



## Delores DE Roberts

July 17, 1945 - April 1, 2019

Mrs. Delores "De" Roberts passed away unexpectedly on Monday April 1st, 2019. She was born on July 17, 1945, to Thomas "Fred" and Audrey Maunder. She attended the McKinley grade school and graduate from Butte High School. She attended Montana Tech for a short time.

De worked at the Murray clinic, Dr. Nehls and Dr. St John's office. She worked as a Personal Care Attendant and in the office for Westmont Home Health Care, Burton Opticians office, BC Hearing and Runner up Delivery Service. She was an Avon Lady in Butte for 20+ years. She was a member of Beta Sigma Phi sorority for 53 years.

De was a life-long member of the Mountain View Methodist Church, where she met and married her husband, William "Bill" Roberts on September 12, 1965. They were married for 53 years. Bill preceded De in death 37 days prior to her passing. She was not only Bills wife, but she was his soulmate and caregiver for the past 20 years.

She is survived by daughter and son-in-law Julie and Ken Wedlake of Butte, son Scott Roberts and Angela Brown of Billings, grandchildren, Amber McKinnon of Missoula; Ashleigh McKinnon and Westen Super of Missoula; Abbeygayle McKinnon of Butte; Kaylee and Kiara Roberts of Butte. Great Grandson Tripp McKinnon also of Butte. Also surviving are her sister Debi and Bruce Williams, aunt Lorraine Pengelly sisters-in-law and brothers-in-law: Helen and Russ Whindom; Dan and Kim Roberts; Susan Caldwell and Ed Ballensky as well as numerous nieces and nephews and cousins. Other

survivors include life-long friends Joyce Lester, Marge Richardson, and Mimi Wold. And her two fur babies Kelly Sue and Grizzleigh.

She was preceded in death by husband Bill on February 25th, parents, Fred and Audrey Maunder, in-laws, Bill and Betty Roberts, sister-in-law, Darlene Ballensky, and son-in-law, Mark McKinnon.

# Cemetery Details

## Sunset Memorial Park

16 miles west of Butte  
Butte, MT 59701

# Previous Events

## Visitation

APR 10. 9:00 AM - 11:00 AM (MT)

Wayrynen-Richards Funeral Home  
1800 Florence Ave  
Butte, MT 59701  
(406) 723-3221  
<https://wayrynen-richards.com/>

## Service

APR 10. 11:00 AM (MT)

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# Tribute Wall

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“ So much love to Julie and Scott. My heart breaks for such sudden losses. I wish I could send my hug long distance. My Mom and dad are there with you today. I love both your parents and I am glad they are together again.

Hugs,

Terri Richardson McCarrey and family

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**Terri Richardson McCarrey** - April 10, 2019 at 10:58 AM

LD

“ I am so sorry for her passing. We worked together at Dr. Nehls office. She was a find lady and a caring one also. Condolences to the family. Such a loss for them with both parents leaving them so quickly. Hugs

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**LaVerne Daicich** - April 05, 2019 at 08:32 PM

JW

Laverne thank you! She is with the love of her life again. We are taking comfort in that

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**Julie Wedlake** - April 06, 2019 at 10:17 AM

JR

Always a good friend to me and my family. Looked forward to seeing you at Mt. View on our visits to Butte. RIP DE.....

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**James and Carla Rickard** - April 06, 2019 at 10:33 AM

JL

De and I met when we were 3 years old and became best friends immediately. We had a great childhood, and never tired of finding "mischief" to get into. De was in my wedding, and I was in hers. When my folks died, De was there. I will always love and miss her.

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**Joyce Lester** - April 06, 2019 at 04:17 PM

DB

*Scott and Julie it is hard enough losing one parent but to lose two in such a short period of time is devastating. Your mother was like a "second mom" to me growing up, and I will miss her dearly. Your mother was so full of life, caring, kind, loving and in our case Scott, very patient. Your father was laid back and patient which made them great parents to us all. I am very sad for your loss and hope you both know that you are in our thoughts and prayers.  
Dan, Mollie and family*

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**Dan Boyle** - April 10, 2019 at 10:17 PM