



Shirley Brawn

October 4, 1935 - October 21, 2012

Shirley Ann Brawn passed away on October 21, 2012 in Klamath Falls, Oregon after a long battle with Parkinson's disease.

Shirley was born on October 4, 1935 in Hayes, South Dakota. One of eight children, she was born to Christian and Edith Olesen. Shirley graduated from Dakota Wesleyan University in South Dakota, before moving to Oregon to attend Eugene Bible College and work as a librarian. Later, she taught kindergarten in Portland, Oregon.

On November 5, 1970, she married Matthew Brawn in Reno, Nevada. Together, they raised their only daughter in Milwaukie, Oregon where they resided for 38 years. In 2009, they moved to Klamath Falls, Oregon to be closer to their daughter and her family. Shirley attended Living Faith Fellowship in Klamath Falls, until her illness no longer allowed. She was a prayer warrior and big-hearted person that cared about others.

Shirley will be lovingly remembered by her husband of almost 42 years, Matthew. She will also be remembered in the hearts of daughter Teresa; son-in-law Jeff; grandson Matthew; brother Jerry; sister Mary Jean; brother Robert and many other family members.

Memorial contributions may be made to Gospel Mission at 823 Walnut Avenue Klamath Falls, Oregon 97601. A funeral service is set for 1:00 pm Wednesday, October 24th at McHenry Funeral Home in Corvallis. Interment will follow at Oak Lawn Memorial Park.