Karen Elaine Watson

Her Legacy... Karen was born to Jack & Beatrice Watson on October 9, 1945, at The Stork Retreat, in Gridley. Karen was the granddaughter of long time Gridley residents Perry & Rhoda Watson. Karen was a long time Gridley resident; and teacher at Gridley Union High School for 35 years. She was always active in sports, exercise and backpacking. She was impacted by ALS after her retirement from teaching. Karen enjoyed traveling and spending time with her brother, Doug and her many friends.

Her Family...Karen is survived by her brother, Doug Watson of Portland, Oregon; and her many dear friends who included teachers and former students.

Her Farewell Service ...A Celebration of Life Service will be held Saturday, July 24, 2010 at 10:00 A.M. at the First Presbyterian Church, 446 Kentucky Street, Gridley. Friends are welcome to bring flowers from their garden, pictures, and mementos of their friendship with Karen to the church. Friends who wish may choose to make a donation to ALS or another favorite charity in Karen’s name. Arrangements are entrusted to Gridley-Block Funeral Chapel.