

*Elizabeth “Dee” D’Alene McCants* was born on May 13, 1943 to John and Monte (Newland) Willman in Jordan, MT. She grew up and attended schools at Westmore and later graduated from Baker High School. Dee went on to receive her CDL from Casper Community College. In 1960 she married Donald Lamb and to this union Norman, Fred and Lisa were born. Together the family moved to several ranches in western North Dakota and South Dakota along with eastern Montana. They settled in Miles City, Montana before moving to Casper, WY due to oilfield work. Dee began working for G.E. where she drove truck. In 1983 she separated from Don and returned to Plevna where she has made her home since. In 2001 she reconnected and married Albert “Jim” McCants. Together they enjoyed RVing taking many trips from Alaska to Arizona. She loved cats and always had many cats around. Dee enjoyed camping, the mountains, farming and working with animals. She especially loved and enjoyed her grandchildren and great grandchildren. Dee will be greatly missed by her sons, Norman (Cynthia) Lamb and Fred Lamb both of Casper, WY; daughter, Lisa Marie Lamb of Plevna, MT; sister, Roberta Willman of Plevna, MT; grandchildren, Norman Dean (Lexi) Lamb Jr., Brandon (Stephanie) Lamb, Trista McClure, Donald Brown; 7 great grandchildren. She is preceded in death by her husband, Albert “Jim” McCants; parents, John and Monte Willman.



# Dee McCants

May 13, 1943 - March 22, 2025

## A Cowboy’s Guide to Life

- Life is not about how fast you run or how high you climb, but how well you bounce.
- Every path has a few puddles.
- If you get to thinkin’ you’re a person of some influence, try orderin’ around somebody else’s dog.
- When you wallow with pigs, expect to get dirty.
- If you lie down with dogs, you get up with fleas.
- If you’re ridin’ ahead of the herd, take a look back now and then to make sure it’s still with ya.
- Don’t squat with your spurs on.
- Sometimes you get and sometimes you get got.
- The biggest troublemaker you’ll probably ever have to deal with watches you in the mirror every morning.
- Always drink upstream from the herd.



## Heaven's Grocery Store

I was walking down life's highway a  
long, long time ago.

One day I saw a sign that read,  
"HEAVEN'S GROCERY STORE."  
As I got a little closer, the door opened wide,  
and I found myself standing inside.

I saw a host of ANGELS.  
They were standing everywhere.  
One handed me a basket and said,  
"My Child, shop with care."

Everything a human needed  
was in that grocery store.  
And if you couldn't carry it all,  
you could come back the next day for more.

First, I got some PATIENCE.  
LOVE was in the same row.  
Further down was UNDERSTANDING,  
you need that everywhere you go.

I got a box or two of WISDOM,  
a bag or two of FAITH.  
I just couldn't miss the HOLY GHOST,  
for it was all over the place.

I stopped to get some STRENGTH and  
COURAGE  
TO HELP ME RUN THIS RACE.  
By then my basket was getting full,  
but I remembered I needed some GRACE.

I didn't forget SALVATION,  
for SALVATION was free.  
So I tried to get enough of that  
to save both you and me.

Then I started up to the counter  
to pay my grocery bill.  
For I thought I had everything  
to do the MASTER'S will.

As I went up the aisle, I saw PRAYER;  
and I just had to put that in,  
for I knew when I stepped outside,  
I would run into sin.

PEACE and JOY were plentiful;  
they were last on the shelf.  
SONG and PRAISE were hanging near,  
so I just helped myself.

Then I said to the angel,  
"Now, how much do I owe?"  
He smiled again and said,  
"MY CHILD, JESUS PAID YOUR BILL  
A LONG, LONG TIME AGO."

Jesus Loves You  
John 3:16



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## FUNERAL SERVICE

Thursday, March 27, 2025 11:00 am

Stevenson Funeral Home

Baker, Montana

## OFFICIATING

Pastor Eddy Smith

## HONORARY PALLBEARERS

Fred Lamb & Roger Geving

## PALLBEARERS

Norman Lamb      Todd Rogers

Steve Stickney      Rolph Tunby

Charlie Cavle      Rich Gray

## INTERMENT

Bonnievale Cemetery

Baker, Montana

## ARRANGEMENTS BY

Stevenson Funeral Home

Baker, Montana

*Lunch will be served at the  
Plevna Community Center  
following the graveside service.*