



Mary Colleen Groeneveld

May 24, 1943 - July 12, 2010

Mary Colleen (Farrelly) Groeneveld passed away on July 12, 2010 at Okanogan-Douglas Hospital. She was born on May 24, 1943 in Spokane to Elmo and Irene Farrelly. She grew up in Latah, Washington, graduating from Freeman High School. She attended Cascade College in Portland, Oregon for two years and graduated from Eastern Washington State College with a B.A. in Education. She first taught school in Pateros beginning in January of 1966. Later, she taught for 20 years in Brewster and Bridgeport for a total of 28 years. On July 19, 1969 she married Jack Groeneveld at Latah and they lived in Bridgeport and Brewster for the past 40 years. They were blessed with one daughter, Mary Alice.

Colleen is survived by her husband, Jack of Brewster; daughter and son-in-law, Mary Alice and Javier Avalos of Brewster; three grandchildren, Alex, Daniel and Kimberley of Brewster; her brother and his wife, Michael R. and Sue Farrelly of Latah; also numerous nephews, nieces, and great-nephews and nieces. A special thank you to Dr. Hanson, Dr. Notter, to all who kept her in prayers and to the wonderful care at the Okanogan-Douglas Hospital.

There will be a celebration of her faith at the Pateros Community Church on Saturday, July 24 at 1:00 p.m.

Previous Events

Service

JUL **24.** 1:00 PM (PT)

Pateros Community Church
124 N Dawson St.
Pateros, WA

Tribute Wall



“ *Mary Colleen Groeneveld*

January 29, 2023 at 08:49 AM



“ *Our thoughts go out to the family.
Tom & Pam Watson##imported-begin##Pam Watson##imported-end##*

July 30, 2010 at 08:11 PM



“ *We feel privileged to have known Colleen. She was such a wonderful lady! We have never seen anyone who remained so positive no matter what the circumstances. She gave us a picture of Jesus here on earth. Our deepest sympathy at your loss. May our Lord comfort you and give you strength.##imported-begin##Clint and Nancy Baker##imported-end##*

July 24, 2010 at 08:16 PM



“ *I will always remember Mrs. Groeneveld. She was always at lunch making sure all of us elementary kids were behaving ourselves. She also always dressed up on Halloween and different holidays which always put a smile in my face. I sorry Jack and family I know this loss must be hard.##imported-begin##Shelby Bayha##imported-end##*

July 23, 2010 at 01:14 PM



“ Jack, Sorry to hear about your loss. Colleen was a very special person and will be missed by many people. Keep yourself strong and God Bless you and your family.

Sam & Lois Almond, Mesa Arizona###imported-begin##Sam & Lois Almond###imported-end##

July 18, 2010 at 06:45 PM



“ Hello Jack, My condolences. Your wife was a very sweet lady and I know you must miss her. Susie###imported-begin##Susie Sampson###imported-end##

July 16, 2010 at 09:39 PM



“ Dear Jack,
With my heart's saddest offering, I gather my thoughts and prayers around you and your family in memory of Colleen.###imported-begin##Tina Reeve Tharp###imported-end##

July 16, 2010 at 01:59 PM