

Edith Grace (Adams) Bovee

Edith Grace (Adams) Bovee was born, August 2, 1922 in Dwyer, Wyoming and passed away at the Brewster hospital on March 3, 1967 following surgery after an extended illness.

She attended school in Guernsey, Wyoming and attended the teacher's college in Wheatland.

Edith taught school for three terms. Her first school was at Lewis Ranch on Fish creek. She walked a distance of five miles, each night and morning to teach this school.

She was married to Donald Bovee at Casper, Wyoming August 3, 1944.

They operated a ranch near Wheatland before coming to Twisp in 1962. They purchased the former Vernie Thurlow ranch where they have since resided.

Edith was a member of the Hobby club and the Beaver Creek Friendly Neighbor club. She loved children, enjoyed all people and was a very good neighbor and friend; always willing to go out of her way to do a favor or lend a helping hand.

Edith is survived by her husband, Donald Bovee, two sons, Curt and Calvin, at home near Twisp; two daughters, (Shirley) Shockley, Wheatland, Wyoming and Beverly Johnson, Wenatchee; her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Claude E. Adams, Dwyer, Wyoming; four brothers and five sisters and by two grandchildren.

Funeral services were held at 2:00 p.m. Tuesday from the Twisp Methodist church with Reverend Lee Whiteside officiating. Bob Simmons sang two solos, "Beyond the Sunset" and "the Old Rugged Cross," he was accompanied by organist, Mrs. John Malzacher.

Burial was in the Beaver creek cemetery. Jay Stokes, Jim Simmons, Dave Johnson, Lee Siegle, Frank Thurlow and Orvan Campbell; all close Beaver creek neighbors, were casket bearers.

William Barnes, Okanogan, was in charge of arrangements.