



Muriel Delores Davis

February 11, 1931 - December 24, 2014

Muriel Delores Davis, 83, of Corvallis peacefully passed away on Dec. 24, 2014, at Timberhill Place.

She was born Feb. 11, 1931, in Brookings, South Dakota, to Florence and Arthur Johnson. She lived her childhood and young adulthood life in Flandreau, South Dakota.

Muriel married the love of her life, John “Jack” Davis, on April 20, 1950, in Flandreau. They lived on the Davis family farm until their move to Corvallis in 1960 with their three children.

Muriel and Jack owned and operated Type-Ink Printing for 35 years, until their retirement in 1995.

Muriel enjoyed cooking, gardening, playing bridge, entertaining, sewing and cheering for the Oregon State University football team. She enjoyed traveling and experienced adventures in Hawaii, Hong Kong, England and Scotland.

Muriel was known for her commitment to charitable organizations. She was a long-standing member of the Zonta Club of Corvallis, where she made many lasting friendships. She served on the board of directors and as a past president of Grace Center for Adult Day Services. She was a member of PEO

and of First Presbyterian Church.

Muriel is survived by her son, David Davis (Maggie O'Shea) of Corvallis; daughter Cindy Kinnemann (Jack) of Kent, Washington; daughter Lue Ann Davis (Steve Frazier) of Corvallis; four grandchildren; and six great-grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her husband, Jack; and brothers Kenneth and Arthur Johnson.

A celebration of life will take place at 2 p.m. Jan. 26 at First Presbyterian Church, 114 S.W. Eighth St.

Memorial contributions can be made to Benton Hospice Service; Grace Center; or Zonta Club of Corvallis.

Tribute Wall



“ *Judi Adams lit a candle in memory of Muriel Delores Davis*



Judi Adams - January 25, 2015 at 08:21 PM

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“ *Cynthia, Your NC family is thinking of you and your family. Your Mother was a special lady, we knew that in the short time we knew her. We send warm thoughts your way.*
Shirley & family

Shirley Stowe - January 01, 2015 at 05:30 PM

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“ *Therese Schafer lit a candle in memory of Muriel Delores Davis*



Therese Schafer - December 29, 2014 at 02:22 PM

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“ *Muriel was one of my favorite Zontians. She had a great sense of humor and spoke her mind. She was always engaged with life and those around her. I will miss her.*

Carol Trueba - December 29, 2014 at 12:30 PM



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Muriel was a wonderful friend and my Zonta sponsor. She was wise, witty, and honest. We first met at Type Ink, the business she owned with her husband Jack. They were a great team and helped many people. Until her stroke she was a key Auction team member. Muriel is my ideal Zontian and I will never forget her.

Friah Rogers - December 29, 2014 at 11:32 PM



Muriel always had a wonderful story about her years as a Zontian, what an inspiration.

Judi Adams - January 25, 2015 at 08:22 PM