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Margaret Virginia Knight of Vancouver, WA, passed away at the age of 97, Feb. 25, 2014 at her "home" in the Glenwood Place Senior Living, Vancouver, where she had resided since 2001. She was born to Margaret and William Holtman Nov. 11, 1916 in Portland, OR. Marge, as she was known, graduated from Union High School in Clark County in 1934. She attended Business School in Portland, OR, where she trained for, and later worked as a telephone operator. Marge married Elmer Knight March 8, 1936 who preceded her in death. They had two daughters, Barbara Rutkowski (Tony) of Vancouver and Rosemary Long (Stanton) of Eugene, OR; six grandchildren: Terri Elfving of Battle Ground, Gregg Rutkowski and Doug Rutkowski, both of Vancouver, Mark Long of Salem, OR, Michelle Long of Los Angeles, CA, and Melinda Miko of Eugene, OR; 10 great-grandchildren; and seven great-great-grandchildren. Marge and Elmer were small business owner/operators in Clark County between the years of 1945 and 1956. Marge was a self-taught draftsman and worked for the architecture firm of McCoy and Bradbury, Vancouver, for several years beginning in 1956. She then worked for PGE as a draftsman until her retirement. Marge and Elmer loved to travel, watch sports in person or on TV, especially the U of O Ducks, but their first passion was their yard and garden. After Elmer passed in 1999, Marge continued traveling, watching sports, and gardening. In addition, she played bridge several times a week, which she loved, and solved daily crossword puzzles.

The family invites you to join in a Celebration of Life for Marge, Sat., March 15, 2014 at 3:00 p.m. to be held at the Plaza Community Room of the Glenwood Place Senior Living complex, 5320 NE 81st Ave., Vancouver, WA, (phone 360-892-1100) or use the main Glenwood entrance, 5500 NE 82nd, and seek directions to the Plaza Community Room. -

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