



Shirley B. Anderson

July 27, 1935 - February 10, 2026

Shirley B. Anderson, 90, of Long Pine, NE, formerly of Kearney, died February 10th, 2026, in Long Pine Nebraska. She was living with her daughter and husband, Renee and Tracy Tucker. Visitation will be from 9:30 to 10:30 am, February 16, 2026, at Horner Lieske McBride & Kuhl Funeral Home in Kearney. Funeral service will be 10:30 am followed by burial at Pleasant Hill Cemetery in Axtell. Memorials are suggested to the Ainsworth Evangelical Free Church. Please visit www.hlmkfuneral.com to leave a tribute or message of condolence. Horner Lieske McBride & Kuhl Funeral and Cremation Services in Kearney is in charge of arrangements.

Shirley Barbara Anderson was born in Estelline South Dakota on July 27th, 1935 to John and Alta (Parks) Aulner. She was preceded in death by her husband, Conrad Anderson in 2014, grandson Jerrad Carranza in 2018, daughter Aletha Sands in 2025 and 5 of her 6 siblings. Shirley is survived by a brother, Marvin Aulner, three of her four children, Janell (Brad) Jorgensen, Keven (Sara) Anderson, and Renee (Tracy) Tucker, son in law, Don Sands, 14 grandchildren, 32 great grandchildren and 2 great-great grandchildren.

Shirley Barbara Aulner/Anderson graduated from High School in Hastings, NE and met her husband Conrad Anderson in early 1953 while working at the Rivoli Theater in Hastings. They were married on August 21, 1954 in Hastings and in August 1959 Conrad graduated from the Mary Lanning School of Nursing in Hastings. After one year of living in Broken Bow they moved to Omaha, NE. Conrad attended Creighton Memorial Hospital Anesthesia School and Shirley was the head of the Hematology department at Creighton Hospital. During this time Shirley and Conrad had four children, Janell in 1955, Keven in 1956, Renee in 1958 and Aletha in 1959. Following Conrad's schooling they lived in Schuyler NE until 1973 then Kearney NE where Conrad worked with the Anesthesia group until 1993 finally retiring in Long Pine, NE. There they had built a home on the land they had always dreamed of. Shirley and Conrad were excellent stewards of the land and cherished living there while they were able. Over the years Shirley and Conrad hosted many family and friends to their home. It was a place of peace and beauty, God's country.

Shirley and Conrad attended St. Peters Lutheran Church in Bassett NE while living in Long Pine. Shirley was active in the church and with the Brown County Legion serving as the secretary for a time. They both had a passion for Antiques and started their own business, called "Shirley's Lost And Found" and traveled to many antiques shows in several states selling beautiful antique dishes and other items. This was more of a passion than a hobby for both of them.

Shirley had many wonderful attributes. She was a hard worker and loving wife and mother. She was an excellent and talented cook and seamstress, making many dresses for her daughters when they were young. Shirley and Conrad had many friends and loved playing in bridge clubs. She was very competitive while playing cards, board games, sudoku and puzzles. She excelled at word games. Shirley and Conrad were both very giving and sacrificing, many times putting others' needs and wishes before their own. Shirley was so loved by her family and friends and appreciated for the wonderful woman that she was.

Cemetery Details

Pleasant Hill Cemetery

Axtell, NE 68924

Previous Events

Visitation

FEB 16. 9:30 AM - 10:30 AM (CT)

Horner Lieske McBride & Kuhl
2421 Avenue A
Kearney, NE 68847
(308) 237-2259
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Funeral Service

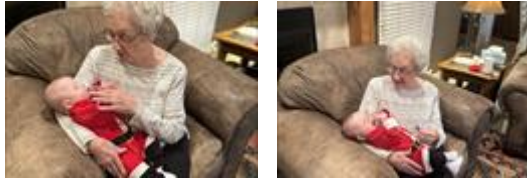
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Tribute Wall

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Lindsay Carranza - February 16 at 07:00 PM



“ 1 file added to the album Funeral

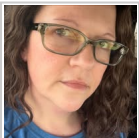


Horner Lieske McBride & Kuhl Funeral and Cremation Services - February 16 at 01:28 PM

MC

May God ❤️🙏 bless Anderson 🙏❤️ friends and family during this time of sorrow 🙏
❤️ Thanks 🙏 to the family for years of professional nursing to the community of
Nebraska and rural Nebraska communities
Marlene Mailahn Chirside MA National Nebraska veterans peer supporter & family

Marlene Mailahn Chirside - March 08 at 11:00 PM



“ Grandma holding baby Conrad ❤️

Lindsay Carranza - February 16 at 12:20 PM

VA

“ 4 files added to the tribute wall



Vesta Anderson - February 15 at 01:32 PM

JF

“ Jeremy & Jamie & families purchased the Beautiful Heart Bouquet for the family of Shirley B. Anderson.



Jeremy & Jamie & families - February 13 at 02:51 PM

JF

“ Jeremy & Jamie & families planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Shirley B. Anderson.

Jeremy & Jamie & families - February 13 at 02:51 PM

EN

“ We are thinking of you and sending our prayers! It is never easy to say goodbye and let a parent go and we know what you are feeling. So sorry for your loss and remember the good times. Renee and Tracy our thoughts are with you and remembering all the fun we had in Minden with all our kids growing up together. We still miss you and so many of our friends still ask about you. We are also sad to see that Aletha passed away too. Know that we are sending prayers. Ed and Shari North

Ed & Shari North - February 13 at 02:38 PM



“ Serene Retreat was purchased for the family of Shirley B. Anderson.



February 13 at 10:11 AM

JJ

“ I remember my mother making home made bread and then making French toast for breakfast with the bread. Our cousins would be visiting and she would make enough French toast for an army. Everyone absolutely loved it. She loved doing this for the children. She was a great cook. Most of the time she would alter recipes to make them better just using her instincts. Many times she made the most meager ingredients into a feast. She raised three daughters who all loved to cook. We bragged about her all the time.

Janell Jorgensen - February 13 at 09:12 AM

RT

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Renee Tucker - February 12 at 10:49 PM



“ Florist Choice Bouquet was purchased for the family of Shirley B. Anderson.



February 12 at 05:48 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Shirley B. Anderson.

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Renee Tucker - February 12 at 05:05 PM

FG

“ From the Grandkids purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Shirley B. Anderson.



From the Grandkids - February 12 at 10:48 AM

YF

“ Your Ainsworth Family Clinic Family purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Shirley B. Anderson.



Your Ainsworth Family Clinic Family - February 12 at 09:47 AM

YF

“ Your Ainsworth Family Clinic Family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Shirley B. Anderson.

Your Ainsworth Family Clinic Family - February 12 at 09:47 AM



“ Dreams From the Heart Bouquet was purchased for the family of Shirley B. Anderson.



February 11 at 08:34 PM



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