



## Marlene Joan Clark

January 22, 1935 - July 16, 2021

Marlene Clark, 86, a longtime resident of Soap Lake, Washington, went to be with her Heavenly Father on Friday, July 16, 2021, while at Columbia Basin Hospital in Ephrata, Washington, with her family by her side.

She was born January 22, 1935 to Joshua Willard and Edith Burkett-Willard. On May 24, 1953 she married William Clark in Rochester, Indiana. They raised eight children – Charlotte Clark, Donald Clark, Sandra Cole, Susan Clark, Daniel Clark, Lisa Hector, Roger Clark, and Sonya Clark. Marlene was blessed with 17 grandchildren and 39 great grandchildren. Marlene worked as a dietician for McKay Healthcare in Soap Lake for 28 years, retiring in 2001.

Our mother dedicated her life

to the Lord and was a member of the Assembly Of God Church

throughout her life. She was a loving, devoted mother, grandmother, and friend who always made everyone feel like they

were family – often baking treats and giving homemade gifts to everyone she came to know. She was preceded in death

by her husband, William Clark; son-in-law Paul Hayslett; grandson Daniel Hector; and grandson Matthew Hayslett. Graveside service will be held

at 11 a.m. on Wednesday, July 21, 2021 at Valley View Memorial Park in Soap Lake, with a celebration of life following the service at the home of Bart and Lisa Hector. Please express your thoughts and memories for the family at [www.nicolesfuneralhome.com](http://www.nicolesfuneralhome.com). Arrangements are under the

care of Nicoles Funeral Home in Ephrata, Wash.



# Cemetery Details

## Valley View Memorial Park

20174 Rd A N.E.  
Soap Lake, WA 98851  
(509) 754-4150  
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# Previous Events

## Graveside

JUL 21. 11:00 AM (PT)

Valley View Memorial Park  
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# Tribute Wall

MT

“ My mother was Wilmajean Willard Tullis, Marlene's sister, my aunt. I always loved to see her with her sunshine gold braids. What a ray of sunshine she was and now she hurts no more, she's with Jesus

Mary Tullis - March 14, 2022 at 09:06 PM

DC

“ What a great mom!! I miss you!!

Donald W Clark - August 05, 2021 at 07:31 PM

MG

“ When we moved to Soap Lake in 1961 Marlene was my Sunday School teacher. She was one of the sweetest people I've known. She treated everyone like family. I haven't seen her for a while, but I think of her often. What a privilege for her to have gone to be with her Lord and Savior on my 75th birthday! She will be missed by all who knew her.  
Marilyn Graffe



Marilyn Graffe - July 21, 2021 at 10:43 PM

LH

Thank you Marilyn! We were truly blessed to have her as our mother.

Lisa Hector - July 26, 2021 at 07:54 PM

WW

“ 1 file added to the album Memories Album



Willis (Bill) Willard - July 21, 2021 at 11:08 AM

KM

“ To Marlene's Family So sorry for your loss. Marlene was my Aunt my Mother Louise was her sister. I haven't seen Marlene since she left Rochester. I remember her having longer hair in pony or pig tails. Kay (Skidmore) Myers

Kay (Skidmore) Myers - July 21, 2021 at 10:18 AM

LH

“ Linda Hector lit a candle in memory of Marlene Joan Clark



Linda Hector - July 21, 2021 at 01:04 AM

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“ Linda Hector lit a candle in memory of Marlene Joan Clark



Linda Hector - July 21, 2021 at 01:03 AM

RC

“ Roger Clark lit a candle in memory of Marlene Joan Clark



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**Roger Clark** - July 21, 2021 at 12:53 AM

SB

“ Marlene is my grandmother, she is one of the most godly and faithful women I have ever known in my life. There are no words to describe the amount of respect I have for her. She is what every believer should strive to be and although I am sad that she is no longer with us I am happy that she is truly at peace with our maker. I love you Grandma.

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**Steven Ball** - July 20, 2021 at 06:32 PM

LH

“ Lisa Hector lit a candle in memory of Marlene Joan Clark



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**Lisa Hector** - July 20, 2021 at 05:42 PM