

EYMA, Marie Noel (nee Delbeke)

December 14, 1914 – July 14, 2011

Marie Eyma of Cochrane Alberta passed away suddenly but peacefully on Thursday July 14, 2011 at the Bethany Care Centre at the age of 96 years.



She was born December 14, 1914 in Calgary, Alberta the oldest daughter of 7 children to Francis & Gus Delbeke. In 1935 she married Pierre Eyma and together they ranched all of their lives west of Cochrane in the Beaupre area on the Chinook Ranch while raising their three children.

Marie is survived by her son Jay Eyma; daughter Anita (Newt) Kessler; brother Leon (Vivian) Delbeke; and sister-in-law Sybil Delbeke; eleven grandchildren Jayena (Wayde) Collins, Jayme (Lori) Eyma, Jaynel (Danny) Fenton, Jaylene Knight, Benji, Chache and Bobby Eyma, Ann (Duane) McFadden, Bill (Nicole) Kessler, Geordie (Ingrid) Kessler, Jane (Blake) Hammond. As well as twenty-four great-grandchildren, two fifth generation grandchildren, one niece and three nephews.

Marie was predeceased in 1989 by her husband of 54 years Pierre Eyma, son Clay Eyma, daughter-in-law Lynne Eyma, sisters Evelyn Noble, Maggie Stringer and Catherine Molnar, brothers Jim and Casey Delbeke.

In honour of Marie's request, a private family service will be held. You may forward condolences through www.mcinnisandholloway.com. If friends so desire, memorial tributes may be made directly to the Canadian Cystic Fibrosis Foundation Calgary & Southern Alberta Chapter, 1130F – 44 Avenue S.E., Calgary, AB T2G 4W6 Telephone: (403) 266-5295, www.cfcalgary.ca or to Bethany Care Bus Fund c/o Cochrane Bethany Care Centre, 302 Quigley Drive Cochrane, AB T4C 1X9 (403) 932-6422.

A Special thank you to the wonderful and caring staff at the Cochrane Bethany Centre.

In living memory of Marie Eyma, a tree will be planted at Big Hill Springs Park Cochrane by McINNIS & HOLLOWAY FUNERAL HOMES, Cochrane Funeral Home, 369 RAILWAY STREET, COCHRANE, AB.
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