



## Mary Carol Ransdell

November 20, 1925 - September 1, 2013

Born and raised on a homestead in Douglas, WY, Mary entered nursing school in nearby Casper. Like so many of her generation, her career was interrupted by World War II. She moved to Colorado where she repaired tail sections of fighter aircraft that had been damaged in the war. After the war, Mary practiced nursing in Redmond, CA before a permanent move to Rock Springs, WY, where she worked as a surgical nurse. Eventually, she assumed the role of Head Nurse at the Emergency Department. Shortly after this move, Mary's nursing friends set her up on a very successful blind date. Mary met Everett, a young Kentucky gentleman who had just been discharged from the US Navy. Everett became the love of her life. Their marriage was blessed with three children Carol, Ron and Mark. Mary loved her family without reservation. Even though her family remained her first priority, Mary continued working as a nurse part-time for 26 years. Following retirement in 1988, Everett and Mary relocated to Grand Junction, CO, where they added many lifelong friends. In May of 2008, Everett and Mary relocated to Vancouver, WA. Mary leaves behind a loving family of her children, their mates, grandchildren and great-grandchildren. She leaves a legacy of love for God's Creation, the family He gave her and service to others. Mary had a true faith in Jesus Christ as Lord and Savior. Along with her children, she believed the promise of Jesus, Who said, "I am the Good Shepherd." \* \* \* \* \* Mary Carol Leonard Ransdell Date of death - September 1, 2013 in Vancouver WA Born November 20, 1925, Douglas WY Father - Edward George Leonard, Mother -

Susan Olive Leebrick Education - Registered Nurse's Degree Occupation - Nurse Spouse - Everett Coleman Ransdell Worked at Memorial Hospital of Sweetwater County, Rock Springs, WY Memorial service Friday, September 6, 12:30pm, Evergreen Memorial Gardens. Visitation Thursday, September 5, noon to 9pm. In lieu of flowers, contributions may be made in Mary's memory to New Heights Medical Clinic, 8000 NE 58th Avenue, Vancouver, WA 98665

# Tribute Wall



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Evergreen Memorial Gardens - July 03, 2025 at 09:09 PM

GS

“ You will be dearly missed Aunt Mary :)

Gordon Smith - September 17, 2013 at 12:00 AM

PG

“ Dear Mark, Ron and Carol, My sincere sympathy to all of you. As I viewed the obituary in the newspaper many fond childhood memories came rushing back. I always loved your parents and family. Your Mom was such a welcoming lady. I also had a flood of fond memories when your Dad passed last year, but this time I wanted to be sure not to allow another opportunity to slip by to let you know. I'm sure you all miss your parents greatly. Take care, Pat(Myers)Greenlee

Pat Greenlee - September 17, 2013 at 12:00 AM

BC

“ Carol, Ron, Mark So sorry for your loss but now she is with your dad. Love all the pictures you & your families have posted. Brings back many memories of all us cousins being together at Grandpa's when we were kids.

Barbara Crofutt - September 11, 2013 at 12:00 AM

JS

“ Carol, Ronny and Mark; I wish to express my condolences for the passing of you mother. I have good memories of her and your dad as well as all of you growing up on the hill in Rock Springs.

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**Jim Soderlund** - September 06, 2013 at 12:00 AM

JD

“ Joe and I would like to extend our sincerest and deepest sympathies to your entire family for the loss of your Mother. Mary and Everett are together again---a wonderful reflection to help carry you through this difficult time. Our thoughts and continued prayers for each of you and for safe travels as you return to your homes. May the Lord, memories and your friends hold you up through this hard time. Love to all...

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**Joe and Linda DeBernardi** - September 06, 2013 at 12:00 AM

TZ

“ So sorry to hear about your loss. My prayers and thoughts are with you all.

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**Traci (Cohen) Zuehlsdorff** - September 06, 2013 at 12:00 AM

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JW

“ Mark, I am very sorry to hear about your Mother. although I never met her, after reading the obituary I can where the compassion and integrity you show in the work place came from.

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**Jon Wheeler** - September 05, 2013 at 12:00 AM

AB

“ *Mark- Sorry for the loss of your mother. I'm thinking about you and your family during this difficult time Albert*

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**Albert Bertagnolli** - September 05, 2013 at 12:00 AM

RA

“ *Mark, I am very sorry about the loss of your mother. Rick*

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**Rick Aragon** - September 03, 2013 at 12:00 AM