



## Thelma Grace Carlson

June 9, 1924 - May 3, 2010

Thelma is survived by son Jim Carlson and his wife Allison; grandchildren, Clint West, Nicholas and Jamie Carlso; and great-grandson, Andre West. Born in Culbertson, Montana, the youngest of three children. The day she graduated she moved to WA and worked at the Kaiser Ship Yards to support the war effort. She married the love her of her life, Lloyd Carlson, October 1948. In the early years they worked together to build a home from scratch and were proud they never had a mortgage. They loved the tight knit community where they raised their son and had many close friends. In retirement she loved to play pinochle and to take an occasional trip to the Casino. Her last residence was at 2441 Hickory Ave., Longview, WA, an adult family home purchased by her son and his wife, to take care of their beloved mother. She died peacefully with her family at her side. She was preceded in death by her son, Jeffrey Carlson; and her true love, Lloyd Carlson. In lieu of flowers please send donations to Community Health and Hospice, 1035 11th Ave., Longview, WA 98632.