



## Kathleen Weinkauf

April 14, 1953 - March 22, 2009

TORRINGTON, WYOMING.....Funeral services for KATHLEEN ANN WEINKAUF, 55, will be held at 2pm Friday, March 27, 2009 at Our Savior Lutheran Church with Pastor Marvin Temme officiating. Burial will follow in the Valley View Cemetery. Kathleen died March 22, 2009 at the Cheyenne Medical Center in Cheyenne, Wyoming. Memorials may be made to the Guernsey Ambulance Service. Visitation will be Thursday from 3pm to 7pm. The casket will be closed at the service. Arrangements are under the direction of the Colyer Funeral Home and friends may send condolences to the family at [www.colyerfuneralhome.com](http://www.colyerfuneralhome.com). Kathleen was born April 14, 1953 in Torrington, Wyoming the daughter of Jake and Ida Lou (Hestead) Kerns. She grew up and received her education in Torrington. She married Clinton Weinkauf on August 9, 1971 in Colorado Springs, Colorado while he was in the military. They later divorced for a while but were remarried on August 25, 2005 in Henry, Nebraska. She worked various jobs in Torrington and later in Guernsey, Wyoming. The last eleven years she was the manager at the Motel 6 in Wheatland, Wyoming. Kathleen loved to sew and made many quilts for family and friends. Kathleen is survived by her husband Clinton of Guernsey, Wyoming; a daughter Christine Lewis and her husband of Guernsey; a son James Weinkauf of Mesa, Arizona; her parents, Jake and Ida Lou Kerns of Mitchell, Nebraska; a sister, Patricia McCabe and her husband Michael of Cheyenne, Wyoming; a brother, Dale Kerns and his wife Jaci of Lingle, Wyoming; and three grandchildren. She was preceded in death by two

brothers, Fred and Roy Kerns; and her maternal and paternal grandparents.

# Tribute Wall

RB

“ I am very sorry for your loss Uncle Clinton. Kathy was always a very nice Auntie to all us kids! You have my thoughts, love and prayers always! I Love You! -Robin Lee

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**Robin Bultman** - March 22, 2009 at 12:00 AM

JK

“ Kathy was such a special lady. I met Kathy through a mutual acquaintance as well as her becoming my boss at the PX one summer. She also taught me how to make quilts. She was so very caring, loving, and talented. I will always remember the time we spent together sewing.

*I am very appreciative that I was able to have Kathy in my life even if we had lost touch over the years. She was always in my thoughts and she will always hold a special place in my heart.*

*So very sorry for your loss. I pray that God's grace and your special memories bring you peace and comfort.*

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**Jolene Kelley** - March 22, 2009 at 12:00 AM

KB

“ I was so sorry to read about the death of Kathy. She and I were very close friends while attending high school. Our lives grew apart after we graduated so I never seen her much. She will be missed greatly! My thoughts and prayers go out for her loved ones left behind... If we can be of assistance in anyway, don't hesitate to call! God Bless You Each and Everyone!

*Kathy Beaman*

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**Kathy (Bartow) Beaman** - March 22, 2009 at 12:00 AM

SO

“ I have been selling supplies to Kathy for 4 years now and have got to know her very well, she will be sadly missed. And her little dog Sadie is going to miss her terribly. Everytime I would go to the motel her and Sadie would be there. This is quite a shock and I am very sorry for your loss, and I have also lost a friend we became good friends. Just talking about everything. She was so excited to become a foster parent. Kathy will be sadly missed, again I am so sorry.

*Shan Olsen  
Bluffs Sanitary Supply*

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**Shan Olsen** - March 22, 2009 at 12:00 AM

SS

“ To my dear Aunt Ida Lou, Uncle Jake, Patricia, Dale, Clinton and family,

*We are saddened that we won't be with Kathleen anymore on this earth, but we look to the Lord for comfort and strength. As Psalm 46 verse 1 says, "God is our refuge and strength, an ever-present help in trouble."*

*We are thankful for Kathleen's life and her generous heart.*

*We love you all and are keeping you in prayer through this difficult time.*

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**Shannon Schmidt** - March 22, 2009 at 12:00 AM

JE

“ *We will truly miss Aunt Kathy- We always looked forward to seeing her and hearing her stories about her Granddaughters and her projects she was working on.  
We love and will miss you Kathy.*

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**Jodi Emmons** - March 22, 2009 at 12:00 AM