



Ruth Elizabeth Bennett

April 17, 1937 - December 1, 2017

Ruth E. Bennett, 80, a Wenatchee area resident for over 60 years, passed away on Friday, December 1, 2017 at Central Washington Hospital.

She was born on April 17, 1937 at Spearfish, South Dakota to the late Walter J. and Alice A. (Morden) Dorsett. As a young child, she moved with her family to the northwest and they made several brief moves that included Deer Park, Quincy and Chelan. She attended Jr. high and high school in Chelan. They moved to Wenatchee and she went to work at Dusty's Drive Inn. She met and was later married to Charles D. "Chuck" Bennett on June 6, 1954 in Wenatchee. They made their first home briefly in East Wenatchee before moving to the Baker Flats area in the early 1960's. They remained in Baker Flats until moving back to East Wenatchee in 1971. Ruth went to work as a Custodian cleaning the Wenatchee Valley College Dormitories and also cleaned personal homes as well. She later cleaned the Wenatchee Eye and Ear Medical Clinic. They continued to make their home in East Wenatchee. On August 4, 2011, she was preceded in death by her husband of over 57 years, Charles D. "Chuck" Bennett.

Ruth was a member of the Valley View Seventh-day Adventist Church in East Wenatchee. In her younger years, she was an avid softball and racquetball player. She enjoyed bowling was a Mariners baseball fan and a Master Nintendo game player. She loved to travel to and watch her children and especially her grandchildren play sports. She was an amazing crafter and delved into all forms. She was also accomplished at drawing, painting and

knitting. She liked shopping on the QVC channel.

She is survived by four children and their spouses; Teresa & Steve Cox, Goldendale, Alice & Bruce Dawson, Waterville, Cynthia "Cindy" Mitchell, East Wenatchee, Charles & Paula Bennett, Wenatchee; her sister, Pricilla Joy Grissom, East Wenatchee; 11 grandchildren, 20 great grandchildren and two twin great great granddaughters. She was preceded in death by her husband, two brothers, Jack and William "Bill" Dorsett and a sister, Alice Dorsett.

A Commemoration service will be held on Friday, December 8th at 11:00 a.m. at the Valley View Seventh-day Adventist Church, East Wenatchee, with Pastor Joe Savino officiating. A concluding service and the Entombment will follow in Evergreen Memorial Park. Visitation will be at Heritage Memorial Chapel on Thursday from 2 to 7 p.m. You are invited to visit her tribute online at www.HeritageMemorialChapel.com and leave a memory for the family. Arrangements are in the care of Heritage Memorial Chapel, East Wenatchee.

Tribute Wall

JG

“ I am so sorry to hear of GMA Ruth's passing. I have many many memories with her in them. Whether it was because Angie and I were in town and had no money and were hungry or we needed to get ready before hitting the town. From our HS sporting events or I was just tagging with Angie on another family event at the Bennett household, she always welcomed me with open arms. She was a good woman with a kind heart and I know she will be missed dearly. May her family take comfort in the memories and love she shared with so many. ❤️ Love you guys!

Jessica Gray - December 05, 2017 at 03:51 PM

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“ We are so sorry for your loss. Aunt Ruth loved her family and her sports! She will be missed. We have been thinking of all of you and keeping you in our thoughts and prayers.
~Deb & Ron Walter and family

debbie Walter - December 05, 2017 at 01:42 AM

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“ Ruth's family: I'm so sorry for your loss. I went through a similar situation and I was very helped by the hope that I found in the Bible in John 5:28, which says, "Do not amazed at this, for the hour is coming in which all those in the memorial tombs will hear his voice and come out". I am sending you a link with more information on this hope.

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Adalberto Sanchez - December 02, 2017 at 07:38 AM