



Marilyn Lois Peterson

September 15, 1936 - June 9, 2026

Marilyn Lois (Hawk) Peterson of Bellingham, passed away peacefully on June 9th at Whatcom Hospice House. She is now in Heaven with her Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ. She was the daughter of Ralph and Rachel (Balderee) Hawk. She was preceded in death by her sister, Patricia (Hawk) Dailey, Brother's, Donald Hawk and Orville Hawk.

Daughters, Julie Peterson, Debi (Tony) Johnson. Three Granddaughters, Kristin (Trevor) Cottell, Kelli Johnson, Karla (Lance) Wagter.

Great Grandchildren: Haley Wagter, Brecken Cottell, Emma Wagter, Jacob Wagter.

She graduated from Meridian High School, attended WWU and Whatcom Community College.

She leaves behind her husband Gerald Peterson of 68 years. They loved to travel together. They went on numerous cruises and motorhome trips to California in the winter with friends. She loved to watch Granddaughter's and Great Grandchildren's sport activities.

She enjoyed music, playing the organ and arranging flowers. She also loved attending and watching Seattle sporting events like Seattle Mariners, Seattle

Seahawks, Seattle Kraken.

Marilyn Worked at WWU for 28 years and St. Joseph's Hospital for 8 years.
She attended Redeemer Lutheran Church and Northside Community Church.

A private burial will take place at Moles-Greenacres Memorial Park on Friday, July 31st. Followed by a Celebration of Life Service at Moles-Greenacres Memorial Park Chapel at 1:30p.m. Family and Friends are invited to attend as we honor Marilyn's Life.