



## Roberta "Bert" E. Nailor

September 2, 1936 - August 25, 2011

Roberta "Bert" Ellen Nailor, daughter of John Bennett Reed and Ellen Heron Spencer, passed away peacefully at home with her family by her side after a courageous battle with cancer on Aug. 25th, 2011. Memorial Services will be held Tuesday, Aug. 30th 10am at Kayser's Chapel of Memories. Inurnment will be at Guarding Angels Cemetery, 2595 Road L N.E., Moses Lake. Please sign the online guestbook or leave a note for the family at [www.kayserschapel.com](http://www.kayserschapel.com) Arrangements are in care of Kayser's Chapel & Crematory, Moses Lake.

Roberta was born Sept. 2nd, 1936 in Faith, South Dakota. At 17, Roberta met the love of her life, Robert "Red" Nailor in Jackson Hole Wyoming and soon thereafter were married. Relocating from place to place, she moved with Red along with their children throughout the Pacific Northwest following the construction jobs.

The summer of 1968 was the third move to Moses Lake and at that time the decision was made to settle down there. In 1976 Roberta & Red began construction of their dream home on the corner of what was then a quiet country road. Roberta worked retail for many years, learning many numerous skills along the way before deciding to be her own boss. In the early 80's she opened a candy store, Roberta's Candy Shoppe, in the Jack's Bargain Barn shopping center. After closing the candy shop,

she then opened a sandwich shop, Subs and Such, which stayed in operation for several years. After retiring in 1998, Roberta and Red toured the country in their RV along with their feline companions taking in all the sights, from Alaska to Baja Mexico to Nashville Tennessee. Snow birding at their place in Yuma, AZ during the winters along with the many friends they had met along the way. Roberta had a natural artistic flair that shined through in everything she did. Photography and crafts along with gardening were her passion.

She is survived by her loving husband and partner of 57 years Robert "Red" Nailor, son Frank of Moses Lake and daughter Dee Marshall of Oakdale, CA. Roberta will also be missed by her grandchildren Leah (&Jon) Wagner of Moses Lake and Teresa (&Andy) Gonzalez along with her two great grandsons of Warden, WA. She will be grieved for as well by her current traveling cat, Cinder Ella.

Memorial contributions may be made to the Columbia Basin Cancer Foundation, P.O. Box 1337, Moses Lake, WA 98837

# Previous Events

## Service

AUG 30. 10:00 AM (PT)

Kayser's Chapel of Memories  
831 S. Pioneer Way  
Moses Lake, WA

# Tribute Wall



“ I am very sorry to hear of Roberta's passing. My first job was working for Roberta at her Frozen Yogurt and Candy Shop. She was a very nice lady! My thoughts and prayers to the family.##imported-begin##Angela Rataezyk##imported-end##

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“ Frank & Dee, I am so sorry about the loss of your beloved mother. My thoughts and prayers are with you and your families.##imported-begin##Abe Shelby##imported-end##

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August 30, 2011 at 02:51 PM



“ I remember her sense of humor, love of family and kindness to all who were in her life. Red and Roberta made you feel like family the minute you walked into their world. She touched so many lives, glad I was one of them. A sad time indeed. Peace and Love to the Nailor family. Charlene##imported-begin##Charlene Gallagher##imported-end##

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August 29, 2011 at 03:46 PM



“ Roberta was such a fun and energetic person and planned lots of desert trips for our group of friends. Good times! Her positive attitude during her illness was very inspiring. She will be missed by all of us. To her family may memories of the love you shared help to ease your heart. .##imported-begin##Laura Towne##imported-end##

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August 27, 2011 at 02:25 AM



“ We are so sad to learn of Roberta's passing. Our heartfelt condolences to Red and the Nailor family. We know she fought long and hard for her health. We will always remember the many Arizona desert trips Bert organized and lead and the good times we had with her and Red. It has been our good fortune to have known her. Peace to Roberta and her family. Jerry & Carol##imported-begin##Jerry and Carol Tucker##imported-end##

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August 26, 2011 at 09:27 PM