



Daisy Roberts

August 4, 1931 - January 16, 2018

Daisy Freer Roberts, 86, of Yreka, passed away Tuesday, January 16th, 2018, surrounded by her family.

Daisy was born in Paradise, California on the 4th of August, 1931 to Harvey and Bessie (Homer) Freer. She and her family moved to Washington State when she was 6 months old. She remained in Washington for 31 years, where she graduated with highest honors from Washington State University with a B.A. in Home Economics. She and her first husband (Jess Newlun) moved to Yreka in 1962. After his death in 1979, she went on to meet and marry her current husband, Dwight Roberts in 1985. She and Dwight had just celebrated 33 years of marriage.

She is best known for her beautiful weavings that she created throughout a large part of her life, as well her running career. Daisy won many awards and ribbons and held records in various road races in Oregon and California over the span of 24 years. Daisy was also active in her Sorority, Beta Sigma Phi, for more than 50 years, and was a member of the Elks Lodge, AAUW and Daughters of the Nile.

Daisy is survived by her husband Dwight Roberts of Yreka, daughter from her first marriage Theresa and son-in-law James Lo, and their children, Joshua and Toby, of Tracy California; her stepdaughter Wendy Roberts and son-in-law

Michael Rankins of Newark California, and her brother Harvey Freer and his partner Steve Maker of Portland, Oregon and 10 nieces and nephews. Daisy was preceded in death by her first husband Jess Newlun, her brother Edgar Freer, and her sister Dorothy Brokaw.

Private graveside services will be held at the Evergreen Cemetery. In lieu of flowers and cards, memorials can be made to the Madrone Hospice, 255 Collier Circle, Yreka, CA 96097, www.madronehospice.org.

Tribute Wall



“ Teresa, your mom was such a JOY!!! I loved her sweet and gentle spirit, her little laugh, and her smile. I can't begin to image the depth of your sorrow, but I am so sorry for your loss. Hugs to you. And I know that much of your mom lives on in you. Never forget that.

Marlee Billingsley - March 14, 2018 at 01:31 PM

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“ Kathleen O'Neill lit a candle in memory of Daisy Roberts



Kathleen O'Neill - January 23, 2018 at 01:21 PM

KH

“ Kathryn Handshy lit a candle in memory of Daisy Roberts



Kathryn Handshy - January 22, 2018 at 09:44 AM

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“ *Dwight and Family:*

*Daisy was a GEM. Always gracious, with a sweet twinkle in her eye.
We will all miss her very, very much.*

Our deepest sympathy,

John and Lisa Nixon; Norma Jane Holt

Lisa Nixon - January 19, 2018 at 06:26 PM

DG

“ *My condolences to the family. Daisy was so special to me and often seemed like my second mom. I have so many special memories and momentos of her many years of weaving and sewing. She will be missed and never forgotten!*

Diana Greenwood - January 18, 2018 at 04:17 PM

LH

“ *My heartfelt condolences to Dwight, Theresa, Wendy and families. Daisy was a very special person to our family, especially our Mom's best friend for many years. I cherish her weavings that I have and her paintings. Keep your memories close to your heart ❤️*

Laurie Helsley - January 18, 2018 at 01:24 PM

PD

“ *She was a lovely Lady.. I had so many great times with her at the Elks lodge as well as traveling to many Elks conventions. My prayers and thoughts are with you. Pat DeVault.*

Pat DeVault - January 17, 2018 at 08:40 PM