



## Bonita Mae "Bonnie" Dwyer

May 2, 1942 - September 27, 2025

Bonita Mae "Bonnie" Dwyer passed away Saturday, September 27, 2025 at the Bee Hive Homes in Butte. She was born in Salem, Oregon on May 2, 1942 to George and Mary (Kolling) Sadowsky.

Bonnie was raised and educated in Dickenson, North Dakota and went on to attend Carroll College where she earned her degree in nursing.

She and John Dwyer were married in Dickenson, North Dakota on August 8, 1964 and Bonnie worked as a registered nurse at St. Joseph's Hospital in Dickinson. Together they moved to Butte where Bonnie worked in the emergency room at Silver Bow General Hospital before becoming a full-time wife and mother. She also worked at their family businesses: the Courtrooms, Carpet One and Dwyer Construction. Bonnie had a great sense of humor and loved to laugh. She was devoted to her family and treasured by all who knew her as a kind, gentle soul, always willing to listen and help, and that is her lasting legacy and example to us all.

Bonnie is survived by her husband of 61 years, John Dwyer of Butte, son Sean (Sara) Dwyer of Wichita, Kansas, daughters Lisa (Tom) Kenney of Polson, Montana and Jill Brown of Missoula, Montana. Grandchildren include: Riley (Kramer) Ungaretti, Jaylin (Jake Michelotti) Kenney, Colin (Brittany) Kenney, Madison (Jonathan) Branson and Makenna (Evan Bates) Edwards.

Bonnie is also survived by her brother, Alan (Becky) Sadowsky of Dickenson, North Dakota, sisters, Susie (Dan) Lacher of Bismarck, North Dakota and Cathy (Ty) Johnson of Paonia, Colorado, sisters-in-law Mary Catherine (Ted) Boehme of Seattle, Washington and Julie Bowman of Butte as well as many treasured nieces and nephews.

Cremation has taken place and private family services will be conducted.

# Tribute Wall

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“ Dear John, Sean, Lisa, Julie and extended family,  
Our hearts were broken to learn of Bonnie’s passing. She was such a bright light always finding ways to brighten others lives! I remember the years of nurses training where she got me though with her humor, her laugh and lovely approach to life!  
Loved the years where we were close as couples raising our children!  
We hurt for all of you!  
Here is my e mail and would love a connection with you John or children!  
[Barbara.savage@providence.org](mailto:Barbara.savage@providence.org)  
We love you!  
Craig and Barb Savage

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**barbara savage and Craig Savage** - October 05, 2025 at 09:27 PM

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“ Fond memories of our family events together throughout the years.  
Rest in peace. With Love and Gratitude - Julie Bowman and family

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**Mike Bowman** - October 03, 2025 at 02:53 PM

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“ John and family. So sorry to hear of Bonnie’s passing. Prayers to you and your family.

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**John Lovell** - October 02, 2025 at 08:27 PM



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**Wayrynen-Richards Funeral Home** - October 01, 2025 at 12:44 PM