

## Obituary

### Thelma Rossi, 81



Thelma Rossi, 81, of Pocatello, formerly of Pingree, Idaho passed away Tuesday, July 20, 2010 at Portneuf Rehab in Pocatello.

She was born August 15, 1928 in American Falls, Idaho the daughter of Dan and Anna Hoffer Brantner. She spent her childhood in Aberdeen, Springfield and Pingree area.

Thelma attended school through the 8<sup>th</sup> grade and got her GED in 1970.

On November 15, 1944 she married Joe Rossi in Pocatello, Idaho. They were later divorced, but remained friends.

Thelma and Joe ran a family business together, and she also made and sold handmade sweaters to Nordstrom's Department Store in Seattle, Washington.

She enjoyed machine knitting and crocheting.

Thelma is survived by daughters, Diane (Jerry) Hall of Lava Hot Springs, Idaho, Deon Rossi of Lake Bay, Washington, Debra Adams of LaGrande, Oregon; son, Darrell (Cathy) of Cornelius, Oregon; sister, Helen (Jay) Stone of Quartsite, Arizona; ten grandchildren; and ten great grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Joe and daughter, Dorothy Rossi Kenley; son-in-law, Jeff Adams; grandson, David Adams; three sisters, Dorothy Brantner, Ruth Howard and Delores Bare; brother, Robert Brantner; and her parents.

Cremation services are under the direction of Hawker Funeral Home, 132 S. Shilling Avenue in Blackfoot. Private family services will be held at a later date.

Condolences may be sent to the family at [condolences@hawkerfuneralhome.com](mailto:condolences@hawkerfuneralhome.com).