



## Claudia Faye Bell

November 29, 1927 - May 10, 2010

Claudia F. Bell, 82, went to join her heavenly Father, May 10, 2010 at 6:20 pm at Central Washington Hospital after fighting a chronic battle with pneumonia. She was born November 29, 1927 in Ada, Oklahoma joining her parents Delbert and Pearl Thompson. She had four brothers and two sisters. Her family moved to the Manson area for work in 1943. Claudia met Loy C. Bell working in a Manson area fruit packing shed, Loy says that from that day the argument was on, deciding if she was going to go out with Loy or someone else. They were married in 1944. She worked beside Loy (Rusty) all through her life. She would run an orchard crew and still make it home to cook and take care of her husband and family. Her greatest accomplishment was being a fabulous mother, grandmother, and great grandmother. There was nothing more important to her than her family and her relationship with God. She is survived by husband Loy C. Bell, her children Wanda Maxson and Pete of Malaga, Peggy Pipkin and Darold of Malaga, Loy D. Bell and Kim of Malaga, Donnie Bell of Bainbridge Island, and Carla Davis and Randy of Yakima. She leaves behind 19 grandchildren, and 16 great grandchildren. Her surviving brother L.B. Thompson and Bessie of Everett, and Patsy Villines of Everett. She is also survived by many loving nieces, cousins, brothers and sisters in law and many dear friends.

She is preceded in death by her parents Delbert and Pearl Thompson, parents in law Lidge and Callie Bell, brothers Earl D. Thompson, Garriel Dean Thompson, Gary Jean Thompson, her sister Nathalee Villines, her brothers in

law Bill Bell and Larry Bell, sister in law Kathy Bell, and Grandchild Jerrod Nickolas Bell.

Memorial contributions may be made to the Wenatchee First Assembly of God Church building fund

Celebration memorial services will be held at 11:30 A.M. on Friday May 14, 2010 at Wenatchee First Assembly of God Church with a graveside at 10:00 A.M. Friday prior to the memorial service. Visitation will be held from 1:00 to 7:00 P.M. on Thursday at Jones & Jones Funeral Home. Please express your thoughts and memories on the online guest book at [jonesjonesbetts.com](http://jonesjonesbetts.com). Arrangements are by Jones & Jones ~ Betts Funeral Home.

# Cemetery Details

## Wenatchee City Cemetery

1804 N. Western  
Wenatchee, WA 98801

# Previous Events

## Visitation

MAY 13. 1:00 PM - 7:00 PM (PT)

Jones & Jones ~ Betts Funeral Home  
302 9th Street  
Wenatchee, WA 98801  
(509) 662-1561  
[dante@jonesjonesbetts.com](mailto:dante@jonesjonesbetts.com)

## Service

MAY 14. 11:30 AM (PT)

First Assembly of God Church  
1520 McKittrick  
Wenatchee, WA 98801

# Tribute Wall



“ I'll always remember Claudia tilting her head so gently to the right and smiling. When I was young, she would shake her head back and forth, back and forth. She was listening to me talk, a mile a minute about absolutely nothing.  
I can only remember her getting upset with me once, and I'm sure it was Carla's fault!  
What a blessing to have her in my life. To see her love for God, family and friends was amazing. Her door was always open. I'll miss her and I'll never forget the last words she spoke to me. "I love you"

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**Jeanette Meese-Long** - May 13, 2010 at 04:27 PM



“ Our prayers are with you.  
Scott and Sheri Thompson( from Bates Arkansas)

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**Sheri Thompson** - May 12, 2010 at 09:41 AM



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