



## Edna Viola Lynn

March 23, 1913 - December 26, 2014

Edna Viola Lynn, 101 years of feisty sweetness; of Fort Collins, went to be with the Lord on December 26, 2014.

She was born March 23, 1913. Edna's been a resident of Fort. Collins long enough to have owned and operated the original Rainbow Café with her husband Jack, who died in 1961. Then she was a seamstress at Paramount Cleaners for many years and retired from a job at Mountain Bell.

For years, Edna taught Sunday School and quilted whenever she could. A "Godly" woman would be a good description of her.

Edna's family consists of their three daughters, Floy Schwilling of Emporia, KS, Alfretta (and Ken) Ruhter of Aurora, CO and Myrna (and Harold) Schwindt of Fort Collins. Edna has 11 grandchildren, 24 great-grandchildren, 21 great-great-grandchildren and one great-great-great-grandchild. She helped raise 3 foster children as well.

Services will be held Friday, Jan. 2, 2015 beginning with a visitation at 9:30 am in the South Auditorium of Timberline Church, 2908 S. Timberline Rd. Edna's funeral service will begin at 10:30 Friday at Timberline Church. A luncheon will follow her service at the church, and later Friday, Edna will be laid to rest in Lakeview Cemetery in Windsor.

Any donations could be made to Heartland Hospice in care of Goes Funeral Care, 3665 Canal Dr., #E, Ft. Collins, CO 80524. Please go to [www.goesfuneralcare.com](http://www.goesfuneralcare.com) for maps and to share personal memories and condolences.

"A real woman of God, she listened to the Bible every day."

# Cemetery Details

## Lakeview Cemetery

32815 Hwy 257  
Windsor, CO 80550

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JAN 2. 9:30 AM - 10:30 AM (MT)

Timberline Church - Fort Collins Main Campus  
2908 S Timberline Road  
Fort Collins, CO 80525

## Memorial Service

JAN 2. 10:30 AM - 11:30 PM (MT)

Timberline Church - Fort Collins Main Campus  
2908 S Timberline Road  
Fort Collins, CO 80525

## Interment

JAN 2. 12:30 PM - 1:30 PM (MT)

Lakeview Cemetery  
32815 Hwy 257  
Windsor, CO 80550



# Tribute Wall



“ *Edna Viola Lynn*

October 25, 2022 at 06:14 PM



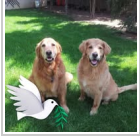
“ *Aunt Edna never forgot a family birthday and we always looked forward to her "Happy Birthday" calls as well as her weekly calls. I am so glad my sister Janice and I got to visit her and spend two days with her a couple of months before she passed. She had some great stories and shared some nice memories of her life and the family. Just like my Grandma Grinstead, she was a rock. Nothing could hold her down. I will love and remember her forever. She always called me Sandra---never Sandi.  
Sandi Ricci, Colorado Springs.*

**Sandi Ricci** - January 12, 2015 at 12:53 AM



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Sandi Ricci*

**Sandi Ricci** - January 12, 2015 at 12:38 AM



“ *Myrna and family*  
*Sorry for your loss. You and your family are in my prayers and thoughts.*  
*Pat Deines*

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**Pat Hoff Deines** - January 02, 2015 at 11:51 AM

GK

“ *Myrna, Harold and Vickie, when I think of Sis. Lynn, I think of your sacrificial and faithful love in providing constant hands on care whether it be helping your Mom/grandma to get her motored chair back up on its four wheels, the missing shoes discovery, find the missing batteries for her hearing aids, fixing her hair, buying fried chicken for Sunday dinner, etc. How many 100 year olds entertained wonderful firemen in her garden of flowers and roses. She was always so good to us. How she loved to pray for and help me and the Bible school students in Peru. She would ask me questions about them even after I retired. She was so excited to help buy chickens for this last trip to Peru in April 2014. Sis. Lynn loved the Lord and loved to read the Bible and pray. How she loved her family. Rick and Kent, I know that you were always close to your grandmother, too, even though distances were great. Her 100 th birthday party was a super salute to a super friend. I still have the bag of goodies to eat that I had bought for Christmas time ... I never made it to see her. She went home to be with the Lord instead. Praying for you, love, Gwen and Phyllis*

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**Gwen Kovac** - January 01, 2015 at 08:55 PM

LF

“ *Lola Starbuck and Family purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Edna Viola Lynn.*



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**Lola Starbuck and Family** - January 01, 2015 at 09:55 AM

GS

“ *Hi this Garry Simpson I know that sister Lynn and my mom. ran around together. She was really a blessing.*

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**Garry Simpson** - December 31, 2014 at 12:20 PM

JO

“ *Dear Edna Lynn was a strong, wise woman. She amazed me with her life and wit. She called me several times and I was amazed at her Christian strength. .I know she is with her Savior and happy. Bless her family, too.*

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**Jo Oakes** - December 30, 2014 at 07:55 PM

MH

“ *Caring Thoughts of Sympathy  
Love knows no yesterday or tomorrow, no beginning or end...  
Love never changes.  
May you cherish the love that will be with you always.*

*Live Today, Remember Yesterday, Await Tomorrow*

*"and God shall wipe away all tears from their eyes; and there shall be no more death, neither sorrow, nor crying... Revelations 21:4*

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**Maryann and George A "Andy" Hofferber** - December 30, 2014 at 06:09 PM

OS

“ Oscar and Fannie Starbuck purchased the Let It Snow for the family of Edna Viola Lynn.



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**Oscar and Fannie Starbuck** - December 29, 2014 at 08:09 PM

LW

“ We love you Aunt Edna. Lola Starbuck, and Jody Wilhelm



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**Laura Wilhelm** - December 29, 2014 at 07:33 PM

CH

“ Chrissy lit a candle in memory of Edna Viola Lynn



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**Chrissy** - December 29, 2014 at 04:21 PM

EF

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**Edna's Family** - December 29, 2014 at 04:20 PM

EF

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LF

*She was first lady in my life, God be with her family; my prayers go out to the family.*

**loretta faubion** - December 30, 2014 at 11:19 AM

LS

*Edna was an amazing woman and a great friend to the Sibson family, especially to our Uncle Ned Roderick. Edna, you will be missed by all of us.*

**Larry, Cathy, Al and Shirley Sibson** - December 30, 2014 at 08:25 PM

CT

*I have done many closings for Edna Lynn over the last 25 years. She is one person I will always remember. She knew her stuff. Just in the last couple of months I had the pleasure of working with her again, and WOW, what a lady indeed. She will be missed by Many. God rest your sweet soul Edna.*

**Christy Harras/Unified Title** - December 31, 2014 at 03:13 PM

GF

*This to my aunt Edna I miss you a lot to the family so for you loss and I love you and aunt Edna you and my pray for all of the family love gale*

**gale faubion** - December 31, 2014 at 10:56 PM

LH

*Edna sounds like she was a delightful woman, 101 yrs of feisty sweetness! My condolences to the family.... sounds like you have lots of great memories to comfort and sustain you....*

**Leslie Harms** - January 01, 2015 at 03:40 PM

RK

*Best Sunday school you could ever have ever have. Sorry to miss the going home celebration but we will see you latter ! We'll miss you till then. Robert Kindsfather*

**Robert Kindsfather** - January 04, 2015 at 02:38 AM



*Thank you all for your comments about Mom. She was a wonderful Christian Lady! We were so blessed to have her in our lives for so many years! I know she is walking on those streets of gold! She left a great legacy for all of us! We miss here, but we are so happy she isn't suffering anymore. Alfretta Ruhter*

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**Alfretta Ruhter** - January 04, 2015 at 01:34 PM