



# Irene May Pike

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Irene passed away peacefully at home November 26, 2014. She was born May 7, 1938 in Anaconda, Montana to John Wesley McCoy and Dorothy May McCoy Williams. Both have passed away. Irene had one brother Wesley Alvin McCoy who also passed away.

Irene attended school in Anaconda, Montana. She married Jerry Vetsch in 1956; later divorced. They had three children, Jerrene Nelson, Monica Evenson and Connie Perkins.

She married her best friend, Richard Pike in 1975. Together Irene and Richard operated Utah Auto Parts Co. until they retired in 1998. They moved to St. George, Utah and traveled a great deal in their 5th wheel. They owned property in Florence, Arizona where they enjoyed the Jeep group very much. Irene and Richard enjoyed their home and friends in St. George, prior to moving to Salt Lake City in 2010.

Irene's beloved Richard passed away December 2011.

Throughout Irene's life she enjoyed many hobbies, raising birds, making porcelain dolls, Swedish weave and working in her garden. Irene was also a member of the Red Hat Society and an active member of the Ladies Oriental Shrine.

Irene has five grandchildren, Angie, Brent, Lyndsey, Austin, Jessica and three great-grandchildren, Cody, Mya and Taylor.

There will be no public services.



## Tribute Wall

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ME

**Monica Evenson** posted:

Mom~ it's so surreal writing you on your memorial page. I'm grateful you knew you were loved and I know you loved me. I'm thankful your last days were filled with love and laughter. I could never sum up your life and what you mean to me in this post. Because of the lessons you've taught me through the years and in recent weeks, I'm able to cope during difficult times like this. You will be missed. You're loved a whole gob in the sky full. Nick

November 30 at 11:10 AM

JE

**Jerrene** posted:

Mom, there are no words to describe how much you will be missed and how much you meant to our family. The time we shared recently was a gift I will treasure the rest of my life. Thank you Mom for all the laughs we got to have together and being such a strong person who taught me the meaning of forgiveness and the strength to always live in the present and not dwell in the past. I will forever love you Mom.

November 30 at 5:15 AM

BK

**Bev Kennedy** posted:

To Irene's Family -- Seeing Irene's obituary this morning blew me away! Irene was my friend (and a neighbor in Star Valley, Wyoming). I was going to take her to lunch this week. I have no words to express how sad I am right now. I haven't seen her for about a month, so had no idea she was ill. I'm SO sorry.

November 30 at 4:06 AM



# **Memories only last if you share them**

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