

Pat Bennett

8/23/1933 to 4/23/1916

Pat grew up in Wyoming. She developed an early life-long interest in outdoor activities and business through family activities. Skiing held a special interest. Pat earned a degree in Physical Education and Recreation at the University of Wyoming and moved to California through a graduate teaching fellowship at Mills College in Oakland. Part of her responsibilities included chaperoning weekend ski trips to Sugar Bowl.

After her Masters Degree Pat moved to Campbell and served as a Physical Education teacher and then several years as Dean of Girls. Working with troubled teens and families led her to pursue a doctorate in counseling and psychology. This was completed at the University of Wyoming.

Pat returned to the college level at West Valley College. She served as a counselor/instructor, Dean of Counseling and Special Student Services, an Instructional Dean, and finally as Dean of Human Resources. After these varied experiences she retired but continued to work part time as a management representative in collective bargaining.

Throughout her life Pat has continued to enjoy sports, music, travel, photography and investment. She returns to Wyoming each summer to enjoy a family cabin high in the Snowy Range. Pat has been a member of various SRC committees and has served as Vice-President of the Residents Council and Chair of the Finance Committee.

Pat is now living in Assisted Living.