



Lucille Marie Geary

January 13, 1950 - June 2, 2019

Lucille Marie Geary, 69 years of age and of Toppenish, Washington, died in her home on Sunday, June 2, 2019, where she was under the hospice care and the care of her children.

She was born in Warm Springs, Oregon, in 1950 to Dondee Leon Geary and Bessie McKinley.

Lucille attended grade school in Warm Springs, Ore. She attended Riverside Indian Boarding School, Anadarko, Oklahoma, where she graduated in 1968. She earned an Associate's Degree in Bookkeeping from Central Washington State College.

Lucille worked for the Yakama Nation, including as a bookkeeper with the tribe's Comprehensive Alcoholism Outreach Program and for the Yakama Nation Tribal School.

Although from the Warm Springs Reservation, she was content and wanted to spend her time with her children, grandchildren, and extended grandchildren of Yakama Nation.

During her lifetime she lived on the Warm Springs Reservation, in Los Angeles, Calif., Ellensburg, Wash., before settling down in her rural Toppenish home for over the past thirty years.

Lucille loved many hobbies and interests, including seamstress work and shopping thrift shops. She also cherished gathering, preparing and serving traditional foods with her mothers-in-law and cousins. Her love of sports ranged from local teams to the Seattle Seahawks. She especially enjoyed

attending her grandchildren's sporting events, where she could be heard coaching and getting after the refs.

Lucille also enjoyed the company of her pet dogs, Bow and Lucy, and Fritz the cat. On top of being an avid reader, she enjoyed the occasional trip to the Legends Casino, where she liked to catch up with many close friends from the area.

She married Ronnie L. Washines, a fellow Riverside alum, in 1969 and they have five children.

Her children, Ronna Lena Washines, Dayel Marie Washines, Magdalena Sue Washines, Brian Edward Washines and Ronn Cassaseeka Washines, her siblings, Dempsey O. Polk, Illona Lillie and Monty Arthur, her grandchildren by Ronna, Trevor Smith, Draidan Smith and Cari-Gene Smith, all of whom she loved and enjoyed beyond measure, her many nephews and nieces, grandnephews and grandnieces, in both the Yakama Reservation and Warm Springs Reservation, all survive Lucille.

Her parents, her siblings, Donna Geary-Foster, Delmar Geary and Antonette Lillie, her aunt, Maxine McKinley, her uncle, Clarence McKinley, and cousins, nephews and nieces from the Warm Springs and Yakama reservations, all preceded Lucille in death.

Her Dressing Service was held at 10 a.m. Tuesday, June 4, 2019 in Heggie's Colonial Funeral Home, before being transported to the Satus Shaker Church for overnight religious services. Her spirit was committed back to the Heavenly Father at sunrise, Wednesday, June 5, 2019 in the Satus Shaker Church, before her body was returned to the earth in the Satus Point Cemetery. Heggie's Colonial Funeral Home, Toppenish, Wash. assisted the family with the funeral arrangements.

Cemetery Details

Satus Point Cemetery

Plank Road
Granger, WA

Previous Events

Dressing Services

JUN 4. 10:00 AM (PT)

Colonial Funeral Home
228 S. Alder
Toppenish, WA

Tribute Wall



“ *Lucille Marie Geary*

October 05, 2023 at 11:22 AM



“ *Bernice Owens lit a candle in memory of
Lucille Marie Geary*



Bernice Owens - June 03, 2019 at 07:11 PM



“ *Danielle Ermey lit a candle in memory of
Lucille Marie Geary*



Danielle Ermey - June 03, 2019 at 04:57 PM



“ *PRAYERS*



Matilda Smiskin - June 03, 2019 at 03:58 PM