



Mary Ethel Fox

May 21, 1918 - December 30, 2022

Mary Ethel Fox, 104, was embraced by Our Lord on the afternoon of December 30, 2022. She was born on May 18, 1918 in Terry, Montana to Harvey and Nora Drummond. At a young age her family moved to Yakima, Washington where she met the love of her life James H. Fox. They were married in October of 1937 and raised six children. Ethel and Jim moved their family to Ephrata in November of 1961 where she became an involved member of the Saint Rose of Lima Catholic community. She is preceded in death by James H. Fox and their daughter Sharon Edith Keely. She is survived by Monnie Jo Chaney [Norm], Kathy Fox Anderson, James H. Fox Jr [Shannon], Jeffery Fox [Julia] and Julie Baricevic [Ferd]. As well as 18 grandchildren and 27 great grandchildren.

A funeral Mass will be celebrated on Friday, January 13, 2023 at 12:30pm at Saint Rose of Lima Catholic Church, 323 D street SW in Ephrata. Father Richard Sedlacek will officiate. Reception will be held following the service in the Parish Center.

Previous Events

Rosary

JAN 13. 11:30 AM (PT)

St. Rose of Lima
323 D St. SW
Ephrata, WA 98823

Mass of Christian Burial

JAN 13. 12:30 PM (PT)

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Tribute Wall

KZ

“ My grandma Ada loved Ethel! They would have lunch daily at the senior center unless it was liver & onions! (On those days it was a stop to the nearby country deli!) After I returned to Ephrata to help look after Gram, I was lucky enough to get to know Ethel as we had lunch at the senior center very regularly. We naturally sat with her every time & the rest of their friends. We enjoyed her immensely and I loved listening to their stories about us 'kids' as I was a classmate & friend to Billy. Prayers for to the family for comfort and healing during this difficult time.



Kyle Zeigler - January 11, 2023 at 10:05 PM

DC

“ Being fortunate to grow up across the street from Ethel Fox and the Fox family was a blessing beyond any words I could ever express. Jim and Ethel raised an amazing family of exceptionally good, honest and hard working kids. Ethel always treated all of us as her own not only as neighborhood kids but even in adulthood. With my Mom in the same facility I often had the pleasure of visiting with Ethel. She and Mom visited and shared many stories and laughs of the good ole Patrick Road days. She was always sharp as a tack and lovingly caught me up on Kathy, Jim, Jeff and Julie! I always left feeling loved and so appreciative of Ethel. God blessed our family to live across the street from Jim, Ethel and their incredible family. I sincerely love each of you. Thank you for a lifetime of great memories!

*Dave Canfield
A Proud Patrick Road Kid*

Dave Canfield - January 05, 2023 at 11:38 PM

DA

“ *She was always so gracious and humble!* ”

David - January 05, 2023 at 04:21 PM