Her Legacy… Clarita Dilger was born December 31, 1923 in National City, California. Clarita passed away peacefully at home in Oroville on January 2, 2012. Clarita was a loving, devoted sister, mother, grandmother and great grandmother who will be dearly missed by her family and friends and those who had a chance to meet her. Clarita was the heart of our family, the cloth that held us all together. Through her example she taught us all that we could achieve any goal we wanted and to be caring and loving. Clarita was a member of the Catholic Ladies Relief Society and The Altar Society at St. Thomas Catholic Church in Oroville. Clarita was a fabulous cook, it was once said she could make a shoe taste great!! Her hobbies were gardening, sewing, traveling and volunteering for whatever cause whenever possible.

Her Family… Clarita is survived by 5 children; 3 sons, Carlos Castro (Emy) of San Diego, CA; Armando Dilger, John Dilger (Nita) of Oroville, CA; 2 daughters, Kathy Morris (Steve) of Loomis, CA; and Sandra Dilger of Oroville, CA; 11 grandchildren, Carlos Castro III, Xavier Castro (Liz), Danny Castro, David Castro (Yvonne), Conrado Castro, Alejandro Dilger all of San Diego, CA; Armando Dilger and Adrian Castro of New York; Vanessa Arevalo (Cleo) of Hawaii; Marija Savitt (Justin), and Robert Brady (Ashley) of Las Vegas, NV. Clarita is also survived by 13 great-grandchildren, 1 brother, Jose Castro (Eva) of San Diego, CA; 2 sisters, Linda Cepek (Conrad) of Anaheim, CA; Lucia Romero of Bullhead City, AZ and numerous nieces and nephews. Clarita is preceded in death by both her parents, her loving husband John Mike Dilger and a son Conrado Castro.

Her Farewell Service … A Rosary will be held on Monday, January 9, 2012 at 7:00 p.m. at St Thomas Catholic Church 1330 Bird St. in Oroville. Funeral Mass will be held on Wednesday January 11, 2012 at 10:30 a.m. at St Thomas Catholic Church in Oroville with Graveside service to follow at Memorial Park Cemetery 5646 Lincoln Blvd. Oroville. For those who would like to make a donation in Clarita’s memory please donate to Paradise Hospice through Feather River Hospital Paradise, CA or to the Alzheimer’s/Dementia Foundation. Arrangements are entrusted to Ramsey Funeral Home 530-534-3877