

Valda M. Gehrt Obituary

Speer – Valda M. Gehrt, 71, of Speer, passed away at 9:23 a.m. Saturday, September 28, 2024, at her home. Born on September 14, 1953, in Peoria, she was the daughter of the late Guy and June (Lowery) Trent. On October 30, 1976, she married Glenn Gehrt; he survives.

Further surviving is a sister-in-law, Judy Trent; niece, Bethanie Trent; nephews, Jason and Rian Trent; brother-in-law, David (Alberta) Gehrt; nephews, David Gehrt, Jr., and Troy Gehrt; and many great nieces and nephews. Also preceding her in death are two siblings, Dan Trent and Carol Trent.

Valda was a secretary for many years for Pierce Community Center and RLI. She was active in dog obedience training and showing. She was a member of the Edelstein Community Church where she had run their youth group. Most of all, Valda enjoyed spending time at home with her animals.

Private services were held. Memorials can be made to Edelstein Community Church. Haskell Funeral and Cremation Services in Princeville is assisting with arrangements. To leave condolences for Valda's family please visit www.haskellfuneral.com.