



Millie Vender

January 11, 1950 - November 12, 2004

Millie A. Wickstrom Vender, 54, passed away on November 12, 2004 due to unknown causes. Services will be held at 10:00 AM Monday, November 15, at Trinity Lutheran Church in Bismarck with the Rev. John Nicolai officiating. There will be no viewing due to cremation. Millie was born January 11, 1950, in Missoula, Montana, to Emil and Emily Peterson Wickstrom. She was raised in central and western Montana. On May 26, 1970, she married Carl Vender and they moved to Bismarck in June 1971 where Carl was employed by Knife River Coal Mining Company. She was a beautiful and unique person who was enjoyed by those who knew her. Millie was a tenacious reader who enjoyed a variety of printed and recorded materials. In recent years she enjoyed walking and could be seen in many parts of the city. Surviving Millie are her husband, Carl of Bismarck; three sons, Charles Jennifer and Bradley of Fargo, and Michael Maria of Bismarck; one grandson, Gabriel; two sisters, Audrey John Mueller of Kalispell, Montana, and Zerita of Helena, Montana; and one brother, Andrew of Montana. She is also survived by a number of uncles and aunts, brothers-in-law and sister-in-law; and nieces, nephews, and cousins. She was preceded in death by her parents. Memorials can be made in Millie's name to the Friends of the Library, c/o Veteran's Library or Missouri Valley Historical Society, PO Box 941, Bismarck 58502.