

NORTHBESS, EVA JANE RICH

July 27, 1925-October 15, 2007

Funeral liturgy for Eva Jane Northness, 82, was held on Saturday, October 20, 2007, at the Saint Patricks Catholic Church in Wheatland with Con-celebrants Father Jay Santich and Father John Sarno. A Vigil for the Deceased was held on Friday, October 19, 2007, at the Gorman Funeral Homes-Platte Chapel in Wheatland. Interment was in the Wheatland Cemetery.

Eva Northness, a resident of Wheatland, died Monday, October 15, 2007, at the Wyoming Medical Center in Casper, Wyo.

She was born in Cheyenne, Wyo., the daughter of Earl Raymond and Coletta Josephine (Manning) Rich. The family moved around Wyoming many times as she was growing up, as her father was involved in building many roads including roads in Yellowstone Park.

She was married to George Edwin "Ed" Northness on Sept. 15, 1944, at Saratoga, Wyo. To this union four daughters were born, Joanna, Diana, Marsha and Debra.

Eva enjoyed her home, raising her daughters, sewing, baking and keeping house. Eva and Ed enjoyed rock and fossil hunting, and for a time owned and operated a café in Hyattville, Wyo.

She is survived by her three daughters, Joanna and Ed Tardoni of Rock Springs, Wyo., Diana Roising of Park City, Utah, and Debra and Leroy Kingery of Douglas; eight grandchildren; ten great grandchildren; and one sister, Gertrude "Jeri" Freeman of Cheyenne, Wyo.

She was preceded in death by her parents; her husband, Ed, on February 14, 1983; daughter, Marsha, at birth; two brothers, Robert and Fritz Rich; and a twin sister, Betty Jean Fossey.

Serving as pallbearers will be Alek Sander Roising, Nicholas Roising, James Tardoni, Michael Tardoni, Travis Doughtit and Jerry Dodd.

A memorial to the Converse County Hospital Foundation, P.O. Box 393, Douglas, WY 82633 would be appreciated by the family.

Gorman Funeral Homes-Platte Chapel of Wheatland is in charge of the arrangements.