



## Marilynn Leah Schissler

February 22, 1939 - December 8, 2015

Marilynn L. Schissler

Fort Laramie, Wyoming – Marilyn Leah Schissler, 76, died Tuesday, December 8, 2015 at Community Hospital in Torrington, Wyoming.

Funeral services will be held at 11 am Friday, December 11, at the Colyer Funeral Home Chapel in Torrington. Burial will follow in the Fort Laramie Cemetery.

Memorials may be made to the Torrington Community Hospital.

Arrangements are under the direction of the Colyer Funeral Home and friends may send their condolences to the family at [www.colyerfuneralhome.com](http://www.colyerfuneralhome.com).

Marilynn was born February 22, 1939 in Torrington, Wyoming the daughter of Ray “Doc” and Coral Leala (Rauch) Dillinger. She grew up in the Hartville area. Marilyn graduated high school from Sunrise in 1957. She met Bill Schissler at a dance they called “the rat race”. The couple was married May 23, 1957. Bill and Marilyn lived north of Fort Laramie on a wheat farm until the late 90’s when they moved to town.

The couple enjoyed going to town on Fridays and eating out at the supper club. The entire family enjoyed going to Kaspere to cut down a fresh Christmas tree. Marilyn loved being outdoors. She also enjoyed reading and spending time with her family and grandkids.

Marilynn was a fantastic cook; she cooked a big breakfast for her children every morning before school.

Marilynn was a member of the Kaspere Club and the Fort Laramie Presbyterian Church where, over the years, she was Secretary, Treasurer and Deacon.

Survivors include her husband William “Bill” Schissler, Jr. of Fort Laramie; daughter Sally (Dale) Miller of Fort Collins, Colorado; grandson Jeff (Danae) Harris of Torrington; granddaughter Sara Harris of Fort Collins; great grandchildren, Autumn and Elise Harris of Torrington and Dominic and Drake Harris of Fort Collins; and brother in law Tommy Schissler.

Preceding her in death were her parents; son Steven Schissler; and brothers Francis and Wilbur Lee Dillinger.

# Cemetery Details

## **Ft. Laramie Cemetery**

Ft. Laramie, WY 82212

# Tribute Wall

SM

“ *Sally Miller sent a virtual gift in memory of Marilyn Leah Schissler*



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**Sally Miller** - May 31, 2016 at 03:20 PM

BM

“ *Dear Bill and family, Marilyn and I were best friends for many years. We were in the same class at Sunrise. I know that you miss her very much and I am sorry for your loss as well as my own. Marilyn was a wonderful person.*

*In sympathy, Bonnie Coy Morrow*

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**Bonnie Coy Morrow** - December 22, 2015 at 09:27 AM

BK

“ *Barb Klipstine lit a candle in memory of Marilyn Leah Schissler*



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**Barb Klipstine** - December 10, 2015 at 06:27 PM

NF

“ Dear Marilyn,

*What can i say to you that you haven't already heard? We talked so many times over the back fence or on the phone that i feel like i've known you all my life. We've laughed and shared the news, talked about the weather, politics, our neighborhood, dogs, everything under the sun. I loved calling you and just visiting. You were so much fun. Two Irish girls giggling together. Watching you slip away has been agonizing. Now the back fence visits will end, and there will be no more phone calls. I will miss you every day, because i always knew there was a friend for me in the yard behind me. You taught me all about the history of the country "up north", something i cherish so much. From now on there will not be a day that goes by that i will not think of you. You were an anchor point for me, giving me wisdom that in my immaturity i lacked. There is a place in my heart where loved ones that have passed go, and you will be there now. I will always feel your loss, and i will always remember you. Your memory will live with me as long as i do, and that is a promise. Count on the fact that i'll keep it. I love you.*

*With All My Heart,  
Natalie*

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**Natalie M Fullmer** - December 10, 2015 at 05:35 PM

MH

“ Sally and family,

*Your mom was so special to all of us! She treated each one of us as if we were her own. Such a wonderful woman and now a wonderful angel. My life is better for her being in it!*

*Myrna (Heller) Hargrave*

*The Lord is my portion, saith my soul; therefore will I hope in him. The Lord is good unto them that wait for him, to the soul that seeketh him. It is good that a man should both hope and quietly wait for the salvation of the Lord.*

*Lamentations 3:24-26*

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**Myrna (Heller) Hargrave** - December 10, 2015 at 02:51 PM

ST

“ *Sandy Jane Thompson lit a candle in memory of Marilyn Leah Schissler*



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**Sandy Jane Thompson** - December 10, 2015 at 01:47 PM



“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Marilyn Leah Schissler.*



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December 09, 2015 at 08:23 PM