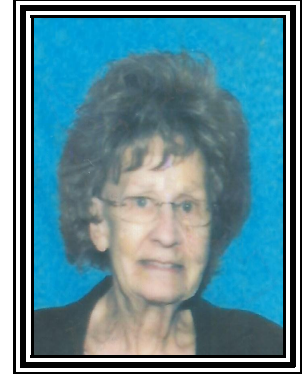


Obituary

Leah W. Thompson, 89



Leah W. Thompson, 89, of Blackfoot, passed away Friday, November 18, 2011 at her home.

She was born May 12, 1922 in Riverton, Idaho to Artie and Lillian Wright. Leah lived her entire life in Blackfoot. She graduated from Blackfoot High School and then attended the University of Utah for one year. In 1974 she earned her LPN certificate from the Bingham Memorial Hospital.

On March 24, 1950 she married Major LeRoy Thompson in Riverton, ID.

She was a member of The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints.

She worked at Safeway, Stoor's Market, Dan's Mighty Market, Hopkins Meat Packing, Jay's Drug and Bingham Memorial Hospital. She was a wonderful nurse and in later years was a care giver to many residents in the Blackfoot area.

Leah enjoyed taking care of others and always gave 110% to everything she did. Some of her best qualities were being a hard worker, her determination, her love and concern for her family, and she was known for always speaking her mind.

She is survived by her daughter, Marilyn LeAnn Ramsey of Los Alamos, New Mexico; sisters, Elva and Anita; grandchildren, Kelle Anne Harrison of Mesa, Arizona, Paige Alesse Ramsey of Salt Lake City, Utah, Joshua Andrew Ramsey of Los Alamos, New Mexico, numerous nieces and nephews and very close friend, Joyce Orton of Blackfoot.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Major L. Thompson; her parents; sisters, Blanche, Claris and Wilma and a brother, Harold.

Funeral service will be held at 11a.m. Saturday, November 26, 2011 at the Blackfoot 14th Ward LDS Chapel. The family will meet with friends and relatives from 7 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. Friday, November 25, 2011 at Hawker Funeral Home and again for one hour prior to service at the church. Interment will be in the Grove City Cemetery. Condolences may be sent to the family at: condolences@hawkerfuneralhome.com.

In lieu of flowers the family has requested memorial contributions be made to the Humanitarian Fund of The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints at www.ldsphilanthropies.org or charity of your choice.