

A CELEBRATION OF THE LIFE OF  
KAREL BODAMER



TRINITY PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH  
HENDERSONVILLE, NC  
AUGUST 5<sup>TH</sup>, 2023

in Gratitude to God for the Life of

**KAREL MARIE BODAMER**

A Child of God

May 6<sup>th</sup>, 1943—June 13<sup>th</sup>, 2023

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August 5<sup>th</sup>, 2023

Trinity Presbyterian Church  
Hendersonville, North Carolina

**Prelude**

**Welcome & Statement of Purpose**

**Special Music**

“Ashokan Farewell”

*Deb Carstensen - Fiddle*

**Reading from the Prophet**

*Casey Carstensen, Diane Swift*

**\*Hymn 643**

“Now Thank We All Our God”

**Scripture Reading**

Ecclesiastes 3:1-8

*Vickie Hugger*

**Remembrances**

*Leslie Nissen, Rev. Dr. Richard Weidler*

**Meditations**

*Rev. Dr. Mark Stanley*

**\*Hymn 14**

“For the Beauty of the Earth”

*(vv. 1, 2, & 4)*

**A Wonderful Life**

*John Bodamer*

**Music**

“A Song From Karel”

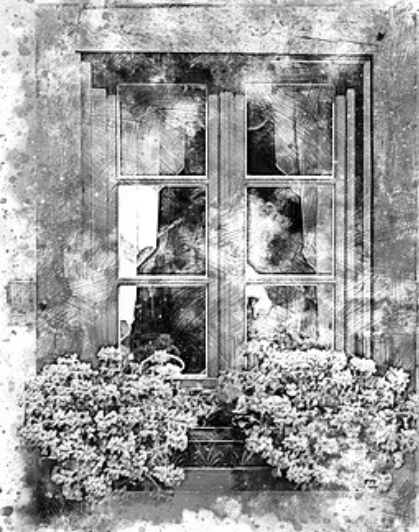
**Benediction**

**Postlude**

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*\*Please stand in body or spirit.*

*Please join the family for a reception in the Fellowship Hall following the Celebration of Life.  
Special thanks to our organist, Stephen Klein, and fiddle player, Deb Carstensen*



Losing love is like a window in your heart  
Everybody sees you're blown apart  
Everybody sees the wind blow.

—Paul Simon (*Graceland*)

Don't Postpone Joy.

—Karel



*With appreciation and gratitude to Mark and the entire Trinity Presbyterian community, and special thanks to Stephen, Russ, Katie, Deb, Casey, Diane, Vickie, Leslie, Richard, Jen and Dave.*