

Footprints In The Sand

One night I dreamed a dream.

As I was walking along the beach with my Lord.

Across the dark sky flashed scenes from my life.

For each scene, I noticed two sets of footprints in the sand,

One belonging to me and one to my Lord.

After the last scene of my life flashed before me,

I looked back at the footprints in the sand.

I noticed that at many times along the path of my life,

especially at the very lowest and saddest times,

there was only one set of footprints.

This really troubled me, so I asked the Lord about it.

“Lord, you said once I decided to follow you,

You’d walk with me all the way.

But I noticed that during the saddest and most

troublesome times of my life,

there was only one set of footprints.

I don’t understand why, when I needed You the most,

You would leave me.”

He whispered, “My precious child,

I love you and will never leave you

Never, ever, during your trials and testings.

When you saw only one set of footprints,

It was then that I carried you.”

Celebrating the Life of

Mary Margit Hesla Skretteberg

FUNERAL SERVICE

Friday, April 21, 2023 at 11:00 am

Trinity Lutheran Church

Sheridan, WY

OFFICIATING

Pastor Phil Wold

Hymns

Amazing Grace

How Great Thou Art

SPECIAL MUSIC

Go in Peace

You Light Up My Life

SPECIAL MUSIC BY

Duet~ Annie and Chuck Magera

Organist ~ Nancy Hilstad

PALLBEARERS

Eric Skretteberg, Christian Skretteberg, Ed George

Joshua George, Dave Tarver, Phil Turner

A church reception will immediately follow the service.

Memorial Contributions may be made in Mary’s name to:

Second Chance Sheridan Cat Rescue

1850 Gabrielle Ct., Sheridan, WY 82801

In Loving Memory of Mary Skretteberg

Mary Margit Hesla Skretteberg, age 82, of Sheridan, WY passed away on Friday, April 14, 2023 at Sheridan Memorial Hospital. Born on March 10th, 1941 in Minneapolis, MN to Rev. Otto and Alma Hesla, Mary took great pride in graduating with honors from St. Olaf College; “the school on the hill”, majoring in English. Mary headed west in her prized white Fairlane for her first teaching job in Lovell, WY, where she met Leonard, her husband of 59 years. They were married in Red Lodge, MT, September 12, 1964 and moved to Sheridan in 1971. They raised their family in Sheridan enjoying time on the mountain hiking, 4-wheeling and having the best time, Mary even helped build the family cabin. She loved spending time with her family, making people laugh, gardening, and animals.

Mary was a loving wife to C. Leonard Skretteberg; mother to Kari (Dave) Tarver of Nunn, CO, Mary Kirsten “Kit” (Phil) Turner of Sheridan, WY, and Eric (Stacia) Skretteberg of Sheridan, WY; grandmother to Christian (Makayla) Skretteberg of Wellington, CO and Macie Skretteberg of Maui, HI; and great-grandmother to Daisy and Kailyn Skretteberg.



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