



Faye E. Davis

October 24, 1925 - February 27, 2023

Faye E. Davis, a retired school teacher and life-long resident of the Wenatchee Valley, died recently at the age of 97 following a brief illness. She was the third of four children born to Leo and Gladys Hill, who were orchardists in Malaga, Washington. Faye graduated from Wenatchee High School in 1942, studied at Wenatchee Valley College for two years, and then transferred to Whitworth College. During her final semester (Spring of 1946), she met a returning GI named Joe Davis, whom she married in 1948. Two years later, she and Joe began teaching in the Eastmont School District, and then came children. Although she loved to teach, Faye chose to stay home in order to raise her son and daughter, but duty called. During the 1960s, school districts desperately needed teachers to educate the baby boomers, so she returned to the classroom; teaching Third Grade at Kenroy Elementary School until her retirement in 1988.

Faye lived a remarkable life. She was a devout Christian, a devoted wife, a loving mother, a faithful friend, a gifted educator, a diligent gardener, and a life-long learner. Of her, we truly may say, "She quietly made our community a better place both by showing us how to live well and by teaching us the truths we must embrace and practice in order to satisfy our deepest longings as human beings."

Faye was preceded in death by her parents and siblings, and then, in

2014, by her husband of 65 years, whose love and companionship she treasured until the end of her life. Faye is survived by a son and his wife (Mark and Pam Davis), a daughter (Janiece Davis), two grandchildren and their respective spouses, three great-grandchildren, and numerous nieces and nephews.

Faye's funeral will be held at Calvary Bible Church in Wenatchee, Washington, on March 11, 2023, at 1:00 p.m. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to the Wenatchee Rescue Mission.

Previous Events

Service

MAR 11. 1:00 PM (PT)

Calvary Bible Church
605 First Street
Wenatchee, WA 98801
(509) 662-2818
<http://www.calvarybiblewenatchee.org>

Tribute Wall

DB

“ Faye and my mother Lucille Brender were both elementary teachers in Eastmont. My mother always spoke highly of Faye. May god be with her and the Davis Family. Dennis Brender ('75 Whitworth)

Dennis Brender - March 26, 2023 at 10:02 PM

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“ I had the privilege of being one of her students. She was one of my favorite teachers, and I will always remember her with fondness and respect. May she rest in peace.

Lori DeWitz (Summers) - March 17, 2023 at 09:54 PM

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“ Such a wonderful person, the smile is her and her look on life. She loved her backyard, flowers and plants. As a neighbor we were able to visit with her between homes or on her walks around the block. Such a delight to visit and share her thoughts. She will live within us with that positive vest of life and love of family.
Paula and Richard Lyons

Richard Lyons - March 10, 2023 at 09:26 PM

JD

Thank you, Dick and Paula. She enjoyed your friendship!

Janiece Davis - March 19, 2023 at 10:22 PM

BP

“G-ma Faye was always a joy to our family and visits. Mark & AJ, know that you are in our prayers.

"But we do not want you to be uninformed, brothers, about those who are asleep, that you may not grieve as others do who have no hope. For since we believe that Jesus died and rose again, even so, through Jesus, God will bring with him those who have fallen asleep." (1 Th 4:13–14)

Bill Platt - March 10, 2023 at 12:36 PM

JD

Thank you, Bill! Yes, we have hope through Jesus, our Savior. What a comfort!

Janiece Davis - March 19, 2023 at 10:24 PM