

Carole R. Isakson, 78

Carole R. Isakson, 78, passed away on Sunday, May 2, 2010, surrounded by her family, at Edgewood Vista in Kalispell.



Carole was born on Oct. 25, 1931, in Harlem, to John and Susie (Hendrickson) Soderstrom, the fourth of six children.

While young, Carole moved with her family to the Flathead Valley where she received her education and graduated from Flathead County High School. On Dec. 31, 1950, she married the love of her life, Orville E. Isakson.

Carole and Orville raised five children in a home full of love and laughter. She was very active in all of her children's lives, not only as mother, but as a best friend. Her life revolved around her family and her church. Carole passed on her love of life to her grandchildren and the highlight of their summers was the week that each got to spend at Grandma's house.

Carole was preceded in death by her husband; one son, Michael; her parents; and a brother, Bill.

She is survived by four children, Scott Isakson of Kalispell, Sandee Isakson of Columbia Falls, Buckley Isakson and wife, Debbie, of Kalispell, and Jodie Isakson-Bittinger and husband, Jim, of Trout Creek; 16 grandchildren, Lisel, Devon, Tami, Trista, Ryan, Elliott, Stephanie, Tracy, Brandi, Susan, Tyler, Averie, Ali, Kari, Megan and Brent; as well as two brothers and two sisters, Nita Fishel of Hemet, Calif., Bob Soderstrom and wife Arlene, Jane Connelly, and Mike Soderstrom and wife Anna, all of Kalispell. Carole was also blessed by many great-grandchildren.

Memorial services for Carole will be held at 2 p.m. Thursday, May 6, at the Church of Christ, 241 Stillwater Road, with James Williams officiating.

Johnson-Gloschat Funeral Home is caring for Carole's family. You are invited to go to www.jgfuneralhome.com to offer condolences and view Carole's tribute wall.

Sheila Rae Isbell, 50

Sheila Rae Isbell, 50, passed away on Friday, May 28, 2010, at her home in Columbia Falls. She was born on June 25, 1959, in



Vinton, Iowa, to Merle and Evelyn (McIntyre) Roths.

Sheila received her early education in Vinton. She married John "Dave" Isbell in Vinton on Dec. 24, 1984. The couple eventually moved to the Flathead Valley, where Sheila worked as a machine operator at Top Copy Printing in Whitefish. She also operated her own business of House Cleaning and Reflexol-

ogy. Sheila loved her husband, her dogs, the outdoors and just being your friend.

She was preceded in death by her brother, Bruce Roths.

She is survived by her husband, Dave; stepson, Justin; her parents, Merle and Evelyn Roths of Vinton, Iowa; and a twin brother, Mike Roths of Stevensville.

Memorial services for Sheila will be held on Wednesday, June 2, at 1 p.m. at Jesus Community Church in Stevensville, with Pastor Kelley McCormick officiating.

Johnson-Gloschat Funeral Home is caring for Sheila's family. You are invited to go to www.jgfuneralhome.com to offer condolences and view Sheila's tribute wall.

Joyce Evelyn Isch, 85

Joyce Evelyn Isch, 85, passed away July 22, 2010, in Tacoma, Wash. She was born to Frank and Retta Moothart in East Wenatchee, Wash., on March 9, 1925.

She moved to Kalispell at a very early age. Joyce attended Flathead County High School, where she met her high school sweetheart, John Isch. They married in 1945, after John returned from service in the Pacific during World War II. Following John and his work, they lived in several western states, finally settling in Washington.

Joyce enjoyed a passion

for sewing, needlepoint and butterflies.

She is survived by three daughters and their husbands, Judy and Ray Shulmire, Joy and Ed Dolan, and Jayne and Ron Isch; and her brother and sister-in-law, Wayne and Elaine Moothart. She is also survived by three grandchildren, two great-granddaughters, and numerous nieces and nephews.

A private family memorial service will be held.

In lieu of flowers, the family requests donations be made to the American Diabetes Association in her name.

Jack R. Iverson, 61

Jack R. Iverson, of Columbia Falls, passed away Jan. 1, 2010. He was born Oct. 16, 1948, in Thief River Falls, Minn., to Gordon and Hilda "Ginger" Iverson.

Jack and his family (three brothers and sister) moved to Martin City when he was a teenager. He graduated from Columbia Falls High School in 1967; it was there he met the love of his life, Jane Wilson. They were married in June 1968.

Jack enlisted in the U.S. Navy and served his country during the Vietnam War until 1975.

Jack and Jane had two children, Jeff and Jana.

He worked at Plum Creek

for 28 years, but in his free time he enjoyed riding four-wheelers, snowcatting with friends, playing pinochle, boating, and dancing with his favorite partner, his wife.

Jack leaves behind his wife, Jane; son, Jeff, and his wife, Renae; daughter, Jana; and his grandchildren, Alicia and Ian.

Jack was proud to be a husband, father, grandfather, brother, uncle and friend. He will be missed by all who knew and loved him.

A private family ceremony will be held Tuesday, Jan. 12. Following the service, friends and family are invited to an open house at 1 p.m. at the family home.