



Lisa K. Melcher-De Chenne

July 12, 1963 - January 15, 2010

Lisa K. Melcher-DeChenne, 46, a longtime Wenatchee resident, passed away on Friday January 15, 2010 in Wenatchee.

She was born on July 12, 1963 at Concord, California, where she spent her early years. She moved with her family to Wenatchee in 1971 and attended Lewis & Clark Elementary, Orchard Middle School and Wenatchee High School. She made a brief move, returning to the Concord, California area where she completed high school and graduated from the Ygnacio Valley High School in 1981. She returned to make her home in Wenatchee where she went to work as a Cement Finisher for Bethlehem Concrete in 1990. She was forced to quit due to her bad knees. She had also worked at Northern Fruit and later for Lamonts.

She is survived by her mother and step-father, Elizabeth "Betty" & Phillip C. Ross, Wenatchee; two children, Monica Melcher and Bryce DeChenne both of East Wenatchee; two brothers, Dean Reeves, Wenatchee and Robert "Rob" (Tamara) Reeves, Puyallup; two step-sisters, Karen (Ken) Brink, Highlands Ranch, CO and Lisa Blassingame, Centennial, CO and two grandchildren. Vicente Cortez and Analise Cortez, both of East Wenatchee. She was preceded in death by her grandparents.

A Commemoration Service will be held on Saturday, January 23rd at 10:00 a.m. at Faith Lutheran Church, 171 Eastmont Avenue, East Wenatchee, with the Rev. Clarence "Mick" Marquardt officiating. Arrangements are assisted by Heritage Memorial Chapel, East Wenatchee.