



Edith D. Thompson

June 14, 1919 - July 7, 2010

Born June 14, 1919 in New York, Edie Thompson passed away peacefully on July 7, 2010 in her home of 12 years, Shepherd of God Assisted Living, in Grenada, CA after a long battle with Alzheimer's disease.

She was raised in Lakewood, Ohio by Louis and Helen Dusenbury (Snedecor) with her three younger brothers, Warren, Coles and Liph who all preceded her in death. She moved to the San Francisco Bay Area in 1956.

She worked most of her life as an administrative assistant, lastly at Stanford Research Institute in Menlo Park, CA, and then retired to the Yreka, CA area where she married Rev. Ray Thompson who also preceded her in death.

She had a life filled with music and art. She was part of the Barbershop singing world most of her life, starting with her father. She sang in Sweet Adelines for 40 years and was a regional quartet champion as well as a chorus director. She also played the organ on cruise ships sailing around the Cape of Good Hope. She loved the outdoors, fishing, gardening and simply sitting and watching Mt. Shasta. You could often times find her with a paint brush in her hand trying to capture the beauty.

She is survived by her son, Alan MacKay and his wife Kate Maloy of Yachats, OR, daughter Laura Connors and her husband Mike of Tracy, CA, grandson Lance Rigby and his wife Tara and two great grand-daughters Tabitha and Rebekah, of Shelton, WA.

Girdner Funeral Chapel in Yreka is handling her arrangements. No services are planned.