



Patsy Istas

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Patsy "Pat" Lee Istas passed away peacefully in her sleep on January 13, 2024. Pat was born March 10, 1952, in Osceola, Iowa, to Arno and Helen (Burke) Graham. She grew up on a farm with her large family. After graduating high school, Pat realized her dream of living in a big city, first in Minneapolis and then in San Francisco, working as an airline stewardess. Eventually, she moved to Loveland, Colorado, to be closer to her siblings. There, she met Richard Istas.

Pat and Dick were married April 4, 1975. The couple has two children: a son, Chad, and a daughter, Krystal. Pat loved being a wife and mom. Pat worked as a custodian for the Big Thompson School District in Loveland for many years. She loved seeing the kids every day and caring for the school grounds. After retirement, Pat and Dick traveled all over the country and, for a time, wintered in Mesa, Arizona. More recently, they had moved back to Concordia, Kansas.

Pat enjoyed gardening and sharing the produce from her garden with others. Pat is survived by her husband, Dick, her son and daughter-in-law, Chad and Catherine, of San Diego, California, and her daughter and son-in-law, Krystal and Jarrod Spilger of Grand Island, Nebraska. Pat is also survived by three brothers, Henry (Barb), Dean (Donna), and Billy (Rhonda), and five sisters, Ruby Halliburton, Arnolene Hull, Shirley (Dennis) King, Carolyn (Don) Eblen and Betty Spire, as well as numerous nieces and nephews. She was preceded in death by her parents, two brothers, Ronnie and Donnie, brothers-in-law Kenny Halliburton, Lyle Hull, and Bill Spire, and sister-in-laws Donna Graham and Vickie Graham.

A celebration of life will be announced at a later date.



Tribute Wall

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IS

Irene & Don Solmes shared a photo to the **Tribute Wall** album.

Thinking of you Dick- so sorry to hear about Pat, she was a lovely friendly person. Don & Irene Solmes (E88 Towerpoint)

February 6 at 4:52 PM



MA

Marty & Pat shared a photo to the **Tribute Wall** album.

Marty & Pat has purchased Eco-Friendly Memorial Trees for Patsy Iestas

February 6 at 4:52 PM



SK

Shirley King posted:

I remember Pat a lot growing up. She was always a tough little girl and growing up with her brothers made her that way. She would beat the boys up in her school. No one messed with her. She was always a hard worker. She was my live doll when she was little.. Arnolene had Betty and I Patsy. They were the cutest little girls.

January 29 at 9:00 PM

LC

Les & Ione Clarke posted:

We are so sorry to hear of the loss of Pat. She was a sweet person, and we always enjoyed visiting with her at the Loveland Vets Club. Prayers and thoughts to the family.

January 20 at 1:32 PM

JL

Joyce Lambert posted:

Dick sending my prayers to your family 🙏™

January 19 at 1:52 PM

KB

Kevin & Linda Blochlinger posted:

Thoughts and prayers.

January 19 at 10:32 AM



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Richard Mason And Ruth Lewellyn posted:

So sorry for your loss. We enjoyed visiting with her in Mesa AZ

January 15 at 12:40 PM



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January 14 at 7:23 PM



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