



Juanita Harp

June 24, 1923 - October 2, 2007

Juanita M. Harp, 84 of Corvallis died Tuesday, October 2, 2007 at Good Samaritan Regional Medical Center in Corvallis. Born June 24, 1923 in Nevada, Missouri, she was the daughter of Eldon and Maude (Berkstresser) Hinson. She married Virgil C. Harp on February 6, 1955. They had three children, Clifton, Virginia and Marie. A long time resident of Albany, Juanita was employed as a chef and kitchen manager for several different restaurants in the area. She began her career in Oregon at the Sears café and worked at the Get & Go. She also owned “The Coffee Cup” in Albany. Later she worked at the Swept Wing, Roger’s and Darrell’s. She will be remembered for her wonderful cooking; anyone who knew her said that she was the “best cook ever,” able to create a fabulous meal from a very few ingredients.

Preceded in death by her husband, Virgil C. Harp; brothers Elwin and Donald Hinson and her sister Madelyn Vandercook. Juanita is survived by her son and daughter in law Clifton and Kelly Harp of Albany, daughters Virginia Drummond of Thompson Falls, Montana and Marie and Rick Sandman of Albany; 9 grandchildren and 15 great grandchildren.

Visitation will be held from 10:30 am – 12:15 pm on Saturday, October 20th , at McHenry Funeral Home in Corvallis. Graveside service will be at 1:00 pm at Twin Oaks Memorial Gardens in Albany. McHenry Funeral Home is handling arrangements.