## **O**BITUARIES

## Dixie Lee (Donald) Allie, 56

Dixie Lee (Donald) Allen, 56, of Las Vegas, Nevada, lost her seven-year battle with ovarian cancer on Wednesday, Jan. 29, 2003. Dixie was born Nov. 29, 1946, to Ardys and Carolyn Donald. She graduated from Seymour High School and attended Kirksville State Teacher's College. She worked as a legal secretary in Des Moines before her marriage.

In December 1967, she married John Allie from Colo, at the Seymour United Methodist Church. To this union, two daughters were born, Marci and Kimberlee.



After a short time in Denver, CO, Dixie and family returned to Seymour. She started her own real estate and insurance agency, Seymour Realty. She was also involved in many community projects and enjoyed singing in the Seymour United Methodist Church choir.

The P.E.O. Sisterhood was a very important part of her life. She was initiated in April 1978 to Chapter DM, Seymour. She served as President for two terms and demitted to Chapter AH, Las Vegas, Nevada, in 1989, and served

as President as well as other offices.

In 1989, John and Dixie moved to Las Vegas. She started her career with Boyd Gaming Corporation as Executive Secretary; moving up through several positions to become the Director of Human Resources Administration.

Music was a favorite part of her life. She sang with the Southern Nevada Musical Arts Society and a member of the Green Valley United Methodist Church Choir. She enjoyed traveling to spend time with her grandsons and was always ready to try something new.

She is survived by her husband, John of Las Vegas, two daughters Marci Rockhold and husband, Todd, and their sons Alex and Elijah of Wichita Falls, TX, and Sines and Kimberlee husband, Wyatt, and son Zachary Henderson, NV. Also surviving are her parents, Ardys and Carolyn Donald of Henderson, NV; sister Berner family and Highland Ranch, CO; and brother Randy Donald and family Henderson, NV, and many other relatives and friends.

Memorial services were held at the United Methodist Church at Henderson, on Saturday, Feb. 1. Messages of condolences may be sent to: John Allie family, 7401 Picardie Lane, Las Vegas, NV 89123.