



## Iris Mae Dobson

December 3, 1928 - June 24, 2019

Iris Mae (Zody) Dobson, 90, of Billings, Montana, formerly of Glendive, Montana, died peacefully at Avantara Billings on Monday morning, June 24, 2019. Visitation will be held from 6:00 P.M. until 8:00 P.M. on Friday, June 28, 2019 at the Silha Funeral Home in Glendive. Funeral services will be at 10:00 A.M. on Saturday, June 29, 2019 at the Silha Funeral Home. Interment will be at the Dawson Memorial Cemetery with a luncheon at Silha Tribute Center to follow. Silha Funeral Home of Glendive has been entrusted with the local arrangements.

Iris was born on December 03, 1928 to Cecil and Ruth (Moore) Zody in Glendive, Montana. She grew up on the family farm near Bloomfield, Montana. She graduated from high school at Dawson County High School in 1947. She married Phil Dobson on June 07, 1947 in Glendive, Montana. Iris and Phil were blessed with six children. They raised their children in Glendive. Iris moved to Billings, Montana in 2002 and lived there until her death. Iris enjoyed raising her children and later babysitting her grandchildren. She loved children so much that while raising her 6 kids, she taught Sunday School every Sunday at the Glendive Evangelical Church. Iris had a strong faith in God and was often found reading her Bible. Iris enjoyed gardening. She raised a vegetable and flower garden every year while living in Glendive. She is remembered as a wonderful cook and baker. She would make enough food for a small army (which she had) and always had a freezer full of cookies and other baked goods to treat her family. She was a sweet, kind, gentle soul

that will be terribly missed by her family and everyone who knew her.

Iris was preceded in death by her husband, Phil Dobson; oldest son, Terry Dobson; parents, Cecil and Ruth Zody; brothers, Harold, Artis and George Zody.

She is survived by her sons, Dan (Donna) Dobson, Robert (Jodi) Dobson, Jerald (Jackie) Dobson, Harold (Cathie) Dobson; daughter, Donna (Steve) Tobin; daughter-in-law, Melody Dobson; grandchildren, Sheldon, Christopher, Scott, Elizabeth, Kelli, Jamie, Kyle, Nichole, Ashley, Lesley, Cory, Ben, Matt and Nick; and many great-grandchildren.

Special thanks to all those at Avantara and Compassus Hospice Care of Billings who gave Iris wonderful care.

Memorials may be sent to Jerald Dobson, 210 4th Street, Glendive, MT 59330.

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

# Cemetery Details

## Dawson Memorial Cemetery

2816 West Towne Street  
Glendive, MT 59330

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JUN **28**. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (MT)

Silha Funeral Homes - Glendive, Montana  
221 N. Meade Avenue  
P.O. Box 848  
Glendive, MT 59330  
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## Funeral Service

JUN **29**. 10:00 AM (MT)

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Iris Mae Dobson*

December 07, 2022 at 04:10 PM



“ *Dave & Michelle Lutter lit a candle in memory of Iris Mae Dobson*



**Dave & Michelle Lutter** - June 29, 2019 at 06:36 PM



“ *My condolences to the Dobson family. You're in my thoughts and prayers!*  
*Love,*  
*Michele Robson*

**michele robson** - June 27, 2019 at 12:15 AM



“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Iris Mae Dobson.*



June 26, 2019 at 09:42 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Iris Mae Dobson.*



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June 26, 2019 at 06:10 PM



“ *Our condolences go out to all of you May she Rest In Peace in her eternal home.*

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**Dennis and Cindi Byron** - June 26, 2019 at 08:20 AM



“ *Denise Stoddart lit a candle in memory of Iris Mae Dobson*



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**Denise Stoddart** - June 25, 2019 at 10:38 PM



“ *Dear Dobson family, So many memories of you wonderful mom. She was mom to all of us while we were growing up in the Evangelical church. I learned so much from her in Sunday school and all through the years there. I am so sorry for you loss, but rejoice with you as she is worshiping with her Jesus now. Prayers for all of you in the coming days and months!! Virginia Grubaugh Johnston*

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**Virginia R Johnston** - June 25, 2019 at 10:33 PM



*Thank you so much for posting that! It warms my heart to think of my mom being mom to the other kids at church!*

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**Donna Dobson Tobin** - June 28, 2019 at 02:09 PM

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“ *So sorry to hear of your loss. Know that you all are in our thoughts & prayers. Cherish all those fond memories.* ”

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**Cherise Patterson** - June 25, 2019 at 05:03 PM