

Mother of 1971 James, 1973 Lynn, 1974 Joseph; Axel "Rusty" ROSEN LUND  
Aunt of Robert '56, Delores '59, Linda '63, Larry '66, Donald '72 JACOBS,  
Sister of Theresa '46 and Norma '55, Barbara '58, Patricia '53, Cecelia GRIBNAU

# **Alice Virginia (GRIBNAU '51) ROSEN LUND, 1933 ~ 2010**

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Alice Virginia (GRIBNAU) ROSEN LUND, age 76, was born 25 Feb 1933, in Post Falls ID to Frank and Eugenia (FRIEDT) GRIBNAU. At a young age her family moved to Coeur d'Alene where she grew up and graduated from IHM High School in 1951. She later married Floyd ROSEN LUND, her husband of 56 years.

For many years she and Floyd owned the Tower Inn and later the Lakers Inn taverns. It was there that she advised and guided many people through life especially those that called her mother. She was a good friend to everyone that came in and shared her hospitality. Many have commented how she helped them at some point in their lives move through troubled times or was simply a friend when they needed one. She was also known for her beautiful yard that was constantly in bloom. In the spring the rhododendrons and azaleas were spectacular and worth a detour to see. Her love of her garden helped make her an expert on plant varieties and garden pests which she put to use advising her friends or when she worked at Duncan's gardens.

She also enjoyed collecting antiques and porcelain that she would find at estate and yard sales. Alice was not afraid to try anything and would throw herself into her efforts by learning and experimenting with her new subject. She did this with painting landscapes and showed that she had an eye for color and proportion.

She is survived by her husband, Floyd and four children and their spouses, Axel (Rusty) ROSEN LUND, Jim '71 and Theresa ROSEN LUND (Cd'A), Lynn ('74 ROSEN LUND) IVERSON, Joe '74 and Sarah ROSEN LUND (Boise); grandchildren Kelly Van DEWERKER, Shaun WILCOX, Joe IVERSON, Jenevra WATKINS, Adam ROSEN LUND and Jamie HOLLISTER; great-grandchildren Donovan IVERSON and Antonio WATKINS; her sisters, Cecilia (GRIBNAU) JACOBS, Helen La BELLE, Theresa (GRIBNAU '46) HOUCK, Patricia SALE, Norma (GRIBNAU '55) WOOCK and Barbara HIPPLER.

She was preceded in death by her parents, grandson William WILCOX, great-granddaughter Arriana Rose WATKINS, brothers Bill, Ed, Pius and Adam GRIBNAU and sister Elizabeth Marie (1925~1939) GRIBNAU.

HUSBAND'S OBITUARY: [IHMAcademy.com/obits/FloydROSEN LUND-obit.pdf](http://IHMAcademy.com/obits/FloydROSEN LUND-obit.pdf)

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