



Thelma Nielsen

September 20, 1921 - October 14, 2017

Thelma Dawn Nielsen, 96, a resident of Moses Lake since 1953 passed away Saturday, October 14, 2017 at Brookdale Hearthstone, her family at her side. Graveside services will be held at 2 p.m., Thursday, October 19th at Pioneer Memorial Gardens.

Thelma was born on September 20, 1921 in Salt Lake City, Utah, daughter of George and Florence Charles. She was married to Sheldon Nielsen on June 30, 1943 in Salt Lake City. They relocated to Ephriam, Utah and then to Centerfield, Utah where he began a long career with U & I Sugar company. He transferred to Moses Lake in 1953 and they continued to live in Moses Lake after retirement. Thelma also worked for a time at Sugar Company as a bacteriologist. Thelma was active in the LDS church, serving in a variety of callings from Primary to Jr. Sunday School to Relief Society President. Along with Sheldon, she served a mission for local employment. Thelma was a member of the 10th Ward at the Stake Center. She loved to read and spend time with her family. Survivors include one son, John (Dana) Nielsen; one daughter, Judy Hooper; grandchildren, Sandra, Lisa, Rebecca, Sean, Darrin and Sherri; fifteen great grandchildren. Besides her parents, she was preceded in death by her husband, Sheldon in 2003.

Cemetery Details

Pioneer Memorial Gardens

14403 Rd. 2 Ne
Moses Lake, WA

Previous Events

Service

OCT **19**. 2:00 PM (PT)

Pioneer Memorial Gardens
14404 Rd. 2 N.E.
Moses Lake, WA

Tribute Wall

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“ *Wendy S. lit a candle in memory of Thelma Nielsen*



Wendy S. - October 15, 2017 at 12:16 AM