



Gladys Curtis

October 18, 1931 - September 17, 2010

Gladys M. Curtis 78, of Wenatchee, died Friday, September 17, 2010. She was born in New Orleans, Louisiana on October 18, 1931 and lived in Wenatchee for the past 48 years. She enjoyed traveling especially to the Oregon Coast, Hawaii, and to visit her family in Louisiana. She loved spending time with her family and friends. She was a devote catholic and a member of St. Joseph's parish.

Survivors include her husband Phillip of Wenatchee, they celebrated their 60th wedding anniversary this year, her children Phillip Jr. of Liberty Lake and his wife Judith, David Curtis of Bellevue, Cindy Trafton and husband Michael, of West Linn, OR, Derek Curtis of Bellevue; grandchildren Katie and Kellie Trafton of West Linn, OR, brothers, Edward Van Hoven and wife Dorothy of Metairie, LA, Jerry Von Hoven and wife Anna of New Orleans, LA, sister-in-law Beryl Von Hoven and numerous nieces, nephews and cousins. Funeral

Services will be held Thursday September 23, at 11:00 A.M. at St. Joseph Catholic Church. Viewing will be Wednesday 1:00 to 7:00 P.M. at Jones & Jones ~ Betts Funeral Home with a Vigil to follow at 7:00 P.M. In lieu of flowers donations are requested to the American Heart Association.

Please express your thoughts and memories on the online guest book at jonesjonesbetts.com. Arrangements have been entrusted to Jones & Jones ~

Betts Funeral Home.

Previous Events

Visitation

SEP **22**. 1:00 PM - 7:00 PM (PT)

Jones & Jones ~ Betts Funeral Home
302 9thStreet
Wenatchee, WA 98801
(509) 662-1561
dante@jonesjonesbetts.com

Service

SEP **23**. 11:00 AM (PT)

St. Joseph's Catholic Church
625 S Elliott
Wenatchee, WA 98801
(509) 662-4569
<http://www.stjosephwen.org/>

Tribute Wall

LS

“ *Linda Schuster lit a candle in memory of Gladys Curtis*



Linda Schuster - September 22, 2010 at 11:11 PM

LS

“ *Gladys has been my friend for 35 to 36 years. She was the kind of friend that would always be there for you. She had so much love for her family & friends. She once asked me if I would teach her to drive and I had to say no because I didn't want our friendship to change. She just laughed and said she understood. When I moved to Walla Walla I did not see her as much as I would have liked. She always knew family came first for both of us. I loved her smile and her caring spirit. She was a great lady and will be missed. Love Ya Gladys!
Linda*

Linda Schuster - September 22, 2010 at 11:09 PM

CF

“ *IT WAS ALWAYS SUCH A PLEASURE TO HAVE GLADYS SIT IN MY CHAIR FOR A HAIRCUT; FROM THE MOMENT I MET HER I ADORED HER !! WE JUST HAD A GOOD TIME TALKING ABOUT HER FAMILY, NEW ORLEANS, FOOD AND THE SAINTS!! I HAVE BEEN BLESSED TO HAVE KNOWN HER AND I WILL MISS HER SWEET SMILE AND SPARKLY EYES..... TILL WE MEET AGAIN..... YOUR FRIEND, CARLA*

CARLA FRIEDLANDER - September 22, 2010 at 08:14 PM

AE

“ April Emry-Lane lit a candle in memory of Gladys Curtis



April Emry-Lane - September 22, 2010 at 06:45 PM

AE

“ Heaven has received a cherished angel! Gladys, I'll always remember your smile and how caring and loving you are. Your friends were always treated as if they were your family. Thank you for being a wonderful friend to Mom, she still talks about the trip the two of you took together to New Orleans many years ago and all the laughs you shared. Give a hug to my Dad when you see him, I know he'll be waiting with a smile for you. You will be missed God Bless, April

April Emry-Lane - September 22, 2010 at 06:44 PM

RR

“ Gladys you are and will be missed by many of us who are lucky to have known you and your family. I remember living down the street from you and I came to look at either Davids or Dereks baseball cards. There were a few times my wife and I would stop by just to say hi to you and Phil and had a good visit talking about our younger days. We will add your family to our prayers for their great loss - but Jesus has a big smile on His face when He greets you to Heaven. We all have tears of loss and love for you and your family. Till we meet in Heaven.

Rod Tara Rath - September 22, 2010 at 05:53 PM

RO

“ I have heard nothing but great things about this beautiful woman who blessed so many people with happy memories. I pray for your family for their loss, but cherish great memories. Gladys, I think I may have only met you a few times, but ALWAYS hear my grandmother (Grace Rath) talk very highly about you. She loved you like a sister! She will always have a special place in her heart for you. You will be missed by many!

*Much Love from West Jordan, UT
Naomi Oberg*

Ryan Naomi and Gavin Oberg - September 22, 2010 at 03:11 PM

RO

“ Ryan Naomi And Gavin Oberg lit a candle in memory of Gladys Curtis



Ryan Naomi and Gavin Oberg - September 22, 2010 at 03:05 PM

CN

“ Gladys,
What a wonderful example of a woman,mother,wife, daughter,sister and special friend you have been!! I remember growing up and you baby setting us as children, and you and my Mom (Grace Rath) always visiting with each other. You and Mom have been like sisters I think over the years. Mom is going thru some very hard times right now and will miss you more than we will know!! Thank you for always being there for Mom, you were a true friend to her!! When you and I talked last Monday when Mom and Dad were there, we made each other laugh. I will remember that and how well you sounded. I love you Gladys. I will keep your family in my prayers... Till we meet again....Cindy Neal (Cindy Rath)

Cindy Joel Neal - September 22, 2010 at 02:14 PM

CN

“ Cindy Joel Neal lit a candle in memory of Gladys Curtis



Cindy Joel Neal - September 22, 2010 at 01:28 PM



“ Gladys,

You will be missed by so many people. We love you so much . You brought so much love and thoughtfulness to everyone who knew you. You were my moms soulmate and best friend and she will , as so many will, miss you so much. You two shared the past almost 40 years together making wonderful memories along the way. You guys could always count on eachother to be there. My moms heart is so broken right now and I beleive you are watching over her from heaven. You were a wonderful mom, wife and grandma and we all will miss you.My family have wonderful memories of coming to your house and spending time together.

I wish there was something I could do to help your family get through this easier, as well as my mom. Our lives are better with all the love, kindness and thoughtfulness you shared along the way, and those memories will help us through the hard times ahead.

I just wish that I could have told you this in person how very much you meant to me and my family. I LOVE YOU SO MUCH and you will always have a very special place in my heart. Till we meet again in heaven, Jan Hanna

Jan Hanna - September 22, 2010 at 12:56 PM



“ Jan Hanna lit a candle in memory of Gladys Curtis



Jan Hanna - September 22, 2010 at 11:58 AM