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Mary L. Martin

Died Aug. 11, 2002

Mary L. (Renie) Martin, 69, of Omaha and formerly of Nevada, died Aug. 11.

She was a homemaker, an active member of St. Patrick's Catholic Church in Nevada, the Nevada Literature Club, a bridge player, Brookstone Residence Council chairman, advocate lobbying for the American College of Rheumatology for research funds by testifying before congress, led campaign for greater wheelchair accessibility at North Grand Mall, Eucharistic minister assistant at Brookstone Retirement Community, Memory Support volunteer and visitor at Brookstone. She enjoyed fishing.

Survivors include a son, James Martin of St. Paul, Minn.; four daughters, Paula (and Leland) Wenberg of Omaha, Neb., Barbara Martin of Portland, Ore., Susan Martin of Jefferson and Michelle Martin of Dallas, Texas; four grandchildren; a brother, Stephen Heywood of Taiwan; and four sisters, Janice Lewis of Ames, Kay Olson of Waverly, Margo Hanna of Oklahoma City and Ellen Heywood of Iowa City.

Memorial services were held Sept. 27 at St. Patrick's Catholic Church in Nevada. Memorials may be made to the church or the Nevada Public Library.

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