

JoAnn Marie Book, 59 *Peters*

Nov. 9, 1941 – Sept. 29, 2001

CANTONMENT, FL – JoAnn Marie Book was born Nov. 9, 1941, in Harlan, daughter of Edmund C. Book and Cora H. Loveland-Book. She attended Park School, St. Michael's Catholic School and Harlan High School. She was baptized and confirmed at St. Michael's Church.

She resided in Crescent, and retired at age 55 years from Lozier Company in Omaha, NE, and relocated in Cantonment, FL with her husband, Jim Peters. Diagnosed with lung cancer in November, 2000, and after a year-long battle with the disease, she died Sept. 29, 2001, at age 59.

She was preceded in death by her mother, Cora Book-Jones; stepmother, Josephine Book; and grandparents, Arthur J. and Lena Book of Harlan. She is survived by her husband, James of Cantonment, FL; children, Christina (Robert) Hassenbrock, Ventura, CA; Brenda LeFevre, Evanston, WY; Charlotte (Tony) Ruiz, Omaha, NE; stepsons, Joel and Jerry Peters, and stepdaughter, Judi Basch; 10 grandchildren, 23 great grandchildren; her father, Edmund C. Book, Mission, TX; brothers, Sonny Book (Eddie Jr.), Cantonment, FL; Larry Book, Cantonment, FL; Jim Book, Cantonment, FL, and sister, Judy Book-Coderre, Anaheim, CA; nieces, nephews and other relatives.

The family gathered for a private memorial service Oct. 13, 2001, and spread her ashes in the Gulf off the coast of Pensacola, FL.