

Beverly M. Dalziel Nursing Scholarship Endowment

Beverly M. Dalziel was a life-long resident of Devils Lake, ND, and a caring nurse to many!

Beverly Marie, daughter of Bernard and Elizabeth “Betty” (Leiphon) Bachmeier was born on February 21, 1965, at Devils Lake. She was reared and educated in Devils Lake, graduating from Devils Lake High School with the class of 1983. Bev continued her education at Lake Region Junior College, graduating in the Licensed Practical Nursing Program. She went to work in Albuquerque, NM, and lived with Tom and Joan Davis working for a nursing agency. Following that she worked in Phoenix, AZ for a while.

Beverly was united in marriage to Todd Dalziel on August 2, 1986, at St. Joseph Catholic Church and they established their home in the Devils Lake area and were the proud parents of 3 boys. Beverly was employed as the school nurse at the North Dakota School for the Deaf from 1986 to 1999. For the past 20 years, Bev was a clinic nurse at Lake Region Clinic and Altru Clinic.

First and foremost, Beverly was a devoted wife and mother. Her family meant the world to her. She was the event planner, getting everyone together to celebrate holidays, birthdays, and all the special times in the lives of her children and extended family. Bev loved being outdoors. She was an avid golfer and was always seen out walking and running in the Lakewood neighborhood.

Beverly's next passion was as a true professional nurse. Bev was always caring, understanding, and nonjudgmental and had a strong ability to empathize with patients from all walks of life. She met them where they were in their struggles and always offered comfort, peace, support, and positive direction. Bev was able to show she truly cared about her patients and situations.

The Beverly Dalziel Nursing Scholarship Endowment was established in 2020 in honor of Beverly. Bev held high ideals for herself and the nursing profession which included strong basic nursing skills combined with personal care and concern for every patient. Bev was an advocate of education and fundamental training for nurses and continued education even after graduation. She enjoyed attending continuing education sessions and always learning better ways to care for patients. This scholarship has been established to perpetuate her memory, her nursing heritage, and to foster these ideals in future generations of nursing students.