



Ella Marie Ellison

July 20, 1921 - May 14, 2016

Ella Marie "Rea" Ellison

Wenatchee, WA

Ella passed away peacefully from Alzheimer's disease on Saturday, May 14, 2016

at Blossom Creek Memory Care in Wenatchee. She has known the Lord all her life

and is resting peacefully in His arms. She was born in Walla Walla, on July 20, 1921 to Sibyl and William Richard Earley. She spent her early childhood in Walla Walla. Later, she moved with her family to Chelan. She graduated from Chelan High School in 1939. Later, she met Ralph Richard Ellison and they were

married in 1945. They raised three children; Jackke, Deborah and Ralph Richard

Jr. She spent her early adult life at Manson Growers Packing Fruit. She also went to Kinman Business University. She was an avid bridge player. She attended Calvary Crossroads Church. She and her family moved to Wenatchee in

1959. Later, she worked at the Department of Labor and Industries and Vision Menagerie. She and her husband divorced in 1964.

Ella is survived by her daughter, Jackke (Gary) Nelson and son, Ralph Richard

Ellison, Jr. She is also survived her grandchildren: Julie Nelson, Kevin (Shelly) Nelson, Bryan (Tania) Nelson, Doug (Bridgett) Nelson, Matt (Sarah) Nelson and Amanda (Jon) Nelson-Geruntho, her great-grandchildren: Jake, Josephine, Parker, Autumn, Jacob, Mikah, Ryan and Jason and two nephews. She

was preceded in death by her parents, brother, William Richard Earley and daughter, Deborah.

A graveside service will be held on Monday, May 23, 2016 at 1:30 p.m. at Evergreen Memorial Park. Memorial donations may be made to Friedreich's Ataxia. Arrangements are by Telford's Chapel of the Valley, East Wenatchee.