



## Janet Lea Spearman

December 28, 1947 - November 15, 2014

Janet Lea Spearman, 66, of Bolivar passed away Saturday, November 15, 2014 at Citizens Memorial Hospital in Bolivar. She was born in Davenport, Iowa to Elmer and Velma Love. Janet was the janitorial supervisor at Iowa Wesleyan College in Mt. Pleasant, Iowa for many years before moving to Bolivar to be near her family. She thoroughly enjoyed the large, annual family re-unions which began to take place after the family was re-united through a featured segment on the Unsolved Mysteries television show. She also enjoyed working jigsaw puzzles and adding to her frog collection which was extensive, with both ceramic and fabric productions. Janet was preceded in death by her parents; son Michael Hines; brothers Dale, Wayne and Raymond Love; and sister Sally Crull. She is survived by long-time companion and caregiver Jim Matteson of Bolivar; sisters Penelope Lewis and Edith Groover of Bolivar; brothers Walter Stradt, Donald Stradt, Richard Stradt, and Edward Love; numerous nieces, nephews, and friends. In keeping with Janet's wishes, no local services are planned. Private family services will take place in Iowa. Online condolences may be submitted at [www.murrayfuneralhomes.com](http://www.murrayfuneralhomes.com).

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“ Janet Lea Spearman

October 05, 2023 at 05:18 AM



“ Janet Lea Spearman

January 26, 2023 at 04:15 PM



“ My deepest condolences to the Spearman family, may you find comfort knowing that Janet is in God's memory and that He will soon cease all death and suffering as promised in Isaiah 25:8.

Elda - December 08, 2014 at 12:00 AM



“ You will be forever in our hearts Aunt Janet!

Jonathan & Melissa Stradt and family - November 17, 2014 at 12:00 AM