



## Winifred "Winnie" Culver

September 5, 1922 - February 18, 2011

Glendive, Montana: Winifred "Winnie" Marie Culver, age 88, passed away Monday, February 14, 2011 at her home in Glendive, surrounded by her loved ones. Visitation will be held from 10:00 A.M. until 5:00 P.M. and 6:00 P.M. until 8:00 P.M. on Thursday, February 17, 2011 at the Silvernale-Silha Funeral Home in Glendive. A Vigil Service will be held at 7:00 P.M. on Thursday, February 17, 2011 at the Chapel of the Silvernale-Silha Funeral Home in Glendive. Mass of Christian Burial will be Friday, February 18, 2011 at 2:00 P.M. at the Sacred Heart Catholic Church in Glendive with Father Joseph Ponessa officiating. Rite of Committal will be held in the Dawson County Cemetery in Glendive. Silvernale-Silha Funeral Home of Glendive has been entrusted with the arrangements. Winnie was born September 5, 1922 in Wolf Point, Montana, the daughter of Alexander "Mac" and Marquerite (Fergus) MacPherson. Winnie and her family moved to Glendive when she was a young child, where she was raised and educated. Winnie attended Washington Middle School and Dawson County High School graduating with the class of 1940. After graduating and during World War II, Winnie moved to Texas and worked for Mountain Bell Phone Company as part of the war effort. She was an operator. Winnie and Donald Culver were married on August 3, 1946 in the Sacred Heart Catholic Church in Glendive. Winnie and Don made Glendive their home for the next 60 plus years and here they raised their seven rambunctious children. Winnie was our mother, grandmother, sister, fighter, and peacemaker. She owned and operated Viking Fabrics from the

early 70's until 1988. Winnie and Donald then traveled to California. She was a member of the Catholic Church Alter Society, Hospital Auxiliary, and a Family Social Director. Winnie was an avid sewer, artist, and quilter. She was an advocate for the underdog. She collected and restored antiques. Winnie was always the gracious host, and had an open door policy at her home where many and all were welcomed with laughter, coffee, and kindness. Winnie is preceded in death by her parents and her husband, Donald in 2000. Winnie is survived by her sister, Betty Scherger; brothers-in-law, Lynn "Buddy" Culver and Gordon Culver; her children, Brian (Vicki) Culver, James (Bonnie) Culver, Timothy Culver, Kerry (Arla) Culver, Dona Culver, Nancy (Michael) Beebe, and Mary (Mike) Evans. Winnie also leaves behind 19 grandchildren, 19 great grandchildren, numerous nieces and nephews as well as her very special friend, Teresa.

# Tribute Wall



“ *Winifred "Winnie" Culver*

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