



## Clara Paul

December 27, 1931 - May 13, 2023

Clara Paul passed away peacefully in East Wenatchee on May 13, 2023, surrounded by her family. She was born in Trail BC on December 27th 1931 to Frank and Sarah (Schleppe) Oser. Frank immigrated to Canada from Baden, Germany and Sarah emigrated from Tobolsk, Russia.

Clara, her parents and her sister Eda moved to Osoyoos BC Canada in 1941 where they had purchased an orchard, just as World War II broke out. After high school Clara worked in the packing house and various jobs. Being border kids Clara met and married her husband Clyde Paul from Oroville, Washington on September 22, 1956.

They moved to the Methow Valley where Clyde worked for the Winthrop Ranger District and Clara was a homemaker. They raised their three children. Clinton (Regina), Charlene (Jeff) and Chris (Kristy). Clara grew up working on her family's orchard and she continued working picking apples in the fall for a little extra spending money throughout her life. Clara always had a big garden and did lots of canning and pickling.

After the kids were raised she went to work for the Methow Valley school district. Clara loved sewing and made dozens of quilts and Seahawks pot holders. She could spruce up any knick knack with something that she would sew up for it.

After Clyde's retirement in 1982 they moved back to Oroville to care for their parents. They eventually moved to the Wenatchee Valley. Clara has 5 grandchildren and 2 great grandchildren.

Clara was preceded in death by her father Frank, mother Sarah, husband Clyde, and her daughter in law Regina.

Arrangements by Chapel of the Valley, East Wenatchee.

# Previous Events

## Funeral

MAY **29**. 11:00 AM (PT)

St Joseph Catholic Church  
625 S Elliott Ave  
Wenatchee, WA 98801  
(509) 662-4569  
<http://www.stjosephwen.org/>

# Tribute Wall



“ Clara was a neighbor and friend of mine (Sandra Hogan)She was a hoot and lot of fun. May she rest in peace.

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**Sandra Hogan** - November 21, 2023 at 03:17 PM