

Mary Louise Losch

Mary was born May 17, 1932, in Deadwood, SD, to Bernard "Doc" and Mildred (Faragher) Smith. After sixth grade, she and her family moved to Hawthorne, NV, where she lived until she graduated from Hawthorne High School. In the early 1950's, she moved to Oregon to attend Oregon State University and later settled in Southern California. Mary and her children moved back to Deadwood in 1969.

In the late 1970's, Mary started working as a live-in caregiver. She loved spending time with family and friends, reading books, reciting poetry, and telling stories. She enjoyed participating in slot tournaments with her group of friends, and was active in St. John's Episcopal Church in Deadwood.

Mary Louise Losch, 82, died Wednesday, April 1, 2015, at Belle Fourche Long Term Health Care.

Mary is survived by three daughters, Mary Ellen (Jeffrey Lloyd) Currie, Auburn, WA, Christina Louise Losch, Phoenix, AZ, and Laurie Michelle (Lawrence) Parker, Newell, SD; one son, Timothy Losch (Brandi Brooks), San Francisco, CA; one sister, Patricia Springer, Spearfish, SD; four grandchildren, Christopher Fredrickson, Phoenix, AZ, Nicole Merwin, Deadwood, SD, Lisa Wonderly, Tacoma, WA, and Jacob Parker, Redmond, WA; and two great-grandchildren, Bentlee Fredrickson, Phoenix, AZ and EllaFay Wonderly, Tacoma, WA.

She is preceded in death by her parents; her sisters, Dorothy, Margaret, Ruthie, and Shirley; and her brother, B.A. "Smitty" Smith.

In lieu of flowers, the family wishes for memorials to be sent to The Lord's Cupboard in Lead or St. John's Episcopal Church.

Condolences may be sent to the family at www.kinkadefunerals.com.

*The family invites you to join them for fellowship and refreshments
in the church hall immediately following the memorial service.
We thank you for your presence and condolences.*



In Loving Memory Of

Mary Louise Losch

1932 ~ 2015



*Let me entreat you
as a final word of parting
Not to forget that love and loyalty
we have shown
One to another
Let your aim in life be true
And your conduct as well
as your precepts be correct
And our cause shall not suffer
The misjudgement of a loyal heart.*

~ A Favorite Poem

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Memorial Service

Monday, April 6, 2015, at 2:00 p.m.
St. John's Episcopal Church
Deadwood, South Dakota

Officiant

Father Michael Johnson

Pianist

Shirlene Joseph

Soloist

Anne Rogers

Musical Selections

"All Things Bright And Beautiful"
"Over The Rainbow"
"When You Wish Upon A Star"