



A Fond Farewell



“Some memories are realities, and are better than anything that can ever happen to one again.”

~Willa Cather



Laurie Wagner Buyer Jameson

Member

August 21, 1954 – July 6, 2021



Laurie Wagner Buyer Jameson passed away in Llano, Texas under the tender ministrations of her beloved husband W.C. Jameson, assisted by hospice.

She joined Women Writing the West in 1997 and continued to develop her highly skilled ability to paint pictures in each reader's imagination through her memoir, poetry, and stories.

An accomplished author and editor, she was a Spur Award winner, received a Beryl Markham Award for Creative Nonfiction, and was also a WILLA Finalist. Her works include:

Poetry

1996 Glass-Eyed Paint in the Rain
1999 Red Colt Canyon
2006 Across the High Divide
2009 Infinite Possibilities: A Haiku Journal
2010 Accidental Voices
2011 Cinch Up Your Saddle and Ride

Memoir/Narrative Nonfiction

2005 Side Canyons
2008 Spring's Edge: A Ranch Wife's Chronicles
2010 When I Came West
2013 Rough Breaks: A Wyoming High Country Memoir
2020 Angel Child (writing as Laurie Gail Wagner, in a limited edition)
2011 An Elevated View: Colorado Writers on Writing (an anthology edited by her husband W.C.)

Novels

2012 Beautiful Snare
2013 Belle Fontaine
2021 Restless Spirit, Rebellious Heart
2021 Divided Spiral.

Laurie requested no obituary or memorial service. She wanted only to be remembered as a friend and author, wishing continued joy and progress to all who knew her.

Her enthusiasm for writing and her kindness to others will be long remembered. She leaves behind many close friends and family who will miss her dearly.

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