



Donna L. Saetre

October 17, 1936 - October 3, 2012

Donna L. Saetre, 75, Spokane resident and former longtime Warden resident, passed away Wednesday, Oct. 3, 2012 at the Academy at Merrill Gardens. A graveside service will be held Oct. 19, 2012, at 10:30 am, at Sunset Memorial Gardens in Warden. Please sign the online guestbook or leave a note for the family at www.kayserschapel.com Arrangements are in care of Kayser's Chapel of Memories, Moses Lake.

Donna was born Oct. 17, 1936 in Leavenworth, Washington, daughter of the late Walt and Marie (Balhm) Clark. At a young age she moved to Alaska with her parents and eventually returned to Washington to reside in Soap Lake. She attended and graduated high school in Ephrata, Washington, then moved to Spokane, Washington to attend Kinman Business University. She moved back to Soap Lake, eventually meeting and marrying John R. Saetre on July 20, 1957 in Soap Lake. They purchased the hardware store in Warden on January 1, 1959 operating as "Saetre Hardware" until 1983. She worked as a secretary for Dr. Allen and for many years as a clerk for the City of Warden. She was a member of Warden First Baptist Church and in later years the Warden Assembly of God.

She is survived by three children and their spouses, Tina and Joe Chamberlain, Spokane, WA, Jim and Christina Saetre, Lind, WA, Don and Lanette Saetre, McKinney, TX; ten grandchildren, Amanda Chamberlain Garber, Ben Chamberlain, Brittani Chamberlain Aman, James Saetre, Jr.,

Matthew Saetre, Sabrina Saetre Metlow, Jacob Saetre, Robert Saetre, Ethan Saetre, Ryan Saetre; four great grandchildren, McKenzie Aman, Landon Aman, Jeremy Metlow, and Jordan Saetre.

Memorials may be made to the cancer charity of your choice.

Previous Events

Service

OCT **19**. 10:30 AM (PT)

Sunset Memorial Gardens
9934 Road U S.E.
Warden, WA

Tribute Wall



“ Donna was my Sunday School teacher when she explained the gospel to me. I credit her for the one God used to open my eyes to the truth. She will be a permanent part of my testimony. Her and her family were a postive influence in my childhood years while in Warden from 1963 to 1977.##imported-begin##Jeff and Paula Amonett##imported-end##

October 21, 2012 at 07:56 AM



“ Dear Friends,

My condolences to you and your family in the loss of your dear mother / grandmother. The news of her passing came quite shokingly to me when Pastor Steve called me as just the day before I had wished her Happy Birthday on her facebook. I highly respected your mother and father and it was a tremedous honor for my wife and me to be their pastors for a period of their lives, especially during John's battle with cancer. I loved them both dearly and wish you all the comfort of the Lord's love and the peace of His promise of evelasting life to those who put their trust in Him.

Sincerely,

Mark & Michelle Geer##imported-begin##Mark Geer##imported-end##

October 20, 2012 at 01:26 AM



“ My Grams :) I love you so much that words can't explain how much I love you and how much you have impacted my life. Your strength, humor, love and faith will never be forgotten. I miss you but I know that you are so happy with Grandpa up above. Thanks for your support and love throughout my life. You run through me and Jeremy forever :) R.I.P.##imported-begin##Sabrina Saetre Metlow##imported-end##

October 19, 2012 at 08:13 PM



“ I love you grandma and I wish I could've been there today. You were so special to me and I'm so glad that we were able to spend alot of life together! I will never forget all of our fun times and how much you helped me!! RIP Grams and give Gramps and Gracie a hug and kiss from me!! XOXOXO##imported-begin##Amanda Chamberlain Garber##imported-end##

October 19, 2012 at 06:26 PM



“ You will be missed mrs. Saetre. Nothing but fond memories of you and your family growing up.##imported-begin##Jim McCullough##imported-end##

October 19, 2012 at 05:38 PM



“ We are thinking of you at this time. Donna was such an inspiration to me as a young person. She and your dad meant so much to me in the early days of Saetre Hardware. Ive got so many great memories of those days.

Our best to all of you,
Paul & Sandy Blazer###imported-begin##Paul Blazer###imported-end##

October 18, 2012 at 05:58 PM



“ Dear Donna -

You are a wonderful person and I was truly blessed in knowing you throughout the years. You are loved and missed by many.

In His Love -

Ellen Wood###imported-begin##Ellen & Kenny Wood###imported-end##

October 17, 2012 at 11:42 PM



“ My deepest condolences to all of Donna's family. She was such a respected lady in the town of Warden. She was an amazing mom and I am sure a very beloved Grandma. What a great life she had!###imported-begin##Margaret Zielske###imported-end##

October 17, 2012 at 09:25 PM



“ Donna you will be greatly missed. Your love of family, friends and community will forever be remembered. God Bless.##imported-begin##Lena Hunt##imported-end##

October 17, 2012 at 07:30 PM



“ We were so sorry to hear of Donna's passing. She was a friend and great neighbor to us while we were in Warden. We will keep you all in our thoughts and prayers.
Larry & Kirsten##imported-begin##Larry & Kirsten
Rosenberg##imported-end##

October 14, 2012 at 10:36 PM



“ My deepest condolences to Donna's family. Donna was an inspiration for so many and showed such grace with her battle. I admired her and will miss her.##imported-begin##Joy ##imported-end##

October 11, 2012 at 09:34 PM



“ John and Donna Saetre were loyal and dedicated residents of Warden during our time in town from 1972 to 1980. Donna was a strong supporter of her children and was deeply involved in their school lives. She was very organized and could be counted on for help in various town activities. When her grandchildren attended Lind schools, Steve enjoyed visiting with her at the basketball games. We remember the Saetre family for their commitment to their community and for their devotion to their family. Donna will be missed by all who knew her.##imported-begin##Steve and Danna Dal Porto##imported-end##

October 09, 2012 at 11:34 PM



“ Donna fought a brave battle and now is in a better place. God's arms are gentle enough to hold you and strong enough to carry you when you cannot stand alone. Our thoughts and prayers are with you.##imported-begin##Jerry & Karen Kinder##imported-end##

October 08, 2012 at 07:49 PM



“ You have my condolences, Thoughts & prayers to the family of Donna Saetre..
I know for certain that we never lose the people we love, even to death. They continue to participate in every act, thought and decision we make. Their love leaves an indelible imprint in our memories. We find comfort in knowing that our lives have been enriched by having shared her love.

You have my BLESSINGS !!!##imported-begin##John Truett & Mother Doris Trautman ##imported-end##

October 07, 2012 at 06:33 PM



“ Our thoughts and prayers go out to the family. While we know Donna is in a most precious place now, we know that family & friends will miss her.##imported-begin##Wayne & Sylvia Caraway##imported-end##

October 07, 2012 at 12:25 PM



“ Our sincerest condolences to the fam. Donna was a fine human been, we have happy memories of her and John. Donna had such an infectious laugh she always made us feel welcome. We will miss her; may God confort you all. Most sincerely Ed and Martha###imported-begin##Mr & Mrs Ed Lyles St###imported-end##

October 05, 2012 at 11:19 PM