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Josephine V. Heisner, 89

Josephine V. Heisner, 89, a native of Berlin, Wis., passed away following an extended illness on



Tuesday, April 27, 2004 in Naples, Idaho. Memorial services was held at 2 p.m. Friday, April 30, 2004 at St. Ann's Catholic Church in Bonners Ferry, Id. with Father David Riffle officiating.

She is survived by three daughters Lorraine (John) VanDoren of Naples, Id., Donna (Paul) Jennings of Coalinga, Calif. and Sharon Jenkins of Coon Valley, Wis.; one son Frank (Kathy) Stevens of Moyie Springs, Id.; 25 grandchildren, 27 great-grandchildren and one great-great grandchild. She was preceded in death by her last husband Ernest Irons, son Henry Stevens and a daughter Joy Calfee. She was born on June 27, 1914 in Berlin, Wis. and moved from Wisconsin to

Naples in 1988. She loved flowers, gardening, music, reading and good jokes as well as traveling, fishing and hunting.

Josephine lived at the Restorium after Ernest passed away, then with her daughter Lorraine and John VanDoren for the last year and a half. She passed away at home and was attended at death by her daughter Lorraine, grandchildren JoDee Moore of Rhinelander, Wis. and Jennifer Stolley of Bonners Ferry, Id., daughter Donna Jennings of Coalinga, Calif. had visited her in January 2004. Her granddaughter JoDee Moore and children arrived one week before her death.

Her terminal illness was diagnosed in November 2003. Thanks to the help of Boundary Personal Care of Bonners Ferry and Bonner Community Hospice of Sandpoint, Id. she was able to be at home with her loved ones until she was called away. She will be sorely missed by all who loved and cared for her.