



Dixie Mae Nelson

July 19, 1934 - December 22, 2011

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Rock Island, WA

Dixie Mae Nelson entered into rest on December 22, 2011, at her home in Rock Island, WA. She was surrounded by family and friends. Born in Wenatchee, WA on July 19, 1934, Dixie attended school in East Wenatchee and was married to Vincent Nelson on June 19, 1953. She was a loving wife to Vincent for 57 years, and the mother of two sons, Tom and Terry. Living in Rock Island for 77 years, Dixie was a homemaker and was involved in the community. She was an active member in her church and loved singing in the choir. She also loved camping, fishing, sewing, and had a passion for gardening. She will be remembered for her friendly nature and contagious smile.

Dixie was preceded in death by her husband, Vincent Nelson, in 2010. She is survived by two sons, Thomas V. Nelson of Bonney Lake, WA and Terry W. Nelson of Puyallup, WA; one granddaughter, Emilie Mae Nelson and one great-granddaughter, Maelie Cheyanne Nelson, both of Sumner, WA.

The family would like to express their gratitude to her church family, friends and medical staff, for their continued care and ongoing support.

Funeral Services will be held Thursday, December 29, 2011, at 1:30 p.m., at Bethel Baptist Church, located at 1354 Eastmont Avenue, East Wenatchee. Pastor John Sterk will be officiating. Visitation will be held Wednesday, December 28, 2011, from 3:00 to 6:00 p.m. and Thursday, December 29, 2011, from 9:00 a.m. to Noon at the funeral home. Graveside Services will conclude at Wenatchee City Cemetery, followed by a luncheon at Bethel Baptist Church. Please sign the guest book or leave a note for the family at www.telfordschapel.com. Arrangements by Telford's Chapel of the Valley, East Wenatchee.