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Eleanor Velma "Ellie" Moore Rees

BIRTH 13 Nov 1940
Boise, Ada County, Idaho, USA

DEATH 1 Jun 2016 (aged 75)

BURIAL Dry Creek Cemetery
Boise, Ada County, Idaho, USA

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Eleanor "Ellie" Velma Rees, 75, of Boise, Idaho, died at home June 1, 2016 after a long battle with cancer.

Ellie was born in Boise, Idaho on November 13, 1940, to Newell C. and Mary C. Moore. Ellie lived in Boise her entire life, attending Cole Elementary, West Junior High School, and graduating from Borah High School in 1959.

Ellie graduated from the College of Idaho in 1963 and soon after began a 34-year career of teaching 3rd grade at Jefferson and McKinley in Boise.

Ellie married James M. Rees in Boise on December 27, 1969. She was an accomplished seamstress and artist. She painted many oil paintings that adorn the walls at home and those of friends and relatives. She was an active member of the Daughters of the Nile, and Past High Priestess of the Ladies Oriental Shrine. Jim and Ellie enjoyed traveling and they made many memorable journeys.

Ellie is survived by her husband, James M. Rees, of Boise, ID; brother, Morgan Moore (JoAnn), of Eagle, ID; sister, Mary Lou Peterson (Steve) of Juneau, AK; and 10 nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by her parents.


A viewing will be held from 5:00 pm until 7:00 pm, Sunday, June 5, 2016 at Summers Funeral Homes, Boise Chapel. Funeral services will be held at 11:00 am, Monday, June 6, 2016, at Summers Funeral Homes, Boise Chapel followed by a luncheon at the El Korah Shrine.


Graveside services will conclude at Dry Creek Cemetery, Boise.

In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be made to the Jim and Ellie Rees Endowment Scholarship fund at Boise State University or the El Korah Shrine Preservation Fund.

Family Members

Parents

 **Newell Clarion
Moore**
1900–1972

 **Mary Clarabelle
Jones Moore**
1908–1994

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