Her Legacy...Loretta was born in Middlesboro, Kentucky. She was a long time resident of Gridley having worked as a waitress at Jerry's Restaurant, now known as Black Bear. She enjoyed sewing, fishing, yard sales and spending time with her family. She was a member of the Loyal Order of Moose, Gridley 1594.

Her Family...Loretta is survived by her loving husband, Carl Ferguson; 3 sons: Gene (Connie) Hurst, Don (Cathy) McFarland and Marc McFarland; and 1 daughter, Rhonda (Tony) Willis; one step-son, Carl W. Ferguson and 1 step-daughter, Cynthia Van Buren. She is also survived by 1 brother, 2 sisters, eight grandchildren and numerous great-grandchildren and great-great-grandchildren.

Her Farewell Service ...A Graveside Service will be held Thursday, September 29, 2011 at 10:00 A.M. at Gridley-Biggs Cemetery. A Visitation will be held Wednesday, September 28, 2011 from 5:00 to 8:00 P.M. at Gridley-Block Funeral Chapel. Contributions to Butte Home Health Hospice are suggested by the family. Arrangements are entrusted to Gridley-Block Funeral Chapel - 530-846-2138