

Joan Bocek, 90, passed away peacefully on December 14, 2024, surrounded by love and cherished memories.

Joan was born in Sheridan Wyoming on March 17, 1934, to Samuel and Julia (Belmont) Nania and took great pleasure in being a St. Patrick's Day baby. On May 29, 1959, Joan was married to John L. Bocek and the two of them later adopted two children, a son Chris and a daughter Deb which completed their family.

A trailblazer in real estate, Joan was the founder of two successful businesses in Cheyenne, Wyoming: The Key Real Estate Co. and #1 Properties. Her exceptional skills and dedication earned her a membership in the prestigious Million Dollar Club, a testament to her hard work and success in the industry.

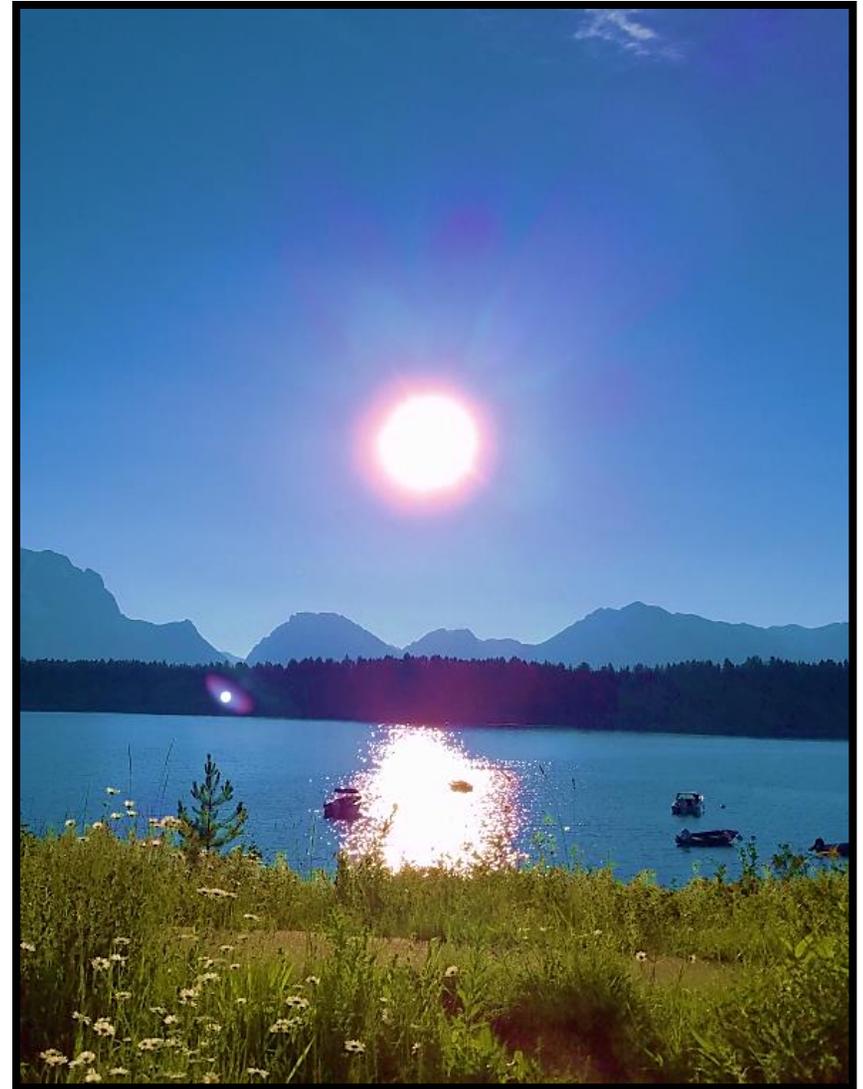
Later in life, Joan moved to Lava Hot Springs, Idaho, after her husband's retirement, where she embraced the community and its natural beauty. She loved swimming in the area's natural hot springs and found joy in giving back. Joan was a devoted volunteer at the Lava Seniors Center where she spent countless hours supporting the local community. She also served with the Lava Lionesses, reflecting her deep commitment to helping others.

Joan was preceded in death by her parents Samuel and Julia Nania and her husband John Lester (Les). Joan is survived by her brother Dave Nania (Jean Ann), son Chris (Judi), daughter Debbie Chilton (Brad). Grandchildren: Devin, Wyatt, Brodee Bocek and Brook Chilton- Harms (Rhett).Joans entrepreneurial spirit, giving nature, and boundless kindness left an indelible mark on everyone who had the privilege of knowing her.

A big thank you to the employees at Grace Assisted Living Center for the loving care they provided to Joan while she lived there. She loved and appreciated all of you.



In Loving Memory



Joan Bocek

1934 ~ 2024

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Born

March 17, 1934
Sheridan, Wyoming

Passed Away

December 14, 2024
Pocatello, Idaho

Funeral Mass

Monday January 6, 2025 12 Noon
Our Lady of Lourdes Catholic Church
Lava Hot Springs, Idaho

Officiating

Father Emil Parafiniuk

Musician

Russ Fagnant

Interment

Lava Hot Springs Cemetery
Lava Hot Springs, Idaho

Mass

Readings:

Corinthians 13:1-13

Psalm 23

John 14: 1-6

Music

Be Not Afraid

Shelter Me O God

The Old Rugged Cross

Fly Like A Bird

Pall Bearers

Devin Bocek Wyatt Bocek Brodee Bocek

Rhett Harms Greg Berti Tom Berti

