

## WILMA JO HENDERSON

### Obituary



WILMA JO HENDERSON Jerome- Wilma Jo Henderson, 84, of Jerome, passed away Thursday February 28, 2013 in Twin Falls, Idaho. She was born July 9, 1928 in Topeka, Kansas, the daughter of Chester B. Root and Hildreth Elizabeth Grigsby Root. Wilma was raised in Barstow, California and graduated from Barstow High School in 1945. She married George C. Henderson on April 3, 1948 and they made their home in Barstow, where they raised two children, Lesley and Matt. Wilma spent most of her working life as a wife and homemaker and was also very involved in several civic activities in addition to helping her husband in their heating and refrigeration business. She loved to golf and play bridge. She was a charter member of the Barstow Hospital Auxiliary. Wilma enjoyed traveling in the motor home. She and George settled in Jerome, Idaho where she continued to enjoy golfing, playing bridge and making new friends. She especially loved spending time with her grandchildren. Wilma is survived by her daughter, Lesley (Wes) Martin of Jerome; two granddaughters, Beth (Matt) Norberg of Helena, Montana and Erin Martin and fiancé, Romain Lochard of Stanley, Idaho and two great-grandsons, Griffin and Bennett Norberg. She is also survived by her sister, Janie Eddy and her brother, Bill Root, and many extended family members and friends. She is preceded in death by her parents, her husband, George, and their son, Matt Henderson. Graveside services will be conducted at 11:00 AM, Wednesday March 13, 2013, at Mountain View Memorial Park, 37067 Irwin Rd, Barstow, CA 92311. Wilma's family would like to thank the staff at St. Luke's Magic Valley Hospital for their kind care. Wilma's family suggests that in lieu of flowers, memorials be made in Wilma's name to: Jerome Public Library, 100 1st Avenue East, Jerome, Idaho 83338. Arrangements are under the care of Farnsworth Mortuary, 1343 South Lincoln, Jerome, Idaho 83338.