Janet Gay Powell

January 9, 1939 ~ May 2, 2022

Janet Judd Powell (83), our darling mother, grandmother, and friend passed away with family by her side on Monday, May 2, 2022.

Janet was born on January 9, 1939 in Marysville, Idaho to Vandorda Mary Martindale and Frederick Earl Judd. She spent her early years in Idaho playing and farming with her two brothers, Clint and Pete. At age twelve she moved to Salt Lake City where she loved participating in school plays and dances. She graduated from East High School in 1957. She attended BYU where she enthusiastically cheered for sports throughout her life.

Janet moved with friends to California where she met her sailor on the beach. Janet and Lee Roy Powell were married June 6, 1961 in the Salt Lake Temple. They resided in Long Beach while Lee finished his time in the US Navy and then moved to Garden Grove. They were blessed with three daughters; Jana Schumann, Teresa Law and Lisa Bird. They raised their family in Nevada where they spent eleven years. They were able to retire and spend the last thirty-eight years in Mountain Home Arkansas, making many memories with grandkids that came to visit. She made many lifelong friends as they moved across the states.

Janet worked as a legal secretary throughout her life up until the age of seventy-eight. She was able to spend the last few months of her life back in Salt Lake closer to family who cherish these final memories with her.

Janet was a faithful member of The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints with a strong testimony of our Savior. She served in many callings including as a temple worker in the St. Louis Temple.

Janet is preceded in death by her parents, Vanorda Mary Martindale and Frederick Earl Judd, and her brother Clint Judd. She is survived by her husband Lee Powell, brother Pete Judd, three daughters: Jana Schumann, Teresa Law, and Lisa (Marty) Bird, ten grandchildren and nine great-grandchildren with one more on the way.

Funeral services will be held at Larkin Sunset Gardens Mortuary, 1950 East Dimple Dell Road (10600 South) Sandy, Utah on Saturday, May 7th at 11:00 a.m. A viewing will be held prior to the funeral at 9:30 a.m.

Special thanks to The Escalante at Draper and Inspiration Home Health and Hospice Care for their compassionate service to Janet the last ten months.

To watch the completed service, please click on the following link:
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