



## Patricia M. Boisen

September 1, 1937 - October 21, 2022

Patricia M. Boisen, age 85, of Storm Lake, Iowa died October 21, 2022 at Methodist Manor in Storm Lake.

Memorial services will take place Saturday, November 5, 2022 at 11:00 a.m. at St. John Lutheran Church in Storm Lake. Visitation will be held Friday, November 4, 2022 from 5-7:00 p.m. at the Fratzke & Jensen Funeral Home in Storm Lake. The Fratzke & Jensen Funeral Home in Storm Lake is in charge of arrangements.

Patricia, or "Pat" to her family and friends, was born on September 1, 1937 in Holstein, Iowa to Lawrence and Phyllis (McCrea) Fritz. Pat graduated from Hayes Consolidated High School in 1956.

Pat met her future husband, Carroll Boisen, while roller skating in Storm Lake. Eventually their love blossomed and was consummated on August 10, 1958 at the Methodist church in Storm Lake. In a 1954 Chevy, Pat and Carroll headed to California but ended up in Las Vegas for the honeymoon (Pat loved to gamble!). Pat and Carroll returned to work on the family farm south of Early. After nine years of farm life, Pat and Carroll moved to Storm Lake where they have remained to this day.

Pat and Carroll were blessed with six children: Tim Boisen (Sandy), Traci

Schmitz (Todd), Trudi Haskell (Greg), Troy Boisen (Carrie), Trent Boisen (Tracy), and Tara Boisen. In 1989, Pat was located by her son, Bob Phillips (Helen), who had been adopted by Ellen and Daryl Phillips of Santa Ana, California. Together these children have added 13 grandchildren and eleven great grandchildren that Pat treasured.

With her young family, Pat and Carroll enjoyed gathering for cookouts, picnics, and camping. Family and food were always central to these events. Pat learned the “art of the cinnamon roll” from her mother, Phyllis Fritz, who baked cinnamon rolls for the Lake Shore Cafe. Pat’s baking became popular, and she often shared her treats with friends and family. She loved teaching her children and grandchildren about baking cinnamon rolls and these moments have insured this tradition for generations to come. Pat also enjoyed growing flowers and vegetables, dancing, a good garage sale, casino slots, and fishing.

Pat worked for many years at the Wal-Mart in Storm Lake. She had many great co-workers who became lifelong friends. As a group they would routinely gather at local eateries for food, drinks, and great conversation. Pat and Carroll also enjoyed the companionship of their beloved Yorkie dogs who reigned over their house. Her faith was also very important to her and she was a life-long member of St. John’s Lutheran church.

Her brother, Larry Gene Fritz is left to cherish her memory. She was preceded in death by her parents, Lawrence and Phyllis Fritz, and her brothers, Ron and Kenny Fritz.

# Previous Events

## Visitation

NOV 4. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Fratzke & Jensen Funeral Home - Storm Lake  
1615 W Milwaukee Ave,  
Storm Lake, IA 50588  
(712) 732-1911  
jensenfuneralhomes@gmail.com  
<https://www.fratzkejensen.com>

## Memorial Service

NOV 5. 11:00 AM (CT)

St. John Lutheran Church -- Storm Lake  
402 Lake Ave.  
Storm Lake, IA 50588

# Tribute Wall



“ *Fratzke & Jensen Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Patricia M. Boisen*



**Fratzke & Jensen Funeral Home** - November 02, 2022 at 11:47 AM

FH

“ *2 files added to the tribute wall*



**Fratzke & Jensen Funeral Home** - November 04, 2022 at 06:08 PM

PH

“ *Pam Henderson lit a candle in memory of Patricia Boisen*



**Pam Henderson** - November 02, 2022 at 11:06 AM



“ *Fairest of All was purchased for the family of Patricia M. Boisen.*



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November 02, 2022 at 09:50 AM



“ *A beautiful woman inside and out. Always had a big heart and a devilish smile! I will miss you my friend. I will toast to you and the girls often. I'm sure you will never have a dull moment! Love you!*

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**Mindy Pyle** - October 31, 2022 at 06:42 PM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Patricia M. Boisen.*



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October 31, 2022 at 03:28 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Patricia M. Boisen.*



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October 31, 2022 at 03:23 PM

AL

“ We enjoyed your Mom and Dad at the church south of Early, playing cards with the group (lots of fun times and laughs) Our sympathy,  
*Dick & Arlene LaGrange*

**Arlene LaGrange** - October 30, 2022 at 08:32 AM

SN

“ *Salli J Nichols lit a candle in memory of Patricia M. Boisen*



**Salli J Nichols** - October 28, 2022 at 08:01 AM

NG

“ *nancy clark gordon lit a candle in memory of Patricia Boisen*



**nancy and clark gordon** - October 26, 2022 at 09:14 PM

DY

“ *Dianne Peters and Dina Peters Yarbrough purchased the Cardinal Memorial Garden Stone for the family of Patricia M. Boisen.*



**Dianne Peters and Dina Peters Yarbrough** - October 25, 2022 at 10:34 PM

ML

“ Pat was a good trainer at Walmart for me.  
Showed me the ropes to retail. May she rest  
in peace..



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**Mary Lange** - October 25, 2022 at 06:52 PM

PF

“ Peg Flynn lit a candle in memory of Patricia  
Boisen



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**Peg Harrington Flynn** - October 25, 2022 at 12:32 PM

CI

“ Coleen Imming lit a candle in memory of  
Patricia Boisen



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**Coleen Imming** - October 25, 2022 at 09:08 AM

JO

“ John Grundman, Jen & Dave Olsen purchased  
the Sweet Tranquility Basket for the family of  
Patricia M. Boisen.



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**John Grundman, Jen & Dave Olsen** - October 24, 2022 at  
07:42 PM

JO

“ So terribly sorry for your loss! Pat was such a wonderful friend to my mom and to our entire family. Please know that you are all in our thoughts and prayers.

Jen Olsen - October 24, 2022 at 07:34 PM

PG

“ A CANDLE HAS BEEN LIT IN MEMORY OF PAT BOISEN. MAY SHE RIP. TO ALL HER FAMILY OUR SYMPATHY & PRAYERS.

JOY, PEACE & LOVE, LARY & PATTY GUNVILLE



PATTY GUNVILLE - October 24, 2022 at 04:57 PM

NH

“ So sorry for your loss. Known Pat for along time . Worked at Walmart with her. What a lady.... May she rest in peace.



Nicki Harrington - October 24, 2022 at 11:04 AM

PC

“ Oh, no..... had a very honest conversation with her not long ago in Walmart. She was talking about Paul and how much she loved him. God Bless Pat. Glad I got to know her.

Pegi Cavanaugh - October 24, 2022 at 01:01 AM

CR

“ *Connie Roche lit a candle in memory of  
Patricia M. Boisen*



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**connie roche** - October 23, 2022 at 05:15 PM