



Patricia "Pat" Bayley

July 4, 1941 - December 23, 2023

Patricia "Pat" Bayley, 82, Valley City, ND passed away Saturday, Dec. 23, in Essentia Hospital with her family by her side.

Pat's funeral service will be available via livestream at <https://vimeo.com/event/3997040>

The funeral service will be 10:30 am Friday, January 5, 2024, at Trinity Lutheran Church, Valley City. The visitation will be 5-7 pm, Thursday, January 4, 2024, at Oliver-Nathan Funeral Chapel, Valley City, with a prayer service at 7 pm at the chapel. Visitation will continue one hour before the service at the church. The burial will be at Page Cemetery, Page, N.D.

Pat was born to Kenneth and Evelyn (Cleveland) Sanderson on July 4, 1941, in Bottineau, ND. Pat was raised on a farm near Willow City, ND. While Pat's siblings enjoyed outdoor chores, Pat preferred to spend her time on inside chores with her mother. Pat attended Willow City Public School grades 1-12 and graduated in 1959. In her youth, Pat was active in 4-H and Luther League. While in school, Pat participated in band, choir, and worked on the school's annual and newspaper, "The Redwing". Pat always felt a strong connection to her roots and was proud to let people know she was from Willow City. She loved her family, her classmates, and her school.

After graduation, Pat attended Minot State College and received her two-year teaching certificate. Pat taught in Tower City, Page, and Fingal. Pat returned to college and completed her bachelor's degree at Valley City State College in 1979. She taught for 37 years before retiring in 1999. Pat loved her students and referred to them all as "her kids". Pat was always thrilled to catch up with "her kids" to learn about their lives and their families.

Pat married Roger Bayley on September 15, 1962. Two children, Lyle and Lisa, were born to this union. The family lived in Tower City, Page, and Fingal prior to settling in Valley City in 1976. Pat was an active member of Trinity Lutheran Church. She taught Sunday school and participated in choir and bell choir. Pat was a member of the Eagles Auxiliary. Pat also worked at Kenny's Restaurant in Valley City for 30 years. During that time, Pat received the "Best Customer Service" award from the Valley City Chamber of Commerce. Pat was well known in the community for her kindness and welcoming personality. Pat had a gift of making others feel at home. She loved to spoil those around her by making a special pot of flavored coffee or by sharing trays filled with her homemade Christmas candy.

Pat is survived by her children Lyle (Jill) Bayley and Lisa (Joe) Neurauter; grandchildren Logan Bayley and Amber Neurauter; great-granddaughter Hanna Neurauter; siblings Carolyn Heller and Chuck Sanderson and sisters-in-law Margaret Samuelson and Shirley Disher; along with numerous nieces and nephews.

Pat was preceded in death by her husband, her parents, mother and father-in-law, Warren and Grace Bayley; a sister Gaylen Dokken; granddaughter Shaina Neurauter and many in-laws.

Cemetery Details

Page Cemetery

Page, ND

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN 4. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Traditions Funeral Services - Oliver Nathan Funeral Chapel
251 Central Ave. S.
Valley City, ND 58072
(701) 845-2414
o-nchapel@bektel.com

Prayer Service

JAN 4. 7:00 PM (CT)

Oliver-Nathan Funeral Chapel
251 Central Ave. S.
Valley City, ND 58072

Visitation

JAN 5. 9:30 AM - 10:30 AM (CT)

Trinity Lutheran Church
499 - 4th Ave. NW
Valley City, ND

Funeral Service

JAN 5. 10:30 AM (CT)

Trinity Lutheran Church
499 - 4th Ave. NW
Valley City, ND

Tribute Wall



“ Oliver - Nathan Funeral Chapel created a Tribute Video in memory of Patricia "Pat" Bayley



Oliver-Nathan Funeral Chapel - January 03, 2024 at 04:53 PM

AH

What a beautiful tribute to Pat. We loved caring for her here at St. Raphael's. She was such a kind, caring and gracious lady. I knew her before she moved here as a hostess/server from Kenny's and also a member of the Valley City Handbell Choir for a number of years. What a wonderful lady! Angi Hansen (music therapist at St. Raphael's.)

Angi Hansen - January 05, 2024 at 02:54 PM



“ 151 files added to the album LifeTributes



Oliver-Nathan Funeral Chapel - January 03, 2024 at 04:54 PM

DO

“ Sincere sympathy to Lyle and Lisa and families ! Family was important to Pat so were her students and dining friends. We shared two special friends from Willow City. Treasure the memories of your lives as a family to bring comfort in the days to come. She is a kind and gentle friend.

Durward and Phyllis Otterness - January 03, 2024 at 10:30 AM



“ Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Patricia "Pat" Bayley.



December 29, 2023 at 11:04 PM

DF

“ Darin and Deb King Family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Patricia "Pat" Bayley.

Darin and Deb King Family - December 29, 2023 at 11:04 PM

FD

“ Sending my deepest sympathy to the Bayley and Sanderson Families' I was one of Pat's teachers and Principal at Willow City H.S. Pay was a great person, we visited a number of times when we came back to Valley City to visit my parents. Frank Dahl

C

francis Dahl - December 29, 2023 at 03:05 PM

RL

“ When I had a friend as a resident at St. Raphael, you were such an encouragement for her...you always prompted her to get out of her room and go to the dining area and do some visiting...it helped her so very much...She thought the world of you Pat...I am sure she was one of the first to welcome you to that Heavenly shore...You were a blessing to many..

Rosie Larson - December 28, 2023 at 04:41 AM

LN

Thanks for sharing!

Lisa Bayley Neurauter - December 28, 2023 at 03:55 PM



“ Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Patricia "Pat" Bayley.



December 27, 2023 at 11:02 PM

MS

“ I will always remember going to Kenny's to see my Great Aunt Pat! She always took time to visit and always made me feel so special! She will be greatly missed, but what a legacy of love she leaves behind!

Michelle Swenson - December 27, 2023 at 10:33 PM

MH

“ a gem of a woman, we were blessed to know her

Mary Hollinhead - December 27, 2023 at 09:24 PM

JO

“ My thoughts and prayers are with you all! So sorry for your loss. Special angel 🙏👼 watching over you! 🙏❤️ Joyce Wald



Joyce - December 27, 2023 at 06:17 PM

TJ

“ Lyle, So sorry to hear of the loss of your mom. I remember her and your dad always coming to cheer you on when you coached your games in Kensal. Losing a parent is very tough. Thinking of you at this time.

Tanya Janes

Tanya Janes - December 27, 2023 at 11:27 AM

EH

“ *Estelle Hanson lit a candle in memory of Patricia "Pat" Bayley*



estelle hanson - December 26, 2023 at 11:11 PM

EH

“ *I am overwhelmed with sadness with the passing of Pat. I am remembering all the excellent service at Kenny's Restaurant(all those extra marshmallows for my daughter Sarah)! I had the pleasure to be a PM caregiver for her at St Raphael, Valley City. She was always up for a good conversation, as we knew so many of the same people in the area. My daughter, Sarah, and I send our deepest sympathy to Pat's family. Thoughts and Prayers, Estelle Hanson*

estelle hanson - December 26, 2023 at 11:09 PM

LI

I remember all of those marshmallows, too! AND whipped cream! Thank you for taking such great care of mom.

Lisa - December 28, 2023 at 03:52 PM

SW

“ *Our condolences go out to the Bailey family from the Kramer family. I always enjoyed running into Pat and visiting with her and having her wait on us at Kenny's Family Restaurant in VC. RIP Pat*

Shelly and Bernie Wanzek - December 26, 2023 at 05:17 PM

LI

Thanks so much, Shelley (and everyone).

Lisa - December 28, 2023 at 03:53 PM