

Funeral Service

Friday ~ May 16, 2024 ~ 1:00 P.M.

Wilk's Magic Valley Funeral Home

2551 Kimberly Road

Twin Falls, Idaho 83301

Officiating ~ Pastor Kirby

Welcoming Prayer

Obituary Readings

Sharing

Message Pastor Kirby

Video Tribute

Closing Prayer

The family would like to invite you from 3-6 PM to a Celebration of Life at the South Hills Bar & Grill

300 US-30, Hansen, ID 83334

The Journey Is The Message



Theresa Martindale

June 29, 1943 ~ May 1, 2024

Theresa Martindale, a beloved member of the Twin Falls, Idaho community, passed away on May 1, 2024, at the age of 80 in her hometown. She was born on June 29, 1943, in Twin Falls, Idaho, to her parents Phil and Mary Ortega.

Throughout her life, Theresa touched the hearts of many with her vibrant personality and loving spirit. She is remembered with deep affection by all who knew her. Theresa had a joyful and outgoing nature which endeared her to those around her. Her presence brought laughter and warmth wherever she went.

In her journey through life, Theresa shared precious moments with her dear family members and friends. She was preceded in death by her father Phil Ortega, mother Mary Ortega, husband Jay C. Martindale, son Sonny Stockton, grandson Devan Stockton, ex-husband Tom Stockton, brothers Floyd Hernandez and Phil Ortega, as well as sisters Maxine Malloy, Joise Malloy and Alice Tracy. Theresa leaves behind a legacy of love and memories that will be cherished forever by her surviving family members. She is survived by her two daughters, Brenda Denise Liveley and Laurie Ann Kronyak, and son Jay C. Martindale Jr. Her grandchildren Angela Marie, Tiffany Michelle, Ashley, Elizabeth, Victoria Jean, Justin Thomas, Kyle, Ariah, and Jayc, along with 15 great-grandchildren were the light of her life. Additionally, she is also survived by Leonard – a special man in her life – his three children, grandchildren & great grandchildren.

A dedicated individual in both work and play, Theresa's hardworking nature was evident in all aspects of her life. From laboring in fields and factories to eventually retiring from truck driving during harvest seasons; she exemplified strength and determination. Even during quieter moments as a school bus driver or spending time with family playing on pool leagues, dancing she found joy.

Theresa's zest for life was infectious; she enjoyed dancing and adventure-filled activities like hunting and fishing with Leonard. Her escapades ranged from camping in the Sierras to traveling cross-country to visit loved ones. Despite facing challenges like sleeping in a car to avoid bears during trips to Pismo Beach - she embraced every moment.

Those who knew Theresa well knew that she radiated love abundantly through warm embraces and heartfelt laughter. Her memory will live on through the numerous lives she touched with kindness and joy.

In our hearts forever remembered; Theresa Martindale will be dearly missed yet always celebrated for the love she shared unconditionally throughout her remarkable journey on Earth.