

Obituary

Zelma “Betty” Wheeler Eubanks, 92



Zelma “Betty” Wheeler Eubanks, 92, of Blackfoot, Idaho passed away Wednesday, January 11, 2012 at The Willows in Blackfoot.

Betty was born July 29, 1919 in Pocatello, Idaho to James Arthur Brower and Alice Helena Sharp. She lived most of her life in the Blackfoot area.

On June 27, 1935 Betty married Harold Melvin Wheeler. After Harold passed away in 1964 Betty married Wayne Eubanks on September 17, 1964. He preceded her in death in 1992.

Betty worked as a Certified Nurses Aid and was a wonderful homemaker and sewed all her children’s clothes. In her free time she enjoyed crocheting and playing pool.

Betty was a member of The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints and of the VFW Auxiliary.

She is survived by her children, Colleen (Byron) Thornton of Tempe, Arizona, Patricia (Fred) Messerley of Malta, Montana, Lynda (Clair) Packer of Moreland, Idaho and Harold Dale (Connie) Wheeler of Las Vegas; 16 grandchildren; and 41 great grandchildren.

Betty is preceded in death by her parents; husbands, Harold Wheeler and Wayne Eubanks; brothers, Wayne Brower and Kenneth Brower; sister, Marie Webb; and grandchildren, Russell Wheeler, Pamela Packer Lynn and Roland Parsons.

A funeral service will be held at 11:00 a.m. on Monday, January 16, 2012 at Hawker Funeral Home, 132 South Shilling Avenue in Blackfoot. Family will meet with friends and relatives for one hour prior to services at the funeral home. Interment will follow at the Riverside-Thomas Cemetery. Condolences may be sent to the family at

condolences@hawkerfuneralhome.com.