Barbara Jean Boots 11-23427-2017

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A Celebration of Life gathering and reception has been scheduled from 5:00 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. Friday, December 8th, at St. Francis Manor Social Center in Grinnell.

Memorial contributions may be directed to Barbara Boots Memorial Fund.

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City where she met Everett Eugene Boots.
On December 31, 1967, she was united in marriage with Everett Boots, in Central City. To this union three children were born, Mi-

chael, Jason and Amanda.

Barb was employed for 35 years as an assistant underwriter at Grinnell Mutual Re-Insurance Company. She retired in December of 2014.

Barb's life centered around her family and grandchildren. She loved them dearly! Her hobbies included researching and documenting the genealogy of her family history. She enjoyed bowling, sewing and quilt-

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She is survived by her children, Michael (Angela) Bbots of Colo, Jason (Shelley) Boots of Colo and Amanda Boots of Grinnell; her father, Eugene Dayton of Grinnell; four sisters, Sally Mills of Grinnell, Kelly Garwood of Grinnell, Linda Neels of Montezuma and Dawn Farmer of Gainesville, Virginia; one brother, Garry Dayton of Searsboro; nine grandchildren, Devon Boots, Zachary Boots, Joshua Fiscus, Jr., Jonathan Hansen, Khloe Hansen, Skyler Hass, Jacob Boots, Christian Haase and Cameron Haase; and many other relatives. She was preceded in death by her husband, Everen Boots; her mother, Catherine Haines Dayton Akers, her step-fathen Robert D. Akers; her stepmother, Farrell Dayton; a brother, Randy Dayton; a step-sister, Tootie; her grandparents; and several aunts, uncles



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