



## Frances Rae Fancher

September 13, 1951 - October 10, 2020

With profound sadness on Saturday, October 10th, 2020, we announce the passing of Frances Rae Fancher (69), loving wife, sister, mother and grandmother. Frances was born on September 13th, 1951 in St. Anthony, ID. She graduated from Moses Lake High School, class of 69. After high school, she went to LDS Business College in Utah. She then spent over 46 years working as an office manager for various highway construction companies. In 2015 she married Bob Fancher who truly showed her the world through their many travels and when they were home they loved cooking and entertaining for all their family and friends.

Frances was a dedicated mother and grandmother, she treasured them all, and embraced every moment with them, always driving near and far to support them in their activities. She loved to cook, kept an immaculate house, and enjoyed making beautiful personalized quilts among many other homemade crafts she created. She loved music, with Elvis and Neil Diamond being some of her favorites. She had a thirst for adventure that included boating, camping, golfing, and seeing the country via a motorcycle and by motor home. One of her favorite places to retreat was her yard as she landscaped and gardened. She had a special bond with her favorite dog, Millie. When and wherever she went she always looked her best. She was the go to sister, the hub of communication, whenever any sibling needed to be caught up on the entire family, Frances was the one to call. She was the glue that kept her family connected. Most of all she loved her family and instilled in her sons a strong work ethic that have served them well. She will be dearly missed and forever in our hearts.

Frances was preceded in death by her parents Frank and Dorothy Schaat: her former husband, Kyle Robnett, the father of her children; and former husband Ray Gunn. She is survived by her husband Bob and her sons, Shawn (Jill) Robnett and their daughters Kayla (Colby) Doyea, Avery (Robert) Boisvert, Rachel (Kaedyn) Hancock and Jeffrey (Carrie) Robnett and their daughters, Stephanie (Andy) Pacheco, Shiann Robnett, Samantha (Jon) Ovregaard and ShaylieAnn Robnett; and three great-grand children. Her siblings Lucinda (William) West, Peter (Betty) Schaat, Jennifer (Al) Merritt, and Elaine

Williams. Many cousins, nieces and nephews.

A celebration of life will be held at a later date.

In lieu of flowers, the family prefers donations be made to the Columbia Basin Cancer Foundation, Radiation Fund or a charity of your choice.

# Comments

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“ Bob,

Our hearts go out to you and your family. Frances' ever-present smile and energy were both infectious and inspiring. Her welcoming nature always put others at ease and visiting your home was a highlight of our many times in Moses Lake.

Sending you much love and many hugs,

Rob, Cristina, Aidan and Graham McDougall XO

**Cristina McDougall** - October 29, 2020 at 10:49 AM

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“ Bob & family

So very sorry to hear of the loss of Frances. Hoping that you're comforted by memories, the caring of others, and the healing power of time.

Your all in my prayers,

Fran Grant

**Fran Grant** - October 21, 2020 at 06:37 PM

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“ Francis was a beautiful lady inside & out. If I ran into her she always had a smile & time for a visit.

**Dave & Carole Hopkins** - October 19, 2020 at 11:42 AM

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“ My sincere condolences to Bob, Jeff & Lucinda in the loss of Frances. So shocking, she was much too young & had so much more to give.  
You are all in my thoughts & prayers, Sally Goodwin

**Sally Goodwin** - October 17, 2020 at 01:58 PM

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“ I loved Frances' infectious smile and optimism. She was a wonderful lady and will be greatly missed. Our condolences to the entire family. Rest In peace Frances.

**Mary Shannon** - October 15, 2020 at 08:13 PM

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“ Prayers to the family during this difficult time. I really enjoyed the friendship with Francis and will miss that smile she always had. Rest peacefully my dear friend.

**Sherry Smith** - October 15, 2020 at 08:11 PM

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“ She will truly be missed by all. Prayers for the family during this hard time.



**Debi Keyzer** - October 15, 2020 at 01:13 PM

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“ I've known Frances since grade school at Peninsula Elementary. It was always great to run into her from time to time in the years since then. Much sympathy to her family, I know she was well loved.

**Holly Moos** - October 15, 2020 at 12:31 PM

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“ It is with so much sadness that I write on this wall. Frannie was truly a gem. Her smile and attitude was infectious. She was a true Lady in every aspect. I will forever be grateful for the friendship we shared. She will forever be in my heart. I will miss seeing her on the golf course. Tee box 16 for me, will never quite be the same. Rest in Peace my friend. To Bob; and family; sincere condolences on the loss of your lovely wife, mother, and grandmother. Smile as you remember what a bright light she was in this world . Prayers to you all.

**Denyse N Joe Ottmar** - October 15, 2020 at 11:51 AM

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“ Lisa Bellomy lit a candle in memory of Frances Rae Fancher



**Lisa Bellomy** - October 15, 2020 at 11:05 AM

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“ My heart's love and prayers to all of the family, she will be greatly missed. I enjoyed being in a room with her, her class, smile, and sense of humor always brightened it up greatly! Taken way too soon, but blessed for having known her!  
Christi Thielman (part of Ed Champagne's clan)



**Christi Thielman** - October 15, 2020 at 01:20 AM

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“ Katherine Waters sent a virtual gift in memory of Frances Rae Fancher



**Katherine Waters** - October 15, 2020 at 12:19 AM



“ Bob and family, so sorry to hear about your loss of Frances. Blessings, Kathe Waters (Turk)

**Katherine** - October 15, 2020 at 12:21 AM

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“ Much love and prayers for you all ☐



**Ganiere Family** - October 14, 2020 at 11:21 PM



“ Francis was a wonderful neighbor for a while when the boys were smaller. She was one of the most loving, gracious and friendly people that I have ever met. I haven't seen much of her since they moved but I will always remember her as the lady she was and the good mother. She taught me to ride a motorcycle and always treated me so kindly, she never had an unkind word to say about anyone. I always admired her! Keep smiling Francis! You are missed! I am glad that I knew you!

Judy Bise

**Judy Bise** - July 06, 2021 at 06:03 PM