



Shirley E. Reents

January 29, 1915 - April 14, 2010

Shirley A. Reents, 95, a five year Wenatchee resident and former 57 year Lakewood, California resident, passed away Wednesday morning, April 14, 2010 at Souve Adult Family Home in Wenatchee.

She was born on January 29, 1915 at De Smet, South Dakota the daughter of the late John and Selma Mary (Stockmo) Peterson. She was raised and educated in South Dakota prior to moving to Minneapolis, Minnesota as a young adult. She met Otto H. Reents while working as a Waitress and they were later married in the Bethany Presbyterian Church in Minneapolis. They made their home in Minneapolis prior to moving to South Dakota to farm. They later returned to Minneapolis to make their home until moving to Lakewood, California in 1953.

In the late 1950's, Shirley went to work as a Sales Lady at Mays Company in Lakewood. She worked through the late 1960's.

They continued to make their home together in Lakewood, California, where, in 2001, her husband, Otto H. Reents preceded her in death. In February of 2005, she moved to Wenatchee, where she has since made her home.

She is survived by one son and daughter-in-law, Allan O. & Sharon Reents, Canyon Lake, CA; two daughters and sons-in-law, Judith "Judy" & William VanVleet Jr., Everson, WA and Barbara Jean and Gary Bambrook, Fullerton, CA; four grandchildren, Shaun Marie (Roger) Souve, Wenatchee, Victoria (Michael) Nickelberry, Garott (Nicole) Reents, Long Beach, CA, Anaheim, CA , Tonja Bambrook, Norco, CA; eight great grandchildren and one great great

grandson. She was preceded in death by her parents and her husband, Otto H. Reents in 2001.

Inurnment services will be held at a later date in Forest Lawn Memorial Park at Cypress, California. Arrangements are in the care of Heritage Memorial Chapel, East Wenatchee.

Tribute Wall

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“ God saw you getting tired and a cure was not to be. So He put His arms around you and whispered "come to me." With tearful eyes we watched you, and saw you pass away. Although we loved you dearly, we could not make you stay. A golden heart stopped beating, hardworking hands at rest. God broke our hearts to prove to us, He only takes the best.

Please accept my heartfelt sympathy on the passing of your Mother.

Love, Cathy

Cathy Clary - April 16, 2010 at 09:42 AM

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“ May you take comfort in knowing an angel is watching over you

Cathy Clary - April 16, 2010 at 09:34 AM