

Inez Josephine Locken

January 30, 1952 - September 28, 2021

Inez Josephine Locken, 69, of Lostine, passed away on Tuesday, September 28, 2021 at a local care facility after fighting 8 years of Breast Cancer. A Graveside ceremony for family and friends will be held at 11:00 a.m. at Lostine Cemetery on October 16, 2021.



Inez was born on January 30, 1952 in McIntosh, South Dakota to Ernest and Frances (Vetter) Block. She resided in McIntosh, SD; Provo, SD; Spearfish SD; Island City, OR and Lostine, OR. She graduated from McIntosh High School where she was an active track runner, cheerleader, and diver. She Married Robert Locken of Isabel, SD. He passed in vehicle accident in 1975. She married Larry Langerman and they later divorced.

Inez worked as a Grocery Clerk, Parks Bronze Foundry and as a USPS Rural Carrier. She enjoyed crocheting, collecting heart shape rocks, working in the yard and taking care of flowerbeds and attending grandchildren's sports games. She was an active member of the Lostine Grange. Family will miss her dearly.

Inez is survived by her partner, Deane Henderson of Lostine; children, Toby Locken (Jamie Shirley) of Wallowa, OR, Jason Locken of Portland, OR, Tara Hafer (Tom) of Wallowa, OR and Shane Langerman (Brooke) of Joseph, OR; sisters, Peggy Koch (Harold) of Sioux Falls, SD, Patricia Mollman (Wayne) of Wallowa, OR and Georgia Makens (Richard) of Wallowa, OR; 11 grandchildren and numerous nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by her parents, Ernest and Frances Block; sister, Bessie Bell; brothers, Jerry "Buddy" Block, Ernest "Smokey" Block, Nick Block and Jackson Block; and husband, Robert Locken.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions can be made to the Lostine Grange, 618 Elizabeth Street, Lostine, OR 97857.

Online condolences may be made to the family at www.lovelandfuneral-chapel.com. Loveland Funeral Chapel is in charge of arrangements.

