, Attitcus, Oliver, and Evelyn, and several nieces and nephews.



The Wake visitation and Rosary services was held at Christ the King Catholic Church at Sioux Falls, S.D. on Wednesday evening, January 22, 2020. The service followed next day at Christ the King Catholic Church. She was put into rest at the Riverview Cemetary, Chamberlain, S.D. The funeral arrangement charged by The Kober Funeral Home.

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