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Sister Rosaleen began her multiple ministries as a teacher in the primary grades in North and South Dakota and Minnesota. By 1977, at St. Mary's School in New England, North Dakota, besides teaching, she also helped in the girls' dormitory. After four years, Sister Rosaleen became head teacher at a consolidated school in Minnesota. Before long, in 1988, she was asked to be the local leader and pastoral care person in St. Joseph Health Care at the Mankato provincial house. She eventually became the community leader at the provincial house. After a sabbatical, Sister Rosaleen began five years of work with the daycare in the Mankato Area Catholic Schools working with small children. Her final ministry was as receptionist at Loyola High School, Good Counsel Campus, in Mankato. Since then she is enjoying giving community service on the hill.

The biggest blessing of my life is that I have been able to connect and communicate with so many others through my different ministries. I have been blessed to work with babies, elementary children, teenagers, our sisters and those in the final stages of life. This wide range of people has enriched and broadened my understanding of the capacity of God's inclusive love for all. My involvement has deepened my prayer life and brought me closer to the God I love.

The wisdom I would like to share is that I have learned in life to believe and trust what it is that I feel in my heart. It is how God communicates with me when I quiet myself to listen. Through these years the right path has always been revealed to me when I have let go and put my trust in God's plan. I find it so encouraging to think that God would enter into our lives by becoming one with us. This manifestation of love is a gift we are each called to share with others.