

**Sonia Montgomery**  
**July 14, 1942 - Aug. 22, 2018**

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Sonia Montgomery, 76 of New Sharon passed away August 18, under hospice care in New Sharon. As was her wish, her body has been cremated and no services are planned. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to New Sharon Fire and Rescue or the Mahaska Health Partnership Hospice. Holland-Coble Funeral Home of New Sharon is in charge of arrangements.

Sonia Lou Montgomery, daughter of Jesse and June (Wright) Knoke, was born July 14, 1942 in Red Oak. She was graduated from Griswold High School. She was married to Gerald Montgomery and to this union four children were born, Scott, Craig, Joni and Tammy.

Throughout her life, Sonia was a wonderful housewife and mother and she also helped her husband, Gerald, drive truck.

Sonia loved crossword puzzles and spending time with her grandchildren and great grandchildren.

She also enjoyed watching Chicago PD and Live PD television, football, basketball and all types of racing especially, NASCAR; following Dale Jr. and Dale Sr.

She will be missed by her husband of 59 years, Gerald Montgomery of New Sharon; her four children, Scott Montgomery of Montezuma, Craig (LuAnn) Montgomery of New Sharon, Joni (Jerry) Metcalf of Jay, OK and Tammy (Jose) Rivera of New Sharon; her 10 grandchildren, eight great grandchildren, sister, Mary Muller; sisters-in-law, Jerry Knoke, Betty Knoke, Judy Mitchell, JoEllen Ehm and Irene Fuller and many other nieces, nephews and friends.

Sonia was preceded in death by her parents, June and Jessie Knoke; sisters, Shirley Buffon and Norma Shepard; three brothers, Bob Knoke, John Knoke, and Dick Knoke; brothers-in-law, Bryan Lewis, Walter Buffon, Ev Muller, Elton Shepard, Richard Montgomery, John Montgomery, Chuck Ehm, Lester Mitchell and Walter Fuller and her in-laws, Mary and Ralph Montgomery.