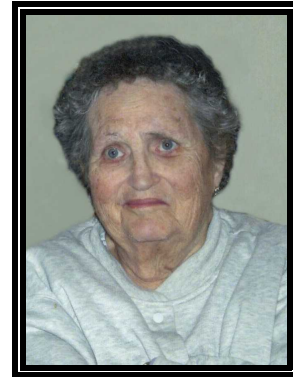


Obituary

Joyce Seward Goodwin, 73



Joyce Seward Goodwin, 73, of Pingree, Idaho, passed away Monday, May 31, 2010 at Eastern Idaho Regional Medical Center in Idaho Falls, Idaho from injuries sustained from an automobile accident.

Joyce was born June 15, 1936 in Murray, Utah to Gerald “Jack” Jess Seward and Phylis Gerber. Joyce lived in Nevada, Idaho Falls and Blackfoot. She attended school in the Blackfoot School District, graduating in 1955 from Blackfoot High School.

On June 22, 1956, Joyce married Eddy Goodwin in the Idaho Falls LDS Temple. Together they had twelve children, Randy, Beth, Cindy, Sandy, Kathy, Lynette, Valate, Amy, Michael, Edward, JoLyn and Tracy.

Joyce was a full time care giver for her family. In her youth she spent some time working as a nanny in Salt Lake City, a maid at a hotel in Nevada and in potato harvests. In her free time, she enjoyed crafts, quilting, crocheting, ceramics, putting puzzles together, reading and movies.

Joyce was a member of The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints, where she served faithfully in the Cub Scout program, in the Primary, young women secretary and her favorite, as the ward librarian.

Joyce was a member of the Daughters of Utah Pioneers, she served as the Secretary, Registrar and currently as the Chaplain.

Joyce is survived by her husband, Eddy; sons, Randy Edward (Sherry) Goodwin of Shelley, Idaho, Michael David (Lisa) Goodwin of Blackfoot, Edward Samuel (Vanessa) Goodwin of Fort Bragg, North Carolina and Tracy Albert Goodwin of Pingree, Idaho; daughters, Cindy (Lynn) Turner of Blackfoot, Sandy (Peter) Kadish of Orem, Utah, Kathy (David) Earley of Blackfoot, Lynette (David) House of Midlothian, Virginia, Valate Purvis of Rockford, Amy (Todd) Bischoff of Blackfoot, JoLyn (John) Vesser of Blackfoot; sisters, Jacqueline Byington of Blackfoot, Linda (Robert) Walters of Riverside, Linda Seward of Moreland and Vera Ann Wells of Pingree; 39 grandchildren; and 11 great grandchildren.

Joyce is preceded in death by her daughter, Beth; parents, Gerald, known as “Jack” and Phylis; brother, Jess Albert Seward; and six grandchildren.

A funeral service will be held at 11 a.m. on Friday, June 4, 2010 at the Pingree 2nd Ward Chapel, with Bishop Stacy Jackson conducting. Family will meet with friends and relatives from 7 p.m. to 9 p.m. on Thursday, June 3, 2010 at Hawker Funeral Home, 132 South Shilling Avenue in Blackfoot, and for one hour prior to services at the church. Interment will follow at the Riverside-Thomas Cemetery. Condolences may be sent to the family at condolences@hawkerfuneralhome.com.