



## Susan Johnson

January 20, 1957 - September 20, 2019

The celebration of life memorial mass for Susan Johnson, of Bertha, will be held at 11:00 am on Friday, October 4, at St. Joseph's Catholic Church in Bertha, with Father Mitchell Bechtold presiding. Visitation will be held on Friday, from 9:30 am until the time of mass. A Christian Mother's rosary will be began at 9:30 am.

Susan, age 62, unexpectedly passed away on Friday, September 20 , 2019, at Tri-County Health Care in Wadena, MN.

Susan was born to Joe and Hildegard (Moenkedick) Fink on January 20, 1957, in Perham, MN. After completing high school, she continued her education and later found her livelihood as a dog breeder. Susan was united in marriage with Dale Johnson on July 20, 1990 at St. Joseph's Catholic Church in Bertha. She was a loving and devoted wife, mother and grandmother. She was a talented business woman who loved and cared deeply for her poodles. Susan was a wonderful gardener who especially enjoyed her flowers.

Preceding Susan in death were her parents Joe and Hildegard.

Left to hold Susan in their memories are her husband, Dale of Bertha; son Joe Bond; grandson Joseph Bond; and brother Pat Fink; along with Dale's

brothers Dennis Johnson, David (Shaba) Johnson, Duane (Carol) Johnson; Dean (Shelly) Johnson and Richard (Karen) Johnson; sisters Darlene (Dave) Mareck and Donna (Mark) Smith.

Memorials may be directed to the family.

A private burial will be held at a later date in St. Henry's Catholic Cemetery in Perham, MN.

# Cemetery Details

## St. Henry's Catholic Cemetery - Perham

43529 CR 34  
Perham, MN

# Previous Events

## Visitation

OCT 4. 9:30 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

St. Joseph's Catholic Church - Bertha  
205 Cherry Street NW  
Bertha, MN 56437

## Service

OCT 4. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (CT)

St. Joseph's Catholic Church - Bertha  
205 Cherry Street NW  
Bertha, MN 56437

# Tribute Wall

AM

“ We got our sweet maltipoo almost two years ago (born March 2018) and can't imagine her not in our family! We would love to see what our puppies siblings are like if you have one of them!



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**Amanda** - February 27, 2020 at 11:17 PM

 MiChel  
Petree  
Swanson

“ MiChel Petree Swanson lit a candle in memory of Susan Johnson



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**MiChel Petree Swanson** - February 20, 2020 at 11:06 AM



“ I purchased a puppy from Sue in 2012, and from time to time, I would check in with her to let her know what a wonderful little gal she shared with me. My June is such an awesome companion! Sue would always laugh, and express her delight that I was so happy. I am so sorry to see that her beautiful, bright life was taken so suddenly. Please accept my heartfelt condolences and prayers for the family and community. I know she will be missed.  
Maryanna Massey - Plymouth, MN

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**Maryanna Massey** - January 07, 2020 at 09:43 PM

SL

“ I am so sorry for your loss of this lovely lady. I bought two puppies from Sue about a year and a half ago. She loved every one of those little fur babies. I was going to get Bella and Coco's sister from Sue when she was done breeding. So sad that she has left us. But, she made a whole lot of people very happy when they got their new furry family member. I am sure she is busy at the rainbow bridge visiting with all of her fur babies. Deepest condolences to all her friends and family.



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**Shelley Luebke** - December 10, 2019 at 08:39 AM

BE

“ Beth Ertl lit a candle in memory of Susan Johnson



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**Beth Ertl** - November 11, 2019 at 12:16 AM

BE

“ *Beth A Ertl lit a candle in memory of Susan Johnson*



**Beth A Ertl** - November 10, 2019 at 11:56 PM

KL

“ *Karen Larson lit a candle in memory of Susan Johnson*



**Karen Larson** - November 01, 2019 at 09:14 PM

DL

“ *David Larson lit a candle in memory of Susan Johnson*



**David Larson** - November 01, 2019 at 09:14 PM



“ *I am so sorry to hear this news. I just got a puppy from Sue this past summer and went to check about getting another on her website and saw that she had passed. If any of her dogs are still looking for families please let me know. I would be especially interested in adopting the mother of my puppy if she needs a home. Her name was Lily and she looks just like the puppy I got. My heartfelt condolences to her family ❤️. You are in my prayers.*

**Amy Waara** - October 30, 2019 at 02:17 PM

AF

“ Dale,  
Our entire family has been praying for you during this difficult time. You, Sue and Joseph have been a big part of our life the last tens years and I am very honored to call Joseph by Godson. Your commitment to raising Joseph is a testament to your love for him and an inspiration for the entire community. You are a great grandpa!  
God Bless  
Andrew, Ruth, Johnathan, David, Lydia, Martha, Caleb, Anna & Joshua.



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**Andrew Freyholtz** - September 30, 2019 at 08:20 AM

MH

“ Marladene Heinen lit a candle in memory of Susan Johnson



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**Marladene Heinen** - September 28, 2019 at 09:28 PM

LS

“ Lea Snyder lit a candle in memory of Susan Johnson



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**Lea Snyder** - September 27, 2019 at 10:51 AM

TO

“ *My deepest sympathies to Susie's family.*



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**Tiffany Orsello** - September 26, 2019 at 06:43 PM

RG

“ *Roland & Ginger Gilbert lit a candle in memory of Susan Johnson*



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**Roland & Ginger Gilbert** - September 26, 2019 at 02:22 PM

DV

“ *Dorothy Voge (Bernie Voge) lit a candle in memory of Susan Johnson*



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**Dorothy Voge (Bernie Voge)** - September 26, 2019 at 01:50 PM

DT

“ *Diane Teigland lit a candle in memory of Susan Johnson*



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**Diane Teigland** - September 26, 2019 at 11:08 AM

LS

“ *Linn and Germaine Smith*



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**Linn Smith** - September 25, 2019 at 10:21 PM

WJ

“ *Wilferd & Shirley Johnson lit a candle in memory of Susan Johnson*



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**Wilferd & Shirley Johnson** - September 25, 2019 at 08:57 PM

BL

“ *Dale and Joseph, Sorry to hear of Sue's passing so suddenly. May God bring you comfort as you go through these next days and weeks without her here with you. It was so awesome to watch her dedication to grandson Joseph. It was always nice to see her at some of our mutual friends celebrations. A friend Betty Lipinski*



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**Betty Lipinski** - September 25, 2019 at 07:47 PM

DO

“ *Doug And Joan Ostlund lit a candle in memory of Susan Johnson*



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**Doug and Joan Ostlund** - September 25, 2019 at 03:01 PM

LH

“ LEO HAISMAN lit a candle in memory of Susan Johnson



LEO HAISMAN - September 25, 2019 at 11:18 AM

TT

“ So saddened to hear of Sue's passing. God's blessings to all of you for comfort, peace and guidance during the coming weeks.



Theresa Topp - September 25, 2019 at 09:26 AM

DH

“ Dee Hendershot lit a candle in memory of Susan Johnson



Dee Hendershot - September 25, 2019 at 08:09 AM

DH

“ I didn't know Susan very well, but will always remember her for her dedication to her grandson. May God bless her and her family.

Dee Hendershot - September 25, 2019 at 08:09 AM

JB

“ *John And Audrey Blashack lit a candle in memory of Susan Johnson*



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**John and Audrey Blashack** - September 24, 2019 at 08:30 PM

GD

“ *Praying for all of Susan's family* 🙏



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**Gene & Mary Denny** - September 24, 2019 at 08:24 PM

JF

“ *Jennifer Farber lit a candle in memory of Susan Johnson*



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**Jennifer Farber** - September 24, 2019 at 07:09 PM