



## Dianne Blackwell Croan

July 3, 1933 - August 12, 2021

Dianne Blackwell Croan was born in Portland to Grace Nichols and William (Bill) Blackwell on July 3, 1933. Her mother called her "My little firecracker."

Dianne lived her life in Portland, Happy Valley, and Amity, Oregon. She was the champion of all furry creatures.

She married Tom Croan in 1974, and he preceded her in death in 1998. Later in life Dianne reconnected with Frank Wiser who became her soulmate. He preceded her in death in 2005.

Dianne is survived by her sisters Dolores Albee of Rockaway Beach, Lucille Beighley of Portland, son Michael (Christina) of Oregon City, grandson Brent of Tigard, Blake (Michael) of San Francisco, and granddaughter Alexis (Keith) of Burley, ID, along with nieces and nephews.

The only thing Dianne loved more than all creatures great and small was family, friends and especially her grandchildren. Nobody looked more forward to the arrival of her first great grandson than her.

No service is planned because she cared about the safety of everyone. The family requests that remembrances be sent to your local county animal shelter or Esther's Pantry her favorite charity.

# Tribute Wall



“ *Dianne Blackwell Croan*

January 28, 2023 at 02:51 PM

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“ *Yamhill Carlton Pioneer Cemetery*



**Mike Blackwell** - August 30, 2021 at 04:02 PM

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“ *I miss her already. She was my friend for 67 yrs. The last several year's we spoke at least once a day by phone. She shared the joy of my 2 great- granddaughter's who live with me to the point of being called Grandma Dianne and talking to them. Was so proud of her Grandchildren ,Brent,/Summer, Blake ,and Alexis.Was excited for the New Great-grandchild that's expected. Dianne experienced much in her 88 yrs. There was Never a dull moment. She was the Best Friend a Person could have . I will miss her dearly.*

*RIP .My Beautiful Friend. 💕🙏💕🙏💕🙏🙏🙏🙏🙏🙏🙏🙏*

*Condolences to all her Family & Other Friend's Much Love. Chris Taylor. ❤️🙏❤️*

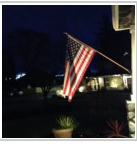
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**Christina Sabrowski,Taylor** - August 21, 2021 at 07:22 PM

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“ *I loved Dianne. Worked for her and was a delight just talking to. She and Tom supported my girls with whatever they might have needed growing up. Talked to her almost everyday these last years. She will be dearly missed.*

**Denise Borgman** - August 21, 2021 at 05:29 PM



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**Mike Blackwell** - August 20, 2021 at 07:33 PM



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**Hillside Chapel** - August 20, 2021 at 06:31 PM