



Ruth J Hernandez

February 3, 1958 - June 24, 2026

Ruth J. Hernandez, 68, of Grand Island passed away on June 24, 2026 at Bergan Mercy Hospital in Omaha.

Celebration of life services will be held at 2 p.m. on Saturday, July 11, 2026 at All Faiths Funeral Home. Dan Naranjo will officiate.

All Faiths funeral Home is entrusted with arrangements. Memorials are suggested to her family.

Ruth was born on February 3, 1958 in Kearney, daughter of Lloyd and Edna (Larkin) Szafrajda.

She was raised on the family farm near Gibbon. Ruth graduated from Ravenna High School. She was united in marriage to Richard Hernandez and made their home in Scottsbluff where they raised their seven children. Ruth continued to educate herself and completed many group classes Goodwill. Ruth was a constant caregiver and over her lifetime she cared deeply for her family and friends.

Ruth was survived by her sons, Tony Hernandez of Aurora, Bobbie Hernandez of Scottsbluff, Jamie Hernandez of Lincoln, Paul Hernandez of Grand Island; daughters, Tina (Kyle Utter) Hernandez of Aurora, and Tracy Hernandez of Scottsbluff; grandchildren, Trina, Mykal, Xavier, Anna, Brooklyn, Aaliah, Christian, Eleanor, and Wayne; great-grandchildren, Damien and Athena; brother, Alan Szafrajda; sisters, Mary (Wayne)Bockman, Carol (Jose) Garcia and Joan (Francisco) Perez; numerous nieces, nephews and friends. She was preceded in death by her parents; husband, Richard; son, Richie

Hernandez; sisters, Arlene Gutschow and Karen Bockman.

Upcoming Events

Celebration of Life Service

JUL 11. 2:00 PM (CT)

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