

Shirley A. (Schaar) Jorgenson

Shirley A. (Schaar) Jorgenson, 82 of Coolidge, AZ, wife of Richard (Dick) Jorgenson, passed away March 16th, 2021 at her home surrounded by her family

and friends.

Born June 25, 1938 to Melvin and Violet Schaar in Farmington, Wisconsin, she married Richard Jorgenson in April 1957 and moved to Arizona in 1958 where she became a beloved member of the community and raised two children, Tom and Pam.

She was a lay-up operator at Champion Products and Parson Textile plants for many years, then drove a bus for CART in Coolidge helping others get to and from their appointments. No matter where she went or what she was doing, she always had a smile on her face. She loved everyone and everyone loved her. Her favorite things to do were spending time with her family, dancing and having a cold one with whoever was willing to have one with her, watching her hummingbirds and listening to her wind chimes.

She is survived by her husband, Richard, of 64 years; her son, Tom (Debbie) Jorgenson; her daughter, Pam (Mike) Wood; five grandkids, Jamie (Kris) Jorgenson, Candice (Craig) Smith, Josh (Jennifer) Wood, Brandon Wood and Nick (Chandra) Wood; 10 great-grandchildren; 12 great-great-grandchildren; sister, Darlene (Sonny) Cameron; brothers, Richard (Janice) Schaar and Art (Darenda) Schaar; many nieces and nephews; and her fur baby, Lady.

She was preceded in death by her parents.

A Celebration of Life will be held at Tag's Café on April 10, 2021 from 3-6 p.m.

In lieu of flowers, donations can be made to:



Disabled American Veterans, Post #36, P.O. Box 1315, Coolidge, AZ 85128.

