Patricia M. Malay

May 9, 1928 — August 30, 2011

Patricia (Pat) Malay died Tuesday, Aug. 30, 2011, after saying good bye to her kids, who were with her during her final journey. She asked us to say “so long” to all her good friends and to let them know they added so much to her life. She especially wanted to say thank you to her Tuesday and Thursday friends for always taking time to visit her. She wanted her brothers and sisters to know they were the best and she was very happy they were part of her life.

Pat was preceded in death by her husband, Gene; and grandson, Joshua Malay (Tom’s son). She leaves behind six children, Patricia Malay Somerville; Roxanne Anderson (husband Louis and children Michelle and Joseph Ellenz); Thomas (wife Elaine and son Sean); Mark (wife Vicki and children Allison, Lucas and Colin); Sean (wife Deb and sons Tyler and Dillon); and, Jackie (partner Becky Herrmann). Her family is grateful for the many gifts she and Gene gave them, especially for sharing the music and teaching them to dance through all life has to deliver.

Those who knew Pat know she was not one to attend church and preferred to “go direct,” as she would tell anyone who asked about church, so there will be no funeral. She also requested there be no wake. Her family will honor her wishes.

For those wishing to do something in Pat’s memory, the family suggests a donation to their favorite charity.

Words of sympathy or remembrance may be left at www.fawcett-junkerfuneralhome.com. Services entrusted to Fawcett-Junker Funeral Home and Cremation Services, Winona