



# Eunice M. Shaner

**March 2, 1913 - November 3, 2011**

Eunice M. Shaner, 98, of Boise, Idaho, died Thursday, Nov. 3, 2011, at her home.

Eunice was born May 30, 1913, in Greybull to Owen Spence and Eva Welsh Spence. She went to small country schools, but quit in the 10th grade to help with the family.

On March 2, 1934, Eunice married George Shaner in Thermopolis. In their early life together, Eunice and George traveled during the Depression and then settled back in Thermopolis, where they raised their children.

Eunice was a dedicated wife and mother and waited until her children were old enough before working in a hospital cafeteria. She enjoyed sewing, cooking, playing games, and going fishing and camping. Her special interests were church related and she participated in the Relay for Life walk for breast cancer.

Survivors include her brother, Larry (Barbara) Spence of Boise, Idaho; five grandchildren; 13 great-grandchildren; and numerous nieces and nephews.

Eunice was preceded in death by her husband; parents; son, George; daughter, Nancy; brothers, Edger, Robert and Dale; and sisters, Alta, Lena, Frances, Dorthey, Dot and Nelda.

The family encourages you to give a needed hug to someone, because as Eunice would always say, "That's what arms are for."

A funeral was held Nov. 8, 2011, at St. Mary's Catholic Church in Boise. A Time of Remembrance will be held at 1:15 p.m. Jan. 25 at the Thermopolis Senior Citizens' Center.

