



Leah Riley

December 20, 1917 - October 4, 2010

She was born in Beverly, Wash., to Robert Renn, who was born in Summerville, Mo., and Amelia Suko Renn, who was born in Tarutino, Rumania. She graduated from Malden High School in Malden, Wash., and took night-school secretarial classes at Linn-Benton Community College in Albany. She was a secretary at the Benton County Extension Office and at the Oregon State University Department of Atmospheric Sciences, retiring in 1972.

She was a member of the Order of the Eastern Star in Corvallis, and the Corvallis Rose Society.

On Oct. 2, 1937, she married Wayne Walter Riley in Malden. He was born June 25, 1916.

She was preceded in death by her husband, and a son, Michael Riley of Kansas City, Mo.

Survivors include a daughter, Paulette Heilbrun of Huntingdon Valley, Pa.; grandsons Wayne Riley of Honolulu, Hawaii, and Matt Riley of Lawrence, Kan.; and a beloved grandniece, Marilee Bell of Salem.

A memorial service is being planned for sometime in the spring. Donations can be made to Heartland Humane Society.