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Laurena Gangewer, 68

Laurena (Laurie) Gangewer, 68, passed away Jan. 20, 2004 in Bonners Ferry, Idaho. Laurie was born April 25, 1935 in Colton, Wash. to Orvil and Alice Nichols.

Laurie attended the Praise Church, like to read her Christian books and listen to music. She loved to stamp, make cards and work on her scrap books.

Laurie was very creative and did a lot of different arts and crafts throughout her lifetime. She enjoyed time in her garden and participating in her TOPS group and loved spending time with her family.

She is survived by her children, Jack Cooper of St. Maries, Id., Charles Cooper of Corning, Calif., Boyd Cooper of Seattle, Wash. and Jean Skilling of Priest River, Id; grandchildren, Rich Fisher, Anne Hartbarger, Kim Cooper, Renae Bigsby and Haley Cooper; and numerous great-grandchildren.

Laurie is preceded in death by her husband, Bill Gangewer; sons, Fred Cooper and Earl Cooper; and her parents, Orvil and Alice Nichols.

Laurie will be deeply missed by her family and friends. The family suggests any memorials be made to the Praise Church.