



Della M. Carroll

January 16, 1926 - February 2, 2017

Della M. Carroll, 91, a Corvallis resident of 66 years, died Monday, Feb. 2, in Corvallis.

Della was born Jan. 16, 1926, in Marshall, Arkansas, to Neal and Ollie (Haggard) Vickers. She married James Carroll on Dec. 24, 1946, in St. Louis, Illinois, and just celebrated their 70th wedding anniversary on Christmas Eve.

Della had an eighth grade education, and was employed as a cook for Oregon State University from 1956 to 1988. She was a member of the Suburban Christian Church and the Eagles Club. Della loved to cook, and spend time and play Bingo with her grandchildren, great-grandchildren and great-great-grandchildren.

Survivors include her husband, James; daughters Janet and Donna; and son Jimmy.

There will be a viewing at 5 p.m. Sunday, Feb. 12, at McHenry Funeral Home. A funeral service will be at 1 p.m. Monday, Feb. 13, at the Suburban Christian Church with burial at Oaklawn Memorial Park to follow. A potluck will be held at the church directly following the burial.

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The family would like to thank all who helped care for Della in her final days.

Tribute Wall



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“ *I lived at Reed Lodge during the last few years of Della's career at Oregon State University. What a wonderful lady and certainly a talented cook. We were always amazed at how she could handle the huge kitchenaid mixing bowls full of dough. (We could hardly handle them empty when we were washing up the dishes!)*

I know that Della influenced many young women during her time as a cook at Reed. I'd often see girls downstairs chatting with her. I'm sure she served occasionally as a 'stand-in Mom' for those who needed one.

My deepest condolences to your family -

Karen Nielsen-Watte

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