

Marcella "Joyce" Settell

October 29, 1921 - June 5, 2016

Funeral services will be held for Marcella "Joyce" Settell Thursday, June 9 at 10 a.m. at the First Christian Church in Wheatland, Wyoming. Pastors Andy Gudahl and Casey Schroder will be officiating.

Joyce (Gudahl) Settell died Sunday, June 5th at Platte County Legacy Nursing Home in Wheatland.

Joyce was born Saturday, Oct. 29, 1921 in Bordeaux, Wyoming. She was the daughter of Oscar Bernhard Gudahl and Grace Viola (Broyles) Gudahl. She graduated from Wheatland High School and then went to "Normal Training" and became a teacher. She taught in country schools.

Joyce married Harold Augustine "Gus" Settell on Nov. 7, 1943. She was very active in the Platte County community. She belonged to Laramie Dell, Wheatland Garden Club, WTK, BFW, and several card clubs. Joyce enjoyed all of her friends dearly. She was a member of the Platte County School board for 19 years. She played an important role in bringing in the first hospital and nursing home to Wheatland. Her greatest joy was raising four children and her many grandchildren. Those who remember her *will remember her love of flowers and how she loved to "shoot the moon" playing pinnacle.*

She was a wonderful mother, grandmother, and great grandmother.

She is survived by her children Carol Russell of Wheatland, Bruce (Angie) Settell of Loveland, Ohio, Diana (Carl) Gross of Jackson, and Gary (Lana) Settell of Bend, Ore. She leaves behind ten grandchildren; twenty-one great grandchildren; and five siblings, Richard Gudahl of Gering, Nebraska, Donald "Don" Gudahl of Wheatland, Gene Gudahl of Cheyenne, Andrew "Andy" Gudahl of Wheatland, and Alice Jo (Gudahl) Parroitt of Bayard Nebraska.

She was preceded in death by her father, Oscar, on October 18, 1973; mother, Grace, on July 10, 1992; two brothers, Robert "Bob" on September 8, 1968 and Victor "Vic" on August 25, 1994; and her husband, Gus, on December 29, 2010.

Family and friends may call at the funeral home on Wednesday from 3 p.m. to 7 p.m. and at the Fireside Room at the First Christian Church on Thursday from 9 a.m. to 10 a.m.

Memorials may be sent to First Christian Church, 95 19th Street, Wheatland, Wyoming 82201, Old Grads, P.O. Box 333, Wheatland, Wyoming 82201, or donor's choice.

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

Condolences may be sent to the family at www.gormanfh.com.