



Beatrice Mae Smith

May 6, 1926 - June 15, 2016

Beatrice Mae Wright (Carter) Smith

Wenatchee, WA

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Bea peacefully went to be with her personal Savior and Lord June 15, 2016.

She

realized she was a sinner and needed a savior when she was nine. She knew good

works would not get her to a perfect heaven with God and trusted in the death and resurrection of Jesus Christ to take her sin and declare her perfect before God. Today, she is enjoying eternal life in heaven. She was born in Skowhegan, ME in 1926; graduated from high school in Pittsfield, ME; and attended college in the east and finished at Whitworth to get her teaching degree, followed by graduate work at CWU. She taught in the Kentucky Mts., Maine, Cashmere, WA and retired after many years of teaching at Grant Elementary School in East Wenatchee, WA. Then, she taught three years in Christian Schools in CA. In addition, as long as she was able, she was involved in church in some capacity, often teaching. Most recently, she was a member of Calvary Bible Church. She loved learning and teaching.

Beatrice married Herschel Carter in Cashmere, WA in 1955. They had two daughters. Mr. Carter died in 1980. In 1992, she married Lauriston Smith in Front Royal, VA. Mr. Smith died in 2004 and Bea moved back to Wenatchee later that year.

She is survived by her two daughters, Heidi Mood (Steve) of Fullerton, CA and

Lois Carter Fraticelli (Roy) of E. Wenatchee, WA; three grandsons: Jonathan Mood, Benjamin Mood and Aaron Mood (Rachel); three step-children: Leota Elliott, Wayne Smith and Paul Smith and their families. She was preceded in death by husband, parents, a sister and a stepson.

The family would like to thank all those at Colonial Vista who cared for Bea.

A Memorial Service will be held at Telford's Chapel of the Valley on Friday, June 24, 2016 at 2:30 p.m. Viewing will be held Friday, June 24, 2016 from 10:00 a.m. to noon, with private interment at Evergreen Memorial Park. In lieu of flowers gifts can be made to Every Home for Christ. Arrangements are by Telford's Chapel of the Valley, East Wenatchee, WA.

Tribute Wall

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“ Dear Heidi and Lois,

I have vivid memories of your mother as my third-grade teacher at Vale Elementary School, Cashmere, 1959. She set high standards. We memorized our multiplication tables up to 12 x 12. I worried myself over my "first science assignment." Your mother knew how to run a classroom.

I was surprised, yet heart-warmed, to "discover" her whereabouts and read of her life, sad as this day may be, since I had lost track of her, and I didn't know she had remarried with a last name of Smith (and on the East Coast).

Warm Sympathies to you both and your families.

A private letter follows.

Ann Coulthard - June 22, 2016 at 09:55 PM