

Mary Margaret Engle

July 31, 1933– September 8, 2008

Mary Margaret Engle died Monday September 8, 2008 at Davis Hospice Center of Cheyenne. She was born July 31, 1933 in Indianapolis Indiana to Forry Eugene Engle and Mary Eliza Helvey who preceded her in death.

Mary led a life full of adventure. As a youth, she sang with Pee Wee King and his Golden West Cowboys. She loved music of all kinds and had a passion for reading books. Early in her adult life she worked with special needs students as a volunteer teaching them to read. She cared about the earth and animals both wild and domestic. She also enjoyed writing. She wrote poetry, fiction, biographical non fiction and self help books. She longed for a time when poverty and violence were a thing of the past. She was an ordained minister. She loved her siblings, children and grandchildren very much.

She is survived by her sister, Victoria Kaestner (Rick) of Crestwood KY, brother Richard Engle (Betty)

of Louisville KY, sons, Honorable Mark McDonald (Susie), Charles McDonald both of Wheatland WY, Phillip McDonald (Julie) of Ogden UT, daughters, Kimberly McDonald of Logan UT, and Mary Gil of Cheyenne WY (John Goens of Minneapolis MN). Nine grandchildren, Nina (Jon) of Byers CO, Michael (Cassandra) of Wheatland WY, Richard of Denver CO, Kyle (Jackie) of Scottsbluff NE, Shai (Lauren) of Logan UT, Brandon of Logan UT, Giovanni (Leeann) of Cheyenne WY, Ian and Sara of Ogden UT, and a great grandson Emery, numerous cousins, nieces, nephews and adopted extended family.

No public services will be held. Cremation is being handled by Schrader Funeral Home of Cheyenne. Interment will be in the Wheatland Cemetery. In lieu of flowers, the family asks that donations be made in her name to either the local dialysis fund or the World Wildlife Fund.