



Sarah Jane Jones

March 19, 1936 - March 12, 2016

Sarah Jane "Sally" Jones passed away Saturday evening in a local hospital surrounded by her family. She was born in Butte March 19, 1936 to Robert S. and Rita (Jose) Mack. She was later adopted by Frank M. Flanick in 1950. She was baptized in Mountain View Methodist Church in 1937 and attended Butte Schools including the Grant and Butte High School where she played the clarinet in the band. She worked at the Colonial Baker and on September 20, 1953 she married Frank "Buster" Jones in the First Baptist Church. Together they raised seven wonderful children, five sons and two daughters. Sarah served as a Blue Bird Leader and held offices in the Emerson and Butte High School PTA. She belonged to the East Side Auxiliary in the 1950's and 1960's and worked in the Butte Plaza Mall at the Pant Handler's as well as Buttrey Foods. She was a longtime and active member of Mountain View Methodist Church including the United Methodist Women, the Hope Circle and a volunteer at Mountain View Social Developmental Center. She enjoyed gathering with her "Class of 55" ladies and loved to make dolls from scratch. She also enjoyed designing and dressing stuffed bears. She loved traveling and camping and saved rocks from her travels for her rock garden at home. She loved to feed the wild birds and watch the beautiful Butte sunsets. Survivors include her daughters and son-in-law, Sally Jane and Dan Hollis of Butte, Deborah Louise Jones of Butte, sons and daughters-in-law, David Robert and Lisa Jones of Kennewick, WA, Shawn Richard Jones of Butte and Chris Ryan Jones and Lillian Konda of Missoula. grandchildren: Rich and

Sara Hollis, Rich and Jose Lyons, Jessica and Derick Pennington, Jenny Kruger, Crystal Lanch, Emmie Jones, Michael and Katie Jones, Sarah and Zach Wearstler, Andrew H. Jones, Dustin and Elyce Jones, Chante Jones, Brayden Jones, 16 great-grandchildren and one great-great-grandchild. She is also survived by her sister Janet Kuoppala of Butte and brother and sister-in-law, Frank and Judy Flanick of Port Orchard, WA. Sarah is also survived by numerous aunts, uncles, cousins, nieces and nephews including her aunt, Jennie Sullivan and cousin Betty Helstrom and countless dear friends. Along with her parents, Frank and Rita Flanick, she is preceded in death by her husband Frank "Buster" Jones who passed away in 2000, her sons Frank Jr. who passed away in 1982 and Daniel in 2004 and her brother Thomas Flanick.

Cemetery Details

Mountain View Cemetery

3910 Harrison Avenue
Butte, MT 59701

Previous Events

Visitation

MAR 18. 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM (MT)

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

Service

MAR 19. 10:00 AM (MT)

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Tribute Wall

JG

“ *she was so sweet i miss her so much!!*

jane goodall - February 09, 2023 at 10:33 AM

BS

“ *May knowing you're in the hearts, prayers, and thoughts of others help you through this time of sorrow.*

I am sorry to hear about Auntie Sally and her passing. There are many great joys and remembrances of visiting Auntie Sally's home and having supportive and guiding conversations with her when I was back in Butte visiting.

Our son Jaxon wrote to Auntie Sally many of times-- and would await her return note. Sure enough, a note would show up from 'Butte's Auntie Sally' -- which always put a smile on Jaxon's face.

How amazing she is - and will always be!

Love Bonnie Lynn (Gronvold), Jason, & Jaxon Smith

Bonnie Smith - March 15, 2016 at 11:15 PM

RH

“ *My condolences to the entire Jones family . Sally will be missed by all that knew her. I am so great full to have been the neighbor th Frank An Sally. Crome the day we moved there Frank an Sally looked out for my children.Sally had a warm spot in her heart for all neighbor kids.Rest in peace my friend. The entire Holodnick family will miss you. Rosie*

Rozanne Holodnick - March 15, 2016 at 02:20 PM

CM

“ Sarah was my host grandma when I was an exchange student in Butte staying with Dan and Sally Hollis in 98/99. I'll never forget a wonderful experience I had with Sarah. There was a family celebration somewhere at a location uptown just a couple of weeks after I arrived in Butte. My english wasn't that good yet by that time and I had some problems understanding the people exactly. So she came up to me and asked me to bring her an ashtray from the bar. So guess what I did? Well I went to the bar, but I went all the way through uptown to Dan and Sallys bar, the club 13. After arriving there I asked the bartender, if he could lend me an ashtray. So he did and while I left the bar with it he looked a bit puzzled. After what felt half an hour or so I finally returned to the family celebration and handed the ashtray to Sarah. She looked at me and asked me where I have been and what took me so long to get the ashtray at the bar over in the corner of that room. Then I told her my misunderstanding of the word bar and she smiled at me and instead of making fun of me, she said: Chris your are a very good kid. I thought that was so wonderful of her. She had her heart at the right place.

That's how I will keep her in mind.

In deepest respect and love

Christian Mertens

Christian Mertens - March 14, 2016 at 04:07 AM