



Gayle L Weythman

October 13, 1949 - July 5, 2024

Gayle Weythman, 74, mom, Nana, and great Nana passed away peacefully July 5, 2024.

She was born to Myron and Signe Harsch on October 13, 1949, the oldest of two daughters. In 1958, Gayle's mother remarried, and she gained a brother, Steve and sister, Janine. She attended schools in Mountlake Terrace, WA graduating in 1968. She was married to James Backman and they had two daughters, Jamie and Jody. In 1978 she married James Weythman and they began their 41 years together until his death in 2020.

She worked at Valley Tractor for over 40 years before retiring in 2019. Gayle thoroughly enjoyed her job and the many friends she made while working there. Gayle was well known for her "take charge" personality and enjoyed planning all the festivities at Valley Tractor.

She enjoyed summers at Lake Wenatchee, chaperoning her daughters' school roller skating parties, JayCees, volunteering every year at the Chelan County Fair, annual shopping trips to Nordstrom with her girls, sewing, quilting, gardening, going to the gym, wine tasting, her dog, and spending time with her family and friends. Gayle loved the color purple, so much so, she traveled with a purple suitcase, all her flowers in her yard were purple, and when given a choice always chose a purple sweater.

She is survived by her daughters Jamie (Tadd) Ackerman and Jody (Francisco) Velasco; grandchildren Madison Weythman, Makena (Josh) Schwint, Gavin Ackerman, Mya Ackerman, and Payton Michelsen; great

granddaughters, Isla and Elliotte Schwint; sister Janine (Tony) Richter; and several nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by her parents, husband James, brother Steve, and sister Karen.

Gayle was an amazing mom, sister, daughter, Nana, and friend and will be greatly missed by those that knew her.

A celebration of Gayle's life will be held July 27th at 11:00AM at Union Hill Cider 988 S. Union St, East Wenatchee.

In lieu of flowers, please make a donation in Gayle's name to Okandogs 6820 Osprey Lane Cashmere or The Parkinson's Foundation @ parkinsons.org

Previous Events

Celebration of Life

JUL 27. 11:00 AM - 1:00 PM (PT)

Union Hill Cider
988 S. Union St
East Wenatchee, WA 98802

Tribute Wall

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“ *She was the most amazing mom* ❤️



Jody Velasco - July 19, 2024 at 07:04 PM

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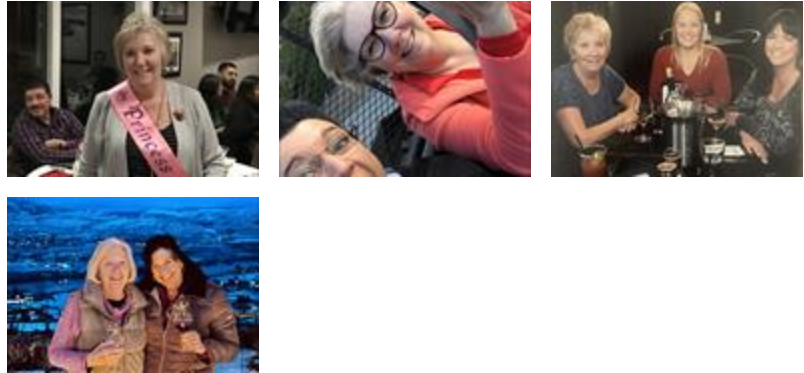
“ *Gayle was not only my boss when I started at Valley Tractor but also became a very dear friend. She had a heart of gold and went 100mph around the business ensuring all was in order. Thank you, Gayle, for all your knowledge and wisdom that you shared with me as a coworker but more importantly a friend. You were one of a kind!*



Sabrina Martinez - July 17, 2024 at 12:46 PM

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“ 4 files added to the album Valley Tractor Days



Sabrina Martinez - July 17, 2024 at 12:39 PM

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“ Cousin Gayle used to bring her Mom Sig to ND to see her sister Evelyn, so we would all come to Moms to hang out. We would go visit cousin Connie and into Minot to visit her other aunt Dorothy n cousins Roger n Susan. Always fun catching up...of course they brought cherries from their orchard sooo delish!!and we'd have our afternoon toddies with Gayle n Sig 😎
 Gayle will be missed by so many people ❤️

Vickie Jones - July 15, 2024 at 08:41 PM



“ From all of us at Heritage Memorial Chapel, we send our condolences to you and your family, and everyone who knew Gayle. It is our honor to have Gayle entrusted to our care.



Heritage Memorial Chapel - July 08, 2024 at 09:01 PM