

1998 Marjorie 'Margie' Iannelli, 77

Marjorie "Margie" Iannelli, 77, died Oct. 20, at The Heritage Place nursing home in Kalispell.

She was born on May 8, 1921, in Froid, the eldest of five children of Jim and Ruth Mortensen. She attended schools in Bainville, and graduated in 1940, from Alhambra High School in Martinez, Calif.

Prior to her marriage she worked as a waitress and in the administrative office of the Corps of Engineers during the construction of Fort Peck Dam.

She married Henry Redekopp of Lustre, on May 25, 1946, in Fort Peck. Their first house was in Wolf Point, after which they moved to Oswego, and lived there until 1960. A house was built on newly purchased farm land four miles west of Wolf Point, where they lived until her husband retired in 1975. During that time she worked at Jean's Dress Shop and in the Roosevelt County Clerk and Recorder's Office in Wolf Point.

On April 20, 1984, she married August Iannelli in Kalispell. They lived together at 115 Fairway Boule-



vard in Kalispell, until she was hospitalized during the month of August of this year.

She is survived by her husband, August Iannelli; son and daughter-in-law, Greg and Kathy Redekopp of Butte, and their children, Julie, Robbie, Mary and Suzanne; her stepson Todd and his wife, Tessa, of Kalispell, and their children, Vincent, Nicholas, Justino, and Tenessa. She is also survived by sisters Jean Duncan of Citrus Heights, Calif., Eunice Norgaard of Pleasant Hill, Calif., and Dolores "Dodie" Nanini of Great Falls.

She was preceded in death by her parents; brothers, George and Allen Becker and Jim Mortenson Jr.; and sister Gerri Becker Smetti.

She will be remembered for her dimples and her quick smile. She enjoyed decorating her home, modeling clothes, dancing, playing bridge, crewel embroidery, and cross stitch. She was a wonderful cook and everyone enjoyed her homemade pies. She loved her family and will be dearly missed.

Cremation has taken place. There will be a funeral service at the Buffalo Hills Funeral Home in Kalispell, on Oct. 31, at 11 a.m.

Gladys Isakson, 91

Gladys Isakson, 91, of Kalispell, died Tuesday, Sept. 29, 1998 at Kalispell Regional Medical Center.

She was born April 25, 1907, in Edmonton, Alberta. She married Haakon Isakson in April 1933, in Caldwell, Idaho.

She was preceded in death by her parents; her husband; one sister; and three brothers.

She is survived locally by nieces, Carole Isakson of Kalispell, and Pat Rigden of Lakeside; nephew Leonard Eslick of Kalispell; and grandniece Rachel Casalegno of Kalispell; along with other nieces and nephews.

Private family graveside services will be held at a later date. Arrangements are by the Johnson Mortuary & Crematory.

1998 LeRoy Kenneth 'Ken' Ingram, 55

LeRoy Kenneth "Ken" Ingram, 55, died June 8 at his home in Evergreen.

He was born Dec. 20, 1942, in Kalispell, to Glenn Kenneth and Susan Eleanore Clark Ingram. He grew up in the Flathead Valley and graduated from Flathead High School.

On Sept. 30, 1970, he married Marilyn Newman in Las Vegas, Nev. He served honorably in the United States Air Force from Oct. 20, 1960, to Oct. 19, 1964.

He was a logger in the Flathead Valley for 30 years. He also worked in Alaska on the pipeline, driving truck. His last employment was with Charles Keller, driving a logging truck.

He was a member of the Gold Prospectors Association of America.

He was preceded in death by his father, Glen Ingram.

He is survived by his wife and companion Marilyn Ingram of Evergreen; daughters, Tami and Kassie Ingram of Kalispell; children, Tony Wamsly of Idaho and Deena Dennison of Kalispell; grandchildren, Kenny and Tori Wamsly of Oregon, Curtis and Larrick of Kalispell, Shanynee, Kayla, Ashly, and mother Susan Ingram of Kalispell.

No services are being held as requested by Ken. Arrangements are by the Johnson Mortuary & Crematory.

Mary Louise Ingham, 88

Mary Louise Ingham, 88, died July 6, 1998, in Kalispell.

Graveside urn burial will be at 10:30 a.m. Saturday at C.E. Conrad Cemetery with the Rev. Harold Kellam officiating.

Buffalo Hill Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.

Michael Dale Isakson, 31

Michael Dale Isakson, 31, died Friday, Oct. 30, 1998, at home with his family, following a courageous battle with cancer.

He was born April 26, 1967, in Kalispell.

He graduated from Flathead High School in 1985, from Harding University in December, 1990, from the University of Montana with a Juris doctorate in 1994, and successfully completed the Montana State Bar Examination.

He spent the last three years in Alaska, enjoying the great outdoors.



He was preceded in death by his father, Orville Isakson.

He is survived by his mother, Carole Isakson; his brothers, Scott Isakson, and Buckley Isakson and his wife Debby; his sisters, Sandee Isakson, and Jodie Isakson-Egosque and her husband Brian; his grandmother Bessie Dickinson; and numerous nieces and nephews.

The outpouring of love, prayer, cards, calls, and visits reinforces what we all know to be true. Mike was a truly special person who touched the lives of all he met. God blessed us greatly by allowing us to be his family.

Private family services were held.

Eunice E. Isaacson, 86

Eunice E. Isaacson, 86, of Polson, died Wednesday, Aug. 26, 1998, at St. Joseph Hospital.

She grew up and attended schools in Hinsdale, and married Clarence Oct. 7, 1934, in Hinsdale. She received her teaching certificate from Western Montana College in Dillon, her bachelor of arts from the College of Great Falls in 1958, and her masters in 1965 from The University of Montana.

She taught in several locations in Montana and for eight years in Grenora, N.D. She retired from teaching in Helena, in 1972. Twenty four of their retirement years were spent wintering in Mesa, Ariz., and returning home for the summer in the Kalispell area. They moved to Polson in 1995.

She enjoyed painting and crafts and spending time with her family. She was a dedicated wife and homemaker and was supportive of Clarence's involvement in Old Time

Fiddlers. She was a member of United Methodist Church (Epworth) in Kalispell.

She was preceded in death by her parents, three sisters, and a brother.

She is survived by her husband Clarence of Polson; son Leon Isaacson of Kalispell; two daughters, Janette Gipe and Marcia Walker of Polson; brother Ervin Chester of Helena; six grandchildren; numerous great-grandchildren; four great-great-grandchildren.

Visitation will be held at Grogan Funeral Home on Sunday from 1 p.m. to 8 p.m. and Monday from 9 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. Graveside services will be held Monday at 1 p.m. at Lakeview Cemetery in Polson.

Memorials may be given to United Methodist Church (Epworth) Kalispell.

Arrangements by Grogan Funeral Home.

Iver E. Iverson, 85

Iver E. Iverson, 85, passed away Sunday Jan. 26, 1997, at Brendan House.

He was born Feb. 15, 1911, in Everett, Wash., to Christian and Marie Iverson. He moved to the Flathead Valley when he was 3 years old. He attended schools in Flathead Valley, graduating from Flathead County High School in 1929.

He moved back to the Seattle area to attend a diesel mechanic school, returning to Kalispell when he graduated.

During World War II, he worked at the Flathead Mine where he was a truck driver, road grader operator and mechanic. He worked for many years as a contractor, clearing property for people. He then went to work as a logging contractor of J. Neils Lumber Company out of Libby. He contracted for them until he retired in 1968.

He married Charlotte Altenburg on April 7, 1937 in Kalispell. They would have celebrated their 60th anniversary this year.

He loved to fish, and especially loved to bowl, bowling in three to four leagues during his younger years. He will be remembered as a loving and caring person.

He was preceded in death by his parents; an infant son, Kenny; a sister, Clara Hansen; and a brother, Clifford Iverson.

He is survived by his wife, Charlotte, of Kalispell; two sons, Robert and Tom, both of Whitefish; a brother, Gordon Iverson, of Spokane; a sister, Bernice Managhan, of Kalispell; four grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

Visitation will be Thursday at Buffalo Hill Funeral Home from noon until 5 p.m. Funeral services will be at 2 p.m. Friday at the funeral home with the Rev. Bob Nielson of Calvary Lutheran Church. Burial will follow at Glacier Memorial Gardens. The family request memorials to Brendan House in lieu of flowers.

Lois A. Iverson, 63

Lois A. Iverson, 63, of Fargo, N.D., died Friday, July 10, 1998, at Dakota Heartland Hospital in Fargo.

She was born on Nov. 2, 1934, to Louis and Anna Brekke Braaten in Wyndmere, N.D. She attended school in Thief River Falls, Minn. She married Eugene Iverson on July 15, 1954, in Fargo.

She worked for Red Owl and later as a secretary at the Trades and Labor Hall in Fargo. She also worked as the financial secretary for the Machinists Union. She retired due to ill health in 1979.

She is survived by her husband; son Matthew and his wife, Dori, of Fargo; one daughter, Tammy and her

husband, Randy Hansen, of Somers; three brothers, Calvin and his wife, Laverne Braaten, of Jamestown, N.D., Arnold and his wife, Francis Braaten, of Minot, N.D., and Neil Brekke of Menomonie, Wis.; and three sisters, Clarice Cramer of St. Louis Park, Minn., Inez Puetz of Burnsville, Minn., and Jean Lockrem of Kalispell.

Visitation will be today from 4 to 8 p.m. in Hanson-Runsvold Funeral Home in Fargo, and one hour before the funeral in the church. Prayer service today at 7 p.m. Funeral services will be Wednesday at 10 a.m. in St. John Lutheran Church in Fargo, with burial in Riverside Cemetery.