



Norma Ruth Mueller

June 4, 1936 - February 7, 2024

Norma Ruth Ferriot Mueller, of Tumalo, Oregon, passed away peacefully while bravely battling cancer on Wednesday, February 7, 2024. She was 87 years old. Born June 4, 1936, in Akron, Ohio, she was the youngest child of Glenn and Pauline Ferriot and had two brothers Dick and Don. Norma attended Buchtel High School, Kent State University and Indiana University, graduating with a bachelor degree. In the early 60s she moved to Portland, Oregon, along with her first husband and two young children, Todd and Jeff. Scott was born a few years later. Norma was a homemaker while the kids grew up, then worked in a variety of jobs including catering and technical writing in the banking and finance field where she met the love of her life, husband Ken Mueller (d. 2016). In 2003 they moved to a farm outside Tumalo where they enjoyed stunning views of the Three Sisters and watching local wildlife right up to the day she passed away at home. Norma is survived by sons Todd, Jeff, and Scott McCollum; stepdaughters Nancy Mueller and Gretchen Wilson; their families and her close family of friends. Norma's family will remember her strong Christian faith; as one who always took an interest in their activities with caring support; conversations filled with questions, interest and laughter; her love of recipes; and her ability to always find something constructive for you to do. A memorial gathering of family and friends will be held at the farm and announced at a future date.

In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Samaritan's Purse.