



Lynne M. Robinson

July 27, 2013

Lynne Margaret Robinson, 66, of Laporte, MN, passed away on July 27, 2013, surrounded by family and loved ones. Lynne was best known as The Doll Lady, Mom, and Grandma.

Lynne was born on April 6, 1947 to Richard and Lois Kampfer, and was the oldest of 9 children. She grew up in St. Paul, MN and graduated from Harding in 1965. Lynne married Lyle Robinson in 1966, and together they owned and operated a hardware store in Benedict, MN known as “The Northwoods Shoppe” from 1970-1980. Lynne was an active community member, serving as a President for the Laporte-Benedict Lioness Club and leader of the local 4-H club.

A true artist, she could create something beautiful out of any ordinary object. Her passions included a love for sewing; buying and selling antique dolls; making original dolls and accessories from bisque (porcelain), clay, fabric, and wood. She made wedding cakes, built stained glass windows and lamps, and fixed anything that was broken. Lynne had amazing artistic talents, which allowed her to create anything she put her mind to. She was a true giver who loved to spend time finding (cough, cough, ebay) or making the right gifts for all of the special people in her life.

Lynne went on road trips across the country to spend time with all of her

favorite people, either along the way or upon her arrival. She enjoyed cruising to the extent of owning an airplane, a '77 corvette, and was an avid snowmobiler.

In addition to mothering her own 6 children and grandchildren, Lynne was a mother to many. Her home was a place of love and comfort that was often enjoyed by children other than her own.

She is preceded in death by her parents Richard and Lois Kampf, brother Steven Kampf, and infant brother Wayne Kampf.

She is survived by her husband Lyle Robinson, son Lyle (Cami) Robinson, five daughters Amanda (Greg) Anderson, Michelle Robinson, Tara Nielsen (Tyler Kloehn), Katie Robinson, and Janie Robinson (Nick Spires); seven grandchildren: Coralynne Robinson, Connor Wyatt, Aydon Nielsen, Bennett Wyatt, Dayne Nielsen, Leviticus Colson, and baby Kloehn (due in November); her siblings Richard (Carol) Kampf, Robert (Laurie) Kampf, Curtis (Jean) Kampf, Scott (Candy) Kampf, Wendy (David) Johnson, James (Dawn) Kampf, sister-in-law Julie (Mike) Miller; as well as many cousins, nieces, nephews, #7-9, #4.5, #12, etc.

A memorial service will be held at the Laporte Community Baptist Church on Thursday, August, 1, 2013 at 2:00 pm.