



Katherine Clare Axton

March 10, 1950 - October 27, 2018

Longtime Siskiyou County resident Katherine C. “Kathy” Axton passed away at home in Etna on October 27, 2018, with her daughters by her side.

Kathy was born on March 10, 1950. She grew up in Callahan, California. Kathy graduated from Etna High School and went on to College Of The Siskiyou’s where she received her Associates Degree. She married her high school sweetheart Bobby Axton.

Early on, Kathy worked as a teller at Scott Valley Bank in Etna and in the office at the Siskiyou Stockyards in Yreka. Taking care of her family was always first and foremost to her. When she wasn’t busy with family, she could be found helping Bobby on the ranch, attending the grand kids’ school activities and sporting events and working in her yard with her flowers.

Kathy is preceded in death by her husband Bobby Axton and her father Richard Hayden Jr. She is survived by her two daughters and son-in-law: Robin and Shane Nelson of Gazelle, and Tracy Axton of Fort Jones; her grandchildren, Cheyanne and Wyatt Nelson; her mother MaryAnn Hayden of Callahan, brother Rick and Cheryl Hayden of Callahan, brother Dan and Lyn Hayden of Quartz Valley, sister Nancy Hayden of Callahan, several nieces, nephews and family.

At Kathy's request, there will be no services. Memorial contributions can be made in her name to Madrone Hospice (255 Collier Circle, Yreka, CA 96097), Scott Valley Scholarships (PO Box 352, Etna, CA 96027), or a charity of one's choice.