



## Ann Marie Vredevelde

October 30, 1944 - December 14, 2022

Ann Marie Vredevelde, 78, of Alda passed away on Wednesday, December 14, 2022.

Memorial service and celebration of Ann's life will be held at 2:00 p.m.

Saturday, January 7th, at All Faiths Funeral Home with a gathering of family and friends from 1:00 until the time of the service. There will be a celebration of Ann's life at a later date in Dunlap, Iowa.

Ann was born October 30, 1944, in Onawa, Iowa, the daughter of Lloyd and Margaret (Maxwell) Gray. She grew up and graduated from high school in Dunlap, Iowa.

She was married to John Dutch Vredevelde and the couple had two children, Ray and Mia. For about 13 years, they made their home in Ketchikan, Alaska. Ann owned and managed Rainbow Tours during that time. Ann always enjoyed being around people and made friends wherever she went.

The family eventually returned to the Grand Island area. Ann will be remembered for her ability to tell a story and her determination. Ann was a natural born caregiver and animal lover. She loved gardening and spending time outdoors with her grandchildren.

Those who cherish Ann's memory include her son, Ray Vredevelde and his girlfriend Delores Arias; grandchildren, Emily Oyler, Tylar Evans, Amy Daniels, Megan Dubry, Kelby Weakland, Kelsey Weakland and Tyler and Carolyn Weakland; and great-grandchildren, Elsie, Ryley, Peyton, Bryce, Shyannah, Ariannah, Aryan and Jace.

She is also survived by her brothers, Tom Gray and Bart Gray.

Ann and her family appreciated the love and care given Ann the last years of her life by Delores Arias and her family.

She was preceded in death by her parents; her husband, John Vredeveld; daughter, Mia Weakland and brother, Gene Gray.

Memorials are suggested to the family to be designated at a later date.

Online remembrances may be left at [www.giallfaiths.com](http://www.giallfaiths.com).

# Previous Events

## Celebration of Life Service

JAN 7. 2:00 PM (CT)

All Faiths Funeral Home  
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Grand Island, NE 68801  
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<https://www.giallfaiths.com/>

# Tribute Wall



“ *Ann Marie Vredeveld*

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October 08, 2023 at 11:02 PM



“ *Ann was a senior when I was a freshman at Dunlap HS and her Brother Tom and I were best friends. Our farm was across the river and I visited their farm many times. I met Ann, again, in Alaska when our cruise ship docked in Ketchikan. She was always fun and good to be around. My Condolences to her family.*

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**Fred M Iversen** - December 22, 2022 at 11:18 AM