

## Lois Mary Weston

Lois was born January 29, 1929, at Luverne, MN, to Charles and Lillian (Engelking) Leistico. She graduated from high school in 1947 at Worthington, MN. She met Gordon Weston at a drive in movie and the couple was married at Worthington, MN, on February 22, 1950.

She worked at various jobs but raising her five children was her priority. Her house was always a home. She started the "Lunch with Lois" club which still has active chapters in the Twin Cities and Rapid City.

In 1980, the family moved to Nemo where Lois worked as a Postmaster Reserve for the Nemo Post Office. She also worked as a Collegiate Life Underwriter for Prairie State Life and New England Insurance Company in Rapid City. She was also active as a Toastmistress and the Literacy Council of the Black Hills. She was known for her "Bunkhouse Blues" quilts in Nemo. Gordy and Lois enjoyed taking drives in the Black Hills.

Following Gordy's death in 2006, she moved to the Hanson Ranch in 2007 where she enjoyed reading, sewing, music, and her computer. She tried to talk the owners of the Reva Store into installing a car wash. Currently there is still no car wash in Reva.

Lois Mary Weston, 82, Reva, and formerly of Nemo, died Monday, October 24, 2011, at her home.

Survivors include her son, Todd (Robin) Weston, Scandia, MN; daughters, Julie (Keith) Hanson, Reva, SD, Darcy Weston, St. Paul, MN, and Nancy (Mike) McKenzie, Hill City, MN; two brothers, Chuck Leistico, and Roger Leistico, both of Chicago, IL.

Survivors also include five grandchildren, Nicole (Bruce) Altenhofen, Jacklyn (Jeremiah) Panning, Todd (Briann) Weston Jr., MaryJo (Andy) Vickers, and Robert Dynda; and five great grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her parents, her husband, and one son, Jim Weston.

A memorial has been established the Black Hills Literacy Council or South Dakota Public Broadcasting.

Condolences may be sent to the family at [www.kinkadefunerals.com](http://www.kinkadefunerals.com).

*In Loving Memory Of*



*Lois Mary Weston*

*1929 ~ 2011*

*The family invites everyone to a time of fellowship and lunch  
in the church hall immediately following the memorial service.  
We thank you for your presence and condolences.*



***In Loving Memory Of***

*Lois Mary Weston*

***Born***

January 29, 1929  
Laverne, Minnesota

***Died***

October 24, 2011  
Reva, South Dakota

***Memorial Service***

Saturday, October 29, 2011, at 1:00 p.m.  
Nemo Community Church

***Officiating***

Pastor Nick Rombough  
Pastor Henry Mohagen

***Accompanist***

Rosie Seaman

***Congregational Hymns***

"Onward Christian Soldiers"  
"The Old Rugged Cross"

***Inurnment***

Nemo Cemetery

*The clock of life is wound but once  
And no man has the power  
To tell just when the hands will stop  
At late or early hour.  
Now is the only time you have,  
Work, love, play with a will;  
Put no faith in tomorrow – for  
The hands may then be still.*