



## Lucille Estella Cousins

October 4, 1933 - December 20, 2017

Lucille Estella Cousins passed away on December 20, 2017 in Spokane, WA. She was born on October 4, 1933 in Faribault, MN to Bernard and Goldie Elgin. Lucille was the last surviving sibling out of 11, with brother Fred Elgin passing away just days before her on December 11. Lucille married Billy Joe Cousins on November 9, 1951 in Cascade Locks, Oregon on the Bridge of the Gods. The couple lived in many areas, with Bill serving in the United States Air Force, including Japan, Medical Lake, Airway Heights, Reardan, and numerous cities in Oregon, while raising their six children. In 1975, they settled in Sprague, WA, where Lucille remained until her passing. Lucille enjoyed knitting and had a talent for creating artwork, including paintings and drawings. She also participated in many bowling leagues and was quite the pool player. Lucille was preceded in death by husband Bill, daughter Linda, son Billy Joe, and grandson Wesley. Lucille is survived by daughter Rose (Terry) Kissler of Sprague, son Bruce (Mary Jo) Cousins of Edwall, son Darrell (Debra) Cousins of Spokane, and daughter Julie (Gary) Wiemer of Chattaroy, along with many grandchildren and great grandchildren. A private memorial is planned for a later date. The family wishes to thank Hospice House of Spokane for their comfort and care.