



Margaret Christina Wagoner

March 30, 1912 - May 5, 2009

Margaret Christina Wagoner, beloved mother, grandmother and great-grandmother, passed away May 25, 2009, at Avalon Home for Seniors in East Wenatchee. Margaret lived the last 13 years in East Wenatchee, in order to be close to her daughter. Prior to that, she lived many years in Pendleton, OR. She was born on March 30, 1912, to Henry and Rachel (Ora) Sieverkropp in Hood River, OR. After graduating from high school in 1930, she attended Behnke-Walker Business College in Portland, OR and was an excellent bookkeeper. She married the love of her life, Robert "Bob" Wagoner on July 3, 1937, in Hood River, OR. The first time Bob saw her, he told his buddies he was going to marry that girl! As a young girl, Margaret climbed Mt. Hood and, two weeks later on a whim, climbed Mt. Adams with a group called the Crag Rats. She had many interests, which included traveling, golf, water-skiing, bridge, pinochle, watercolor and oil painting, the Mariners, and many, many hunting and fishing trips with family and friends. Mom was a wonderful and caring person and took great pride in her family. She will be greatly missed. She is survived by her daughter, Sharon Laughery (Howard) of East Wenatchee; grandson, Russ Laughery of Walla Walla, WA; granddaughter, Lynda Bartleson (Jeff) of Longview, WA; three great-grandchildren, Jared and Libby Bartleson and Chance Laughery; sister-in-law, Betty Sieverkropp of Hood River, OR; and several nieces and nephews. She was preceded in death by her parents; her husband, Bob; and brothers, John and Robert Sieverkropp.

A special thank you to the caring staff at Avalon Home for Seniors, Hospice and Dr. Patrick Lynch.

At her request, there will be No Service. Donations may be made to the Humane Society, the Wenatchee Valley Senior Center or a charity of your choice. Arrangements are by Telford's Chapel of the Valley, East Wenatchee.