



Charlene McLean Reich

December 15, 1928 - March 13, 2016

Charlene Edith Reich, 87, of Corvallis went to be with her Lord on Sunday, March 13, 2016.

Charlene was born Dec. 15, 1928, in Los Angeles, California. She grew up in South El Monte, California. In high school she played baritone horn in the marching band and played cello in the orchestra. After high school she worked for Kemper Insurance.

She married Edwin Reich on Sept. 10, 1960, in Buena Park, California. They made Corvallis their home in 1971. After raising her two children, Charlene joined the Foster Grandparent program where she found great joy in helping children read. In her final years, joy came from time with family and attending church on Sunday.

Charlene is survived by her children, Edwin Reich Jr. (Desiree) of San Jose, California, and Irene Gingerich (Monte) of Corvallis; and four grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Edwin Reich Sr.; sister Noreen Skov; and half-brother Richard McLean.

A service will be at 1 p.m. Monday, March 21, at Zion Lutheran Church, 2745 N.W. Harrison Blvd., Corvallis.

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“ Ronda lit a candle in memory of Charlene McLean Reich



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