

# Mary Eleanor Lara

September 11, 1944 – March 28, 2014

A funeral service for Mary Eleanor Lara, 69, will be held at 3 p.m., Thursday, April 3 at Gorman Funeral Homes – Platte Chapel in Wheatland with Pastor Andy Gudahl of the First Christian Church in Wheatland officiating.

Mary Lara passed away Friday, March 28 at the Cheyenne Regional Medical Center in Cheyenne.

Mary was born Sept. 11, 1944 in Browns Valley, Minn., the daughter of Otto and Barbara (Westermeyer) Lureen. Mary was one of twelve children in her family.

Mary enjoyed cooking, camping, fishing, and visiting with the residence in the nursing home. She retired from Platte County Memorial Hospital in November of 2012 after twenty-five years of service. Her biggest enjoyment in life was spending it with her husband of twenty-eight years Maro, or as we all called him "Poppy". She also loved spending time in her garden. She will be sadly missed by all her family and many, many friends.

Mary is survived by her husband, Bulmaro "Maro" Lara of Wheatland; daughters, Janet Wagner of Wheatland and Carol Diaz of California; grandchildren, Brandi Wagner of Wyoming, James (Victoria) Wagner of Wyoming, Joseph Diaz of California, Nycette Diaz of California, and Shana Vold of Minnesota; great grandchildren, Liam James and Keira Marie; sisters, Pat, Delores, Nancy, Marlene, and Sandy; and brother, Joe.

She was preceded in death by her parents; daughter, Dorren (Vold) Edeburn on Oct. 30, 2009; and five siblings.

A memorial to the Platte County Memorial Nursing Home, P.O. Box 1031, Wheatland, WY 82201 would be appreciated by the family.

Arrangements are under the direction of Gorman Funeral Homes – Platte Chapel of Wheatland.

Condolences may be left for the family at <http://www.gormanfh.com>