



Lucille Irma McAnally

August 3, 1922 - April 10, 2015

Lucille Irma McAnally, 92, of Wenatchee, WA, passed away peacefully on Friday, April 10, 2015. She was born on August 3, 1922, in Hutchison, Kansas to Cecil and Nellie (Garner) Benbrook. In 1931 the family moved to Mount Vernon, Missouri. During high school mom excelled as a tennis and golf player. She met Jewell Delbert "Del" McAnally while picking apples in Wenatchee during a visit in 1940. The Benbrook family permanently moved to Washington State in 1943 and she married Delbert on January 18, 1944, in Leavenworth, WA. In 1947 the couple purchased an apple and pear orchard in Sunnyslope where they raised their family. Mom worked at various jobs over the years; as a telephone operator, in clothing at The Clothes Line and Loma's and later for Howard and Luella Syria at Hickory Farms. She loved to go out to lunch and explore new restaurants both near and far. One of the most enjoyable times of her life was visiting nearby casinos.

She is survived by her children, Jerilyn Lyon of Wenatchee and Gary (Michael) McAnally of San Diego, CA; her grandchildren, Darrin (Pamela) Lyon of Wenatchee and Deanna Lyon of East Wenatchee; great grandchildren, Richard Michael, Brandon Lyon and Justin Lyon all of Wenatchee; one sister, Marilyn (Richard) Pulis of Moses Lake, WA; three sisters-in-law, Marie Clift and Ruby Jean Rice of Wenatchee and Mary Culbertson of Dudley, MO; one brother-in-law, Samuel (Pauline) McAnally of Dexter, MO; and many nieces and nephews. She was preceded in death by

her husband, Delbert McAnally; son, Michael McAnally; son-in-law, Frank Lyon; parents, Cecil and Nellie Benbrook; brothers, Bud Benbrook and Dean Benbrook; sister, Carolyn Carlile.

The family wishes to give a special thank you to Shauna Larsen and all Mom's friends at the Sunnyslope Adult Family Home where she resided for the past five years and to all her friends at Smitty's Pancake House.

Services will be held at a later date. Please express your thoughts and memories on the online guest book at jonesjonesbetts.com. Arrangements are by Jones & Jones-Betts Funeral Home.

Previous Events

Graveside Service

AUG **24**. 10:00 AM (PT)

Wenatchee City Cemetery
1804 N. Western
Wenatchee, WA 98801

Tribute Wall

DG

“ I loved going to her house and eating butterscotch candies and drinking coke a cola out of a bottle. Good times.

debbie gregg - April 16, 2015 at 11:22 AM

JK

“ Oh, Jerilyn and Gary,
I'm so very sorry for your loss. Your mom was always so precious to me and my family. Sooo many memories of playing out in the orchard while our parents tried to play cards. When I think of beautiful summer evenings during cherry season and hear sprinklers going, I immediately think of that cute pink house surrounded by orchard and your parents.

Please know I'll be keeping you in my prayers. I'm sure there is quite the celebration going on in heaven right now....and I'm sure our moms are playing pinochle!!

*Fondly,
Julie Agens Kuntz*

Julie Kuntz - April 16, 2015 at 10:48 AM

LM

Jerilyn, So sorry for the loss of your Mother! I got to visit with your Mom during a time, when our church was doing a new church directory. I took her photo and got to ask her some questions for the directory. I totally enjoyed my visit with her then. We went out for lunch at different time later, to Rock Island BJ Restaurant. It seemed a strange out of the way place, but that's where she wanted to go for lunch. We had a good lunch and time visiting. Then she wanted to stop at Macy's to look at some shoes on the way home. So I said sure. So she found a pair she liked. I found out though Juanita later, that she loved shoes and had quite the collection! I didn't know I was helping her to more of her shoe collection... :) I wished I would have had more time getting to know her. She was so beautiful in looks, I thought! If I look as good as she did at her age then, I will jump up and down. I know she had a beautiful spirit, too.

In deepest Sympathy, Linda McKee

Linda McKee - April 16, 2015 at 08:52 PM