



## Roberta "Bertie" Bergeson

July 15, 1950 - April 18, 2025

Roberta "Bertie" Bergeson, 74, of Okoboji passed away on Friday, April 18, 2025, at her home in Okoboji.

A visitation will be held from 4-6 p.m. on Thursday, April 24, 2025, at the Robinson Funeral Home in Spirit Lake. Burial will be held at a later date in the Lakeview Gardens Cemetery in Okoboji. Arrangements are under the direction of the Robinson Funeral Home in Spirit Lake. Online condolences may be left at [www.spiritlakefuneralhome.com](http://www.spiritlakefuneralhome.com)

Bertie was born on July 15, 1950, to Robert Gordon and Virgil Jean (Robinson) Knox in Estherville, IA. She graduated from Estherville High School in 1968. Bertie worked as a Data Processor in the banking industry as a VP of Operations and Clerk Services at 1st Bank & Trust in Palatine, IL. She was united in marriage to Larry Bergeson on December 26, 1992, in Estherville, IA.

In her free time, she enjoyed bicycling, swimming, reading, cooking, sewing and she enjoyed doing artistic paintings.

She is survived by her husband Larry Bergeson of Okoboji; children, Gretchen (Ted) Looker; Lance Bergeson; and Ginger (Eric) Poppens; siblings, Barbara (Roger) Hughes; David (Heidi) Knox; Mary Pat Barr; and John Knox; sister-in-law Jan Bergeson Clymer; brother-in-law Gary (Leigh) Bergeson; and brother-in-law Harland (LaDonna) Bergeson; grandchildren Morgan, Jacob, Madison, Miya, Joe, Jackson, Joshua, Hunter, and Faith; and six great grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her parents, brothers Jim Knox and Richard

Knox, sister-in-law Sue Clifford, brothers-in-laws Don Bergeson and Robert Bergeson.

# Cemetery Details

## Lake View Gardens

Okoboji, IA 51355

# Tribute Wall

DB

“ *Doreen and David Bush*



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**David Bush** - April 28, 2025 at 07:32 AM



“ *Small Garden Dish was purchased for the family of Roberta "Bertie" Bergeson.*



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April 23, 2025 at 06:40 PM

BA

“ *So sorry to hear this. Sending thoughts and prayers.*



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**Beverly Atwell** - April 23, 2025 at 04:26 PM

LP

“ *Lori Pfeifer lit a candle in memory of Roberta "Bertie" Bergeson*



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**Lori Pfeifer** - April 23, 2025 at 09:52 AM

LW

“ Love, Wally purchased the Ultimate Golden Ghirardelli Gift Tower for the family of Roberta "Bertie" Bergeson.



Love, Wally - April 22, 2025 at 02:15 PM

AH

“ Art & Mary Hamrick lit a candle in memory of Roberta "Bertie" Bergeson



Art & Mary Hamrick - April 22, 2025 at 10:58 AM

LB

“ Linda Ballah lit a candle in memory of Roberta "Bertie" Bergeson



Linda Ballah - April 21, 2025 at 05:28 PM

BA

“ Bertie was a special part of our Camp Foster Family. She was loved by all who had the good fortune to know and share time with her. Much love to her family Sincerely, Barbara Adams



barbara adams - April 21, 2025 at 02:42 PM

JC

“ I was lucky enough to work with Bertie at YMCA Camp Foster for many summers in the early 1970s! She was a true leader, and anyone lucky enough to follow her was in for some fun! She had a sparkle in her eyes that let anyone know she could also be a bit mischievous! I'm sure when she connects with our camp director, John Adams, Bertie will have “some ‘splaining to do...”  
My sympathies to her family and friends.

Jacquie Criger - April 21, 2025 at 12:11 PM

JB

“ Jodi Bunde lit a candle in memory of Roberta "Bertie" Bergeson



Jodi Bunde - April 21, 2025 at 11:28 AM

JB

“ Jackie Baumgarn lit a candle in memory of Roberta "Bertie" Bergeson



Jackie Baumgarn - April 20, 2025 at 09:12 PM

CV

“ Carmen Vigdal lit a candle in memory of Roberta "Bertie" Bergeson



Carmen Vigdal - April 20, 2025 at 09:12 PM

RL

“ *Robin Leland lit a candle in memory of Roberta "Bertie" Bergeson*



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**Robin Leland** - April 19, 2025 at 06:30 PM

KB

“ *Kris Berning lit a candle in memory of Roberta "Bertie" Bergeson*



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**Kris Berning** - April 19, 2025 at 05:36 PM

DB

*Sorry for your family's loss-Bertie was a wonderful person.*  
*DeAnne Bueltel*

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**DeAnne Bueltel** - April 24, 2025 at 11:52 AM