



## Ethel Hazelitt Egbert

October 6, 1919 - October 12, 2013

IN LOVING MEMORY Ethel Hazelitt Egbert- October 6, 1919 to October 12, 2013 In loving memory of our mother (Ethel) who passed away on October 12, 2013. Mom will be missed by all that knew her. Her humor, smiles and concern for her family, friends and country will not be forgotten. Mom was born October 6, 1919 in Camden, New Jersey to William and Maude Saunders and lived most of her adolescence life in Coleraine, Minnesota. She attended Coleraine H.S. then entered college at the Mayo Brothers Clinic and earned her BS degree and became a Registered Nurse. She served in the US Army Nurses Corp. in 1942 and met her long lived husband Melvin(Dad) and within the week was married in Clinton, Iowa at the Schick Army Hospital. Dad was shipped to the European Theater and Mom was transferred to the South Pacific and both was separated by WW2 till the end of the war. They both made Vancouver their 1st home until 1960 and moved to Battle Ground for the balance of their lives. Mom worked at Barnes Veteran Hospital in Vancouver as a RN and left to do the same at The State School for the Deaf in Vancouver. During her time as a nurse she became interested in changing careers and went back to college at the University of Oregon and graduated with honors for her Masters Degree and became a Special Education Teacher back at the School for the Deaf until retirement 1984. During her retirement Dad and mom loved to travel, raised horses. She loved her flowers, feed the birds, cook watch the news. She was a avid reader of Steven King novels, news papers, stock reports and a collector of glass, stamps and coins. Dad

preceded moms passing in December 7, 2001 and her mother June 1970 and is survived by their three children son's David Egbert, Curtis Egbert both of Battle Ground and Nancy Egbert Mavrakis of Vancouver. She also had 5 grandchildren and 5 great grandchildren. She will be deeply missed by all that knew and Loved her.