



Laurel Jane Montreuil

March 4, 1925 - April 1, 2016

Laurel Jane Montreuil “Lolly” passed away on April 1, 2016 at her Rocking M Ranch in Fort Jones, California.

Laurel was born March 4, 1925 to Orville and Agnes Taylor in Missoula, Montana. She grew up in Missoula pursuing her passion of training her trick horse, Sundance. She was a featured act in rodeos in Montana.

Laurel married Bud Montreuil on November 23, 1949. Bud and Lolly enjoyed rodeoing together and dancing. In 1954 they hooked up their trailer, threw in the horse and headed to Santa Monica, California, where Laurel worked as a telephone operator while Bud worked and went to school to become an electrician.

Laurel and Bud moved to Orange County where they ran their successful business, B-Mont Electric. They had 3 children, Jan, Jeff and Lyn.

Laurel enjoyed watching her kids ride and show horses. She spent hour’s poolside watching her kids in swim team. She had many hobbies including skiing, riding, swimming and waterskiing.

In 1970, Laurel and Bud bought Rocking M Ranch in Fort Jones where Laurel moved permanently after Bud’s death in 1982.

Laurel enjoyed many years at the ranch with her daughters, grandchildren and great grandchildren this past year. Laurel loved riding in the mountains and training her border collies that were imported from Wales.

She was a great lady and was greatly loved by her family. May we all follow in her boot tracks.

Laurel's memorial service will be April 23rd at 2:00 pm at Rocking M Ranch, Fort Jones with potluck to follow, please bring salad or dessert.

Previous Events

Memorial Service

APR **23**. 2:00 PM (PT)

Rocking M Ranch
617 Scott River Road
Fort Jones, CA 96032

Tribute Wall

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“ We were so saddened to hear that Laurel had passed away. Laurel has been our neighbor for the 24 years we have lived in Fort Jones; our property touches each others, not our homes. Laurel was extremely sweet to talk to on the phone. My husband I had often called her when a cow(s) got over into our property. I personally loved having a cow or two come visit, but I was also worried they would get lost up in the forest behind us. Laurel was such a special woman, and we know her friends and family will miss her deeply. Sincerely, Sherri and Tom Corporandy and family xo

Sherri Corporandy - April 20, 2016 at 06:55 PM