



Etta Mae Pesha

November 1, 1927 - July 22, 2019

Etta Mae Pesha, age 91 of Wibaux, Montana passed away on Monday, July 22, 2019 at the Billings Clinic in Billings, Montana. Visitation will be held from 6:00 P.M. until 8:00 P.M. on Friday, July 26, 2019 at the Silha Funeral Home in Wibaux. Funeral services will be at 11:00 A.M. on Saturday, July 27, 2019 at the Silha Funeral Home in Wibaux with Reverend Carol Rahn officiating.

Interment will be in the Beach City Cemetery in Beach, North Dakota. Silha Funeral Home of Wibaux has been entrusted with the arrangements.

Etta Mae was born on November 1, 1927 in Nebraska. She was raised and educated in Nebraska, graduating from Ord High School in Ord, Nebraska. Following her education, she was a homemaker and worked at J.C. Penney for several years. Etta Mae was united in marriage to Jerry Pesha on August 29, 1957 in Wibaux. This union brought together two sons and two daughters to form one family. Etta Mae worked as the secretary to the Wibaux County Agent for thirty-five years before she retired in 1992.

Etta Mae enjoyed playing cards, especially pinochle and solitaire. She loved all of the years that she worked with all of the 4-H kids. Etta Mae always enjoyed going out for a good meal and always remembered to send birthday and anniversary cards to family and friends.

She was preceded in death by her parents; two sons, Lyle and Allen; one daughter, Patricia; one grandson, Richard Jr. and all of her siblings.

She is survived by her husband of sixty-one years, Jerry Pesha of Wibaux; one daughter, LaRae (Richard) Metz of Stayton, Oregon; three grandchildren;

several great grandchildren; one great great grandchild; her dear friend,
Darlene Brown of Wibaux and numerous nieces and nephews.

Remembrances and condolences may be shared with the family at: [www.silha
funeralhomes.com](http://www.silhafuneralhomes.com).

Cemetery Details

Beach City Cemetery

Beach, ND 58621

Previous Events

Visitation

JUL 26. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (MT)

Silha Funeral Homes - Wibaux, Montana
204 South Wibaux Street
Wibaux, MT 59353
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Funeral Service

JUL 27. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (MT)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Etta Mae Pesha*

December 07, 2022 at 04:10 PM



“ *She and Jerry are my God parents. What a tribute to ones life. Love these 2 dearly. Peggy Beeler..so sad for the loss of a beautiful woman.*

PEGGY BEELER - July 28, 2019 at 02:28 AM



“ *Etta Mae was a Gem! So loved visiting w her when she worked at extension. She and Jerry were a team, just saw them not too long ago going across the street hand in hand headed to the Palace. God bless her family and her memory...*

Rita Hanley - July 26, 2019 at 02:46 PM



“ *The German's- Irene, Susan, Darlene, John & Marsha purchased the Lavender Love Bouquet for the family of Etta Mae Pesha.*



The German's- Irene, Susan, Darlene, John & Marsha - July 25, 2019 at 07:04 PM

PG

“ *What a remarkable lady. Will always remember her from my years in 4-H. Visited last summer with her and Jerry at the Palace Café. She remembered us and had a nice visit with them. RIP Etta Mae. Phyllis (Morgen) Goldsmith.*

Phyllis Morgen Goldsmith - July 25, 2019 at 09:44 AM

BB

“ *Etta Mae was a special person all who knew her loved her as anyone who was in 4-H knew She certainly made an impact on the kids/fairs*

Barb Baker - July 25, 2019 at 08:22 AM

AB

“ *She was always there to help every kid. Etta Mae loved 4-H and more so 4-Hers.*

Andy Begger - July 24, 2019 at 11:29 PM

MM

“ *One of the Magnificent Seven.. we have shared a wonderful friendship. We worked together, laughed together, sometimes grieved together. My thoughts and prayers are with you and your family Jerry.*

Marvel Mckerlick - July 24, 2019 at 11:02 PM

DN

“ *So sorry for your loss. I enjoyed working with Etta Mae at the courthouse, which began an ongoing friendship. She will be missed by so many. You're in our thoughts & prayers.*
Diane & Darvin

Diane Nelson - July 24, 2019 at 06:33 PM

TB

“ Mrs. EttaMae & Jerry Pesha were regular patrons of the Wibaux Palace Cafe. She was an absolute joy & everyone of our staff looked forward to seeing her daily. She was the sort whom you couldn't help but love. EttaMae was a reminder of a more simple era. The local history lessons she & Jerry freely shared always brought smiles to our faces. She was a blessing to us all & we miss her smile & miss serving her.

The Staff

Wibaux Palace Cafe

Trudy Burk - July 24, 2019 at 05:55 PM

AR

Wonderful lady! Our thoughts and prayers are with you! John and Angie Ross

Angie (Nix) Ross - July 25, 2019 at 01:07 PM

CH

“ *Carol Hanson lit a candle in memory of Etta Mae Pesha*



Carol Hanson - July 24, 2019 at 03:31 PM