Ruby Felipe

Her Legacy... Ruby Felipe was born in New Plymouth, Idaho in 1921. In the 1930’s her family moved to Gridley. She married Joe Felipe from Oroville in 1942 and lived most of the rest of her life in the Oroville area caring for her family. Ruby was the most dedicated, caring and loving of mothers to her four children, a dear and trusted friend to many, and she had a simple, warm, happy, beautiful presence that shone from her like the sun. A child of the Great Depression and Idaho plains, she was hardworking, humble, and resourceful. She had many jobs in her life, the cannery as a girl, secretarial work for the US Army during WWII, Cal Farm Insurance, Las Plumas High School; she also worked as a social worker in Butte County in the 1950’s. But, above all, she was an untiring, devoted mother, grandmother, friend and caregiver, and a cherished light in the world for all who knew her.

Her Family... Ruby is survived by her children, their families, and other extended family, daughter Nancy Jo Felipe Russo and her husband Allen Meyer, son Joe Felipe Jr., son Donald Felipe, his wife Regina, and their daughter Christina, daughter Paula Felipe, and sisters-in-law, Helen (Felipe) Wittmer and Mary (Felipe) Hill, in addition to numerous nieces, nephews, and cousins.

Her Farewell Service ...A special farewell, musical tribute and gathering of friends and family will take place at Ramsey Funeral Home on Saturday, May 23, 2009 at 11:00 a.m. In lieu of flowers, donations can be made to the NW SPCA (Northwest Society of Prevention of Cruelty to Animals) on 5th Avenue in Oroville. Arrangements have been entrusted to Ramsey Funeral Home 530-534-3877

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