



Irene Dirks

February 16, 1926 - January 15, 2021

Irene Dirks, 94, died January 15, 2021 at Bethel Home in Montezuma. She was born on February 16, 1926 in Montezuma, the daughter of Sam J. and Minnie Schmidt.

Irene attended school in Montezuma. As a young girl, she answered the call of God and was baptized into the Church of God in Christ Mennonite, remaining faithful to the end. On August 3, 1947, Irene was united in marriage to Marvin Dirks. To this union, six children were born. They made the home in Montezuma before moving to South Dakota, Wisconsin, and Arizona. Irene worked as a caregiver to many. She later worked in Bethel Home. Irene worked until she was 80. Irene enjoyed quilting.

Those left to cherish her memory are her children, Richard Dirks and wife Carolyn of Jamesport, Missouri, Robert Dirks and wife Margaret of Hereford, Arizona, Lucille Schmidt and husband Milton of Pearce, Arizona, Dennis Dirks and wife Donna Mae of Rice Lake, Wisconsin, Ervin Dirks and wife Martha of Barron, Wisconsin, and Donald Dirks and wife Sue of Barron Wisconsin; and many grandchildren and great grandchildren. She is preceded in death by her parents, husband, and six siblings, Susie Schmidt, Alice Smith, Alma Dirks, Dorothy Schmidt, Henry Schmidt, and LeeVern Schmidt.

Funeral service will be held at Montezuma Mennonite Church on Tuesday, January 19, 2021 at 10:30 AM with Ministers Charles Schmidt and Lyndon Toews presiding. A Graveside service will be 2:00 PM on Thursday, January 21, 2021 at the Mountain Valley Church Cemetery in Willcox, with viewing one

hour prior in the Mountain Valley Mennonite Church

Cemetery Details

Mountain Valley Church Cemetery

3588 E. Compadre Road
Willcox, AZ 85643

Previous Events

Viewing

JAN 21. 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM (MT)

Mountain Valley Mennonite Church
3588 E. Compadre Road
Willcox, AZ 85643

Graveside Service

JAN 21. 2:00 PM (MT)

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Tribute Wall



“ Irene Dirks

January 30, 2023 at 12:50 AM



“ I will never forget Irene Dirks. She was such a loving, caring, truly good person in everyway. I haven't seen her since she moved from Pearce area but I think of her often and wish I could have shared her sweet spirit one more time.

Kay Busenbark

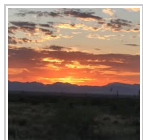
Kay Busenbark (Graham) - February 16, 2021 at 01:15 PM



“ Peace, Prayers, & Blessings- Lavender and White was purchased for the family of Irene Dirks.



January 20, 2021 at 10:58 AM



“ Mrs Dirks was one of the most loving, caring and sweetest women I had the pleasure of knowing. Our love and prayers go to all her wonderful family.

With love Debra Martin Boss and Elaine Martin.

Debra Lee - January 20, 2021 at 01:10 AM

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“ *Our prayers and condolences for the family. May God give you comfort and peace.*

Marty and Cheryl Bowlby

Cheryl Bowlby - January 19, 2021 at 10:13 PM