

**Elizabeth M.
'Betty' Scranton**

7-7-2002

WHEATLAND - Graveside services for Elizabeth M. "Betty" Scranton, 91, will be conducted at 10 a.m. today in Wheatland Cemetery by the Rev. Les Ludlam of the United Methodist Church.

She died July 7, 2002, at Platte County Memorial Nursing Home in Wheatland.

Born Sept. 15, 1910, in Columbus, Ky., she was the daughter of Emmett Wyatt and Annie (Farris) Cresap; and graduated from Thermopolis High School. She then attended Chadron, Neb., Teacher's College.

On March 9, 1941, she married Orville Len Scranton in Wheatland.

She worked in the Nixon Super Market and then was in partnership with Wyona Chasteen in Marguerite's Dress Shop for 10 years.

After her retirement, she and her husband traveled extensively in their Airstream motorhome and, for several years, had a permanent winter home in Mesa, Ariz.

She was a member of the United Methodist Church and past member of the Order of Eastern Star.

Survivors include several nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by her parents; husband on April 17, 1989; and a brother, Mercer Cresap.

The family would appreciate memorials to the United Methodist Church, 907 Ninth St., Wheatland 82201.

Platte Funeral Chapel of Wheatland is in charge of arrangements.