Norma Dolgovin

Her Legacy… Norma Dolgovin was born in Detroit, Michigan, May 12, 1925 to Pete and Mary Righettini. She went to be with the Lord on November 16, 2011. Norma enjoyed doing things for other people. This was reflected in her day-to-day activities. Not one to seek the spotlight, her generosity was usually displayed in simple acts of kindness that were extended to family, friends and strangers alike. A smile, a few words of encouragement and offers of help were freely given. Her enthusiasm for antiques led, for a time, to a membership in an Oroville club called “Jolly Junkers”. Though the bulk of her working life was spent as a homemaker, Norma also worked in the Los Angeles area as a dance instructor, for the Pacific Bell Phone Company and in an open-air market. It was while working at the market that she met Ralph Dolgovin and they married on June 21, 1947. Norma worked while Ralph finished optometric college and later she helped him run his office. Together for nearly 64 years, they had two children, Debbie and Brian. Norma thoroughly enjoyed being a Mom and was a wonderful cook. She enjoyed travel, visiting with friends and being in the outdoors looking for treasures. On many occasions she loaded her own kids and their friends in the station wagon for a trip to get some ice cream, saying, “Let’s go get a treat”.

Her Family… Norma is survived by her daughter Debbie Ohanesian, son Brian Dolgovin, daughter-in-law Jeanette, “adopted” daughter Jackijean Michaels, grandchildren; Kate, Thomas and Luca; sister-in-law Marjorie Righettini, nieces: Pam Costanzo, Renee Reagan and Cindy Wilson, nephews: Barry Dolgovin, Gary Righettini and Randy Righettini; great nephew, Justin Righettini and many cousins and friends. She is preceded in death by her parents, her husband Ralph Dolgovin, brothers Eugene and Raymond Righettini, sister-in-law Florence Chessman, brother-in-law Albert Dolgovin and nephew Michael Righettini.

Her Farewell Service … Please join us for a Celebration of Life on January 14, 2012 at 11:30 a.m. at the First Assembly of God Church, 3210 Oro Dam Blvd. Oroville, CA. In lieu of flowers the family asks that donations be made to the Alzheimer’s Association, 1060 La Avenida St. Mountain View, CA 94043-1422 or the Oroville Rescue Mission. 4250 Lincoln Blvd. Oroville, CA 95966. Arrangements were entrusted to Oroville Funeral Home 530-533-0323.

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