

## Jackie Brodie

Jacqueline (Jackie) M. Mears Dieu

Jacqueline (Jackie) M. Mears, Dieu, long time resident of Chehalis, died peacefully at her home on Sept. 7, 2005, after a long battle with cancer.



Jackie was born on February 17, 1940 in Nevada, Iowa. She is preceded in death by her parents Tom and Evelyn Brodie, her brother Bob Brodie, sister Joanne Tweten Woodard, and her beloved cat Luff and dog Bear.

Jackie is survived by her husband Clarence and her sister Janet (Mike) Mickelson and nieces Kristi (Dick) Eisenbarth, Cyn (Dick) Robinson, Janie (Bill) Thrasher, Terese (Dan) Cook and Marcie Tweten. Nephews Rob (Linda) Brodie, Erick (Linda) Mickelson, Brian Brodie, and numerous great nieces and nephews, aunt and cousins and her cats Bud and Stripes.

One of Jackie's greatest joys were her numerous and treasured friends she had throughout her life-time. If you met Jackie for the first time you were her friend for life. Jackie's memory and compassion for others was immense; she never forgot a name or face. Her grace and beauty will be a treasure to all who knew her.

Jackie's compassion for others really came through when her dearest friend Cheryl Ponti and her neighbor Harriet Honeycutt became terminally ill. Jackie was there with them to the end, even when Jackie was fighting her own battle.

Jackie also had a great love for her garden and her animals (including the strays). The greatest joy of her lifetime was when she brought Bear home in his playpen in the back seat of the car. Now they are together again.

Many thanks to the wonderful friends and neighbors who brought their love and kindness to Jackie. A special thanks to Rob Fuller who dedicated a climb in Jackie's name, for cancer research, and who helped her in so many, many ways.

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The Celebration of Jackie's Life will be held on Saturday, September 17, 2005 at the Newaukum Grange Hall at 1 P.M. Jackie requested that you dress bright, cheery and casual. Let's all honor her last wishes. Please bring your thoughts and memories to share with all.

In lieu of flowers, Jackie requested donations be made to Cancer Research or Hospice. (Assured Home Health & Hospice, 1821 Cooks Hill Road, Suite 200, Centralia, WA 98531)

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The following information was found on  
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Birth in Nevada (Story County) Iowa on  
Feb. 17, 1940 and Death in Chehalis  
(Lewis County) Washington on Sep. 7,  
2005

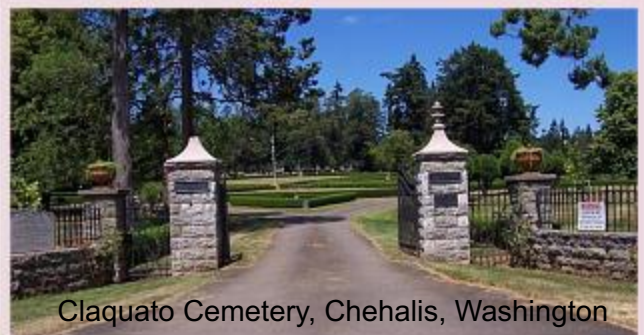
Burial: Claquato Cemetery, Chehalis,  
Washington (Lewis County)  
Find A Grave Memorial # 71154222

*"I am not gone, I am changed  
Have faith and please believe me.  
God did not take me away from you,  
He split the skies and received me.*

*"Now... I'm an echo in your laughter,  
a reflection in your tears,  
an extra thread of strength  
to help you overcome your fears.*

*"I'm an added ray of sunshine,  
more joy for you to share,  
a fragrance of the life you live.  
Wherever you are—I am there."*

—author unknown



Claquato Cemetery, Chehalis, Washington

