



Grace B Betz

September 22, 1919 - June 20, 2013

Grace B. Betz (Age 93) passed away June 20, 2013 peacefully in her sleep. Grace was born September 22, 1919 to James and Kathryn Shindler in Malden, WA. She moved with her parents and sister Edna Weigand to Hayden, ID and then to Cheney, WA where Grace's parents owned a dairy farm. Grace attended college at EWCE where she received her bachelor's degree in teaching. Grace taught in Colfax and Cheney. She married William Edward Betz, lived in Cheney and then moved to Williams Lake in 1958 to raise their family. Grace was involved in PEO, Beta, and politics. She is survived by her daughter; Sue Betz-Higgins. Sons; Jim and Franklin (Lynda). Grandchildren; Edward, Scott, Crystyl and Jeff. Great-grandchildren; Shyenne, John and Elizabeth. A private family burial service will be held at Spokane Memorial Gardens. A reception will follow for the public at Spokane County Fire District 3, Station 1, S 10 Presley Drive, Cheney, WA from 2 - 4 p.m. on July 11, 2013. Contributions may be made in her memory to: SCFD #3 Volunteer Fire Association.

Tribute Wall

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“ *Very sorry to hear of your Mother's passing. My condolences to you and all of your family. Your mother was a first cousin of my mother, Florence Hoagland Brice and I remember coming to Cheney/Rosalia in 1951 to visit and staying there for several days. My Mother kept in touch with your Mother so I have heard your names many times over the years. Today, in Astoria, five of us who are cousins are working on geneology. My grandmother, Emma Shindler Hoagland was your Grandpa Shindler's sister.*

Marilyn Brice Loitz - July 18, 2013 at 03:25 PM

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“ *Our thoughts go out to the family of Grace. My mother Lois Hoagland Erickson was her cousin. Mom's birthday is 9/11/1919. We talked to Mom today in the care center in Seaside, OR and she asked that I send our thoughts and prayers to all the family there. I vaguely remember letters and cards from Grace and her family and, I think, a visit from them when we lived in Boring, Oregon. Wish we had kept in closer touch. Have been doing some genealogy with some Hoagland family members and found the obituary posted on Find A Grave. Take care to you all. Much love from Sheila and Lois*

Sheila Nolan & Lois Hoagland Erickson - July 13, 2013 at 08:02 PM

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“ *Grandma you were a very inspiring women you taught me many things in like and that I thank you so much for. The family will always stay close thanks to you being so family oriented! Grandma I love you you are gone now but will never be forgotten. Tell me we meet again. Please watch over me. @---,--- this rose will never die just like your presents in my life. Love your grand daughter Crystyl.*

Crystyl Higgins - July 11, 2013 at 01:53 AM

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“ Sympathy to cousin Grace's family.

Pete Morgan & Evelyn Shindler Morgan - July 07, 2013 at 08:40 PM

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“ I clearly remember my father Charles Salt when he was Superintendent of the Cheney School District speaking at a program in the auditorium of the old Cheney High School. He was openly weeping remembering Ed Betz. Our family has thought of the BETZ FAMILY AS THE BEST!

Patricia Salt Charles - July 03, 2013 at 08:48 PM

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“ Our prayers and thoughts to the Betz family in your great loss.

Charles and Julie Painter Pittmann - July 02, 2013 at 03:36 AM