



Shirley Louise Wix

April 9, 1935 - May 24, 2016

Shirley Louise Robertson Englert Wix

Meeker, CO: Shirley Louise Robertson was born April 9, 1935, to George Andrew and Myrtle Ida (Woodard) Robertson in their home at the back of her father's barber shop in Simla, CO. The family moved to San Francisco, CA, where they spent the next several years in the Napa Valley area. They later returned to Ramah, where they worked together at the family dairy. Shirley loved the country life. She fondly remembers playing taps on her trumpet while riding her horse bareback. Shirley graduated from Ramah high school and married her high school sweetheart, Thaddeus Joseph Englert. They had four children, two sets of twins, Cathy and Mark, and Lori and Lois. Shirley and Thad raised their family in multiple towns, including Ramah, CO, Ames, IA and the western slope of Colorado as Thad continued his education and Shirley pursued her realtor's license. Shirley was passionate about flower gardening, a skill nurtured and developed by her mother and grandmother. She enjoyed fishing, cross stitch, reading, golfing and in her words would like to have been able to paint. Others think she was a true artist. Shirley was an avid arrow head hunter and spent many pleasurable hours searching for "sign". She later married Clark Wix. They were restaurateurs, enjoyed traveling the world together, and played a mean hand of gin. In later life, they became snowbirds, spending summers in their beloved White River valley home and winters in warmer climates including Southern Utah, California, and

especially, Florence, Arizona. She never met a challenge she wouldn't take on, a rock she couldn't move or a project that was too big. Shirley always said her children and their families were the joy of her life and she felt very blessed. Her children in turn, knew her as the most loving, compassionate, accepting and giving mother.

Shirley is survived by: her children, Cathy (Brit) Smith, Mark (Janine) Englert, Lori (William) Robinson, Lois (Greg) Griffin; and her grandchildren, Jessi (Bo) Hodgman, Nattie (Craig) Ebert, Marc Schultz Smith, Cody and Kaitlyn Englert, Patrick and Sarah Griffin; and great-grandchildren Scarlett and Stella Hodgman; her brothers Lionel (Yvonne) Robertson and Lyle Robertson. Shirley was preceded in death by; her husband Clark; her parents George and Myrtle; and her brother Leonard.

The family would like to thank Father Jason and the Alter and Rosary Women of Holy Family Parish, Applegate Hospice, and Serenity Funeral Home of Southern Utah.

Funeral services for Shirley are scheduled for Tuesday May 31, 2016 at 11:00 a.m., at the Meeker Holy Family Catholic Church. Interment will follow at the Highland Cemetery in Meeker, CO.

Family and friends are invited to share condolences online at www.SerenityStG.com arrangements and memorial tree planting are under the direction of Serenity Funeral Home of Southern Utah, 435-986-2085.

Tribute Wall

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“ Hi there to some of my favorite people this is Sally Brown, you Mom and I were great friends had many good laughs and tears together, she was my friend and always there for me and I for her. She will always have a place in my heart I wish you all the best can't imagine how much you will miss her she always kept family together and was so proud of you all thanks for sharing her with me Love and happiness to you all.

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