



## Merle W Allen

July 2, 1920 - January 7, 2014

Merle W. Allen, 93 years, of Soap Lake, Wa. Quietly left us to be with our Lord on Jan. 7, 2014.

Born to James W. and Bertha V. Newell on July 2, 1920 in Ontario, Canada. She attended Everett Community College and Graduated as a Dietary Aide. She then moved on to work with the elderly and handicapped at Delta Rehabilitation and later, Merry Haven Rest Home, both located in Snohomish, Wa. Where she lived with her husband and raised their children. She enjoyed oil painting, crafts, cooking, and loving and playing with her children and grandchildren. She was an angel and prayer warrior to and for many. She made a permanent impression on anyone and everyone she met. She will continue to be an angel as a guardian to all her loved ones.

She was preceded in death by her loving parents, many loved aunts and uncles, her loving husband of 53 years, Harold Allen, her sister, Dorothy Bryzinski, her brothers; William Newell, Gordon Newell, and two sons; Gordon Allen and James Allen.

She is survived by her brother Glen Newell (wife Donna) of Marysville, Wa., and children; Michael Allen (wife Sheila) of Arlington, Wa., Carolyn McCullar (husband James) of Soap Lake, Wa., Glen Allen (wife Jackie) of Odessa, Wa., Kathy Brougher (husband Gordon) of Soap Lake, Wa., and many grandchildren and great-grandchildren.

Services to be held on January 25, 2014 at Nicoles Funeral Home, 157 C St. N.W. Ephrata, Wa. 98823 at 2pm. Reception to follow at the Lakeview Golf

and Country Club, 19547 Golf Club Rd. N.W. Soap Lake, Wa. 98851 at 4pm. Please express your thoughts and memories for the family and view the online tribute video at [www.nicolesfuneralhome.com](http://www.nicolesfuneralhome.com). Arrangements are under the direction of Nicoles Funeral Home of Ephrata, Wa.

# Previous Events

## Service

JAN **25**. 2:00 PM (PT)

Nicoles Funeral Home  
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# Tribute Wall



“ *Nicoles Funeral Home and Valley View Memorial Park created a Tribute Video in memory of Merle W Allen*



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**Nicoles Funeral Home and Valley View Memorial Park** - January 07, 2014 at 12:00 AM

TF

“ *We would like to say hi to all of the family of Mrs. Allen. You all have been in our thoughts & prayers @ this time. We were the new neighbors that built a house next door to your mom & dad in January of 1991. Your mom was the most warmest and friendliest person ever to help make us feel most welcome! Your mom and I had really good chats in the a.m. when I went out to hang up our clothes on our clothes line. She always had a great smile on her face. In fact, I always looked forward to visit with her. She would save her steak bones to feed to our dog Deek! Deek look forward to her too! We also loved to listen to the Fantastic music provided by the family on their front porch. It was a pleasure to be next door neighbors of the Allen's. We really missed her when she move away. Merle was like a family member to us.*

*Love the Gleason's : Terry, Tammi, Kevin (now 29 yrs.) & Tony(now 27 yrs.)*

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**Terry Tammi Gleason & Family** - January 25, 2014 at 08:08 PM

KG

“ *The first time I met Ms. Allen she said to me, I don't know who you are but I know you belong to me. Bless her heart, till we meet again, thank you sweet lady for your kindness and love.*

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**karen gaumont** - January 23, 2014 at 02:35 PM

AD

“ *We will always have a special love for a truly special women. Grandma was always very special to me. Rest in piece grandma. I will always love you.*


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**Alicia Day** - January 22, 2014 at 03:35 PM

LJ

“ *Larry Lee Bunney Jr lit a candle in memory of Merle W Allen*



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**larry lee bunney jr** - January 22, 2014 at 02:08 AM

 Jenna Scott

“ *she will forever be missed. love you grandma allen. earth has lost a angel*

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**Jenna Scott** - January 22, 2014 at 12:05 AM

BM

“ *Becky, Jenny and Rose before her passing, often spoke of their Aunt Merle's kindness and what a sweet spirit she had. During their visit a few years back, they really enjoyed their time spent with her and the family. Earth's Loss is Heavens Gain.*

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**Becky & Willard Moseley** - January 21, 2014 at 01:32 PM



“ I met my Grandmother Merle, I wished that I could have known her better, because she really knew what being a family is all about. She will always be in my heart. I love you very very much and you will always be missed.

Love you Grandma Merle

Your Grand daughter

Teri Lynn McCullar

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**Teri McCullar-Allison** - January 21, 2014 at 01:08 PM

AN

“ Very nice lady glad to have met her. God Bless her. Angela Negus

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**angela negus** - January 20, 2014 at 11:59 PM

TA

Grandma,  
Your blood runs through my veins and when I look in the mirror I see my resemblance to you, but as I sit here and think of you I morn all the memories I wish we had made. I want to tell you that I am sorry that life got so busy and I didn't take the time to make memories with you. I am however thankful that you are up there with Dad watching over us all as our guardian angels. I just needed to take the time to thank you for all the love you have given to the family and the wonderful memories that they will cherish for the rest of their lives. We love you!  
Tammy Jean

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**Tammy** - January 23, 2014 at 05:34 PM