FORMER BROOKLYN RESIDENT

Emma Lou (Montgomery) Waller

Emma Lou (Montgomery) Waller, formerly of Brooklyn, died Thursday, Sept. 22, 2016 in St. Helens, Oregon.

Waller was born in Brooklyn on Aug. 25, 1936 to Wanda (Eaton) and George Montgomery. She graduated from Brooklyn High School and worked for the Des Moines Register and then with the Bureau of Land Management in Anchorage, Alaska.

She then moved to Alameda, Calif., and worked as treasurer and auditor for a large jewelry company in Oakland.

Lou met her husband Ed in Alameda and they were married in Reno, Nev. Shortly thereafter they moved to Portland, Oregon where she was employed by US Bank and rose to the level of Vice President.

She retired in 1993 and later she and Ed moved to Layton, Utah, before moving to Las Vegas and eventually to Columbia City, Oregon.

Lou was active in several bowling leagues and enjoyed playing cards, traveling, crocheting, crosswords, casinos and her family.

She was dearly loved by her family and will be deeply missed. Heaven received a wonderful lady.

Lou is survived by her husband Ed; a daughter, Debra Goyen; son-in-law, Kenneth Goyen; grandsons, Brant and Alex Weiche; nephews, Jack and Kyle Montgomery; nieces, Marsha Maschmann, Jo Gibbons and Valerie Bryant.

She was preceded in death by parents George and Wanda Montgomery, brother John Montgomery, and sister-in-law Pat Montgomery.