



Mavis Rose Yontz

April 3, 2023

Mavis Rose Erickson Yontz passed over on April 2, 2023, peacefully at home. Although we mourn her passing, we also rejoice in the great times we have had over the years. She came into this world October 1, 1935, daughter of Arlie and Ione Erickson at Peerless, MT. Married Ralph T. Yontz November 15, 1958 in Lutheran Church of the Good Shepard Billings, MT.

Mavis graduated from Peerless High School Salutatorian, MT, in 1953. She attended Rocky Mountain College at Billings, MT and Casper College in Casper, WY. Worked for First Interstate Bank and Westmorland Resources in Billings, MT. The family moved to Casper WY in 1977 where she worked for the U. S. Army Recruiting Service and the Bureau of Land Management until the family moved to Fort Collins, CO in 1988 where she worked for the U. S. Forest Service until she retired.

Preceded by her parents Arlie and Ione Erickson, sisters Mrs. Arlene Halverson, Mrs. Phyllis Swain, Mrs. Elaine Baldry, and brothers Kenny Erickson and Marvin Erickson.

Survived by her husband Ralph (Ted) Yontz, sons Bradley T. Yontz and Bruce K. Yontz, grandson Bradley T. Yontz, granddaughter Rachel M. Yontz and great grandson Wyatt T. Yontz, sisters Mrs. Janet Halverson Shelby, MT, Shirley Redd Post Falls, ID, Sharon Erickson Bethell, WA, brothers Ron

Erickson Billings, MT, and Larry Erickson Mesa, AZ, and her many cousins, nephews and nieces.

Mavis is a member of Our Saviors Lutheran Church where she was a Stephen Minister. Mavis really enjoyed family gatherings, church activities, boating, water skiing, fishing, camping, and best of all her bible studies each year.

Mavis will be interred Tuesday April 11, 2023, at 1:30 pm, Grandview Cemetery.

Cemetery Details

Grandview Cemetery

1900 West Mountain Avenue
Fort Collins, CO 80521
<http://www.fcgov.com/parks/grandview.php>

Tribute Wall

SP

“ Mavis and I were in Stephen Ministry training at the same time. I remember her very caring and loving ways for anyone in need. My thoughts and prayers to the family at this tough time.
Sharon Petersen

Sharon Petersen - June 25, 2023 at 03:59 PM

SE

“ I especially remember Mavis's walk in faith, her wonderful sense of humor and laugh, and her generous heart towards family and other people. She will be greatly missed.

Sharon Erickson - April 11, 2023 at 11:04 PM

JP

“ I worked with Mavis when she was with the Forest Service. She always brought a smile to my face and I just plain got a kick out of her. I'm sure her family and close friends will miss her sense of humor.

Judy Perry - April 09, 2023 at 01:07 PM



“ One of my most fond memories of Mavis, is of her singing to Brad & Bruce on road-trips. She would always sing, " I will make you fishers of men". She sang it so beautifully!

Shirley Redd - April 08, 2023 at 11:04 AM

SR

“ One of my most poignant memories is of Mavis singing to Brad & Bruce when they were babies, & we were on a road-trip. She would sing the song, "I will make you fishers of men". She sang it so beautifully 😍.

Shirley Redd - April 07, 2023 at 05:14 PM

PH

“ I have many fun memories with my Aunt Mavis and her little cookies with the nest on top that she would make at Easter is a favorite. We spent many Easter's with Mavis and Ted and Brad and Bruce in Billings. I will cherish her loving spirit and her giggle. It was so fun to laugh with Mavis! Love and miss you until we meet again. Patrice Halverson

Patrice Halverson - April 07, 2023 at 02:07 PM

DY

“ Donna Yontz lit a candle in memory of Mavis Yontz



Donna Yontz - April 07, 2023 at 12:19 PM

WS

“ My love and sympathy. I always think of Mavis and Ted when I walk past their home near O'Dea and the many times their friendly faces greeted me when I was walking my boys to and from school ❤️

Wendi Seidel - April 06, 2023 at 06:42 PM

DY

Thank you for your kind words.

Donna Yontz - April 07, 2023 at 12:40 PM