



Betty "Joanie" Cole

September 2, 2009

Betty "Joanie" Cole, age 61, of Versailles, passed away Wednesday, September 2, 2009, at her home. She was born February 4, 1948, in Cleveland, Ohio, the daughter of the late John Thomas and Evelyn Elizabeth Norris Cole.

Joanie owned and operated a yarn shop in the state of California for many years. She loved to dance, listen to music, and sing, and enjoyed spending time with her grandchildren.

She is survived by her son, Clinton Sean Hobbs of Roundup, Montana; two daughters, Stacy Schumacher and Joan Marie Brey and husband Johnnie both of Versailles; seven grandchildren; three great-grandchildren; one brother, Jeff Montgomery of Bluemont, Virginia; one sister, Reta Cole of Roundup, Montana; and many other relatives and friends.

Her body was donated to the Kirksville School of Medicine for medical research. A memorial service will be held at a later date. Expressions of sympathy may be left online at www.kidwellgarber.com. Arrangements are under the direction of the Kidwell-Garber Funeral Home of Versailles.