



In Memoriam
MURIEL ANNETTE "BABE" MCHENRY
1923-2014

Muriel 'Babe' McHenry, PGM, passed away on July 10, 2014. She and her Worthy Grand Patron, Gary Craig, presided over the 105th Grand Chapter of Washington, "A Time to Remember" Session in 1993.

Sister Babe was born December 4, 1923 in Divide, Oregon and was the youngest of six children. She was not officially named until she was several months old...thus the nickname "Babe".

Babe spent her younger years in Oregon, then moved to Chelan where she graduated from Chelan High School. She returned to Oregon where she met Richard 'Mac' McHenry. They were married in 1942 and were married for 65 years. They were blessed with two daughters, Cynthia Louise (Stoess) and Maureen Jeanne (Mauri Mosman). Following Mac's discharge from the Navy they returned to the Chelan area in 1948.

Babe's focus was on her daughters and she became known as one of those mothers who volunteered to do 'everything' from providing food, chaperoning, transporting the girls to and from 4-H, Campfire, Rainbow, Drill Team and band.

As a teenager, Babe joined Rainbow and encouraged her daughters to also be a part of this wonderful organization. Her and her daughters' love for rainbow spread to 3 of her granddaughters.

Babe, Mac, and their daughters were initiated into Silver Star Chapter in 1969. She served as Worthy Matron three times. Babe was also a dual member of Astral Chapter in Wenatchee. She was appointed Grand Marshal in 1979 and in 1989 started her journey to the Grand East.

Babe is survived by her daughters, Cindy and Mauri; six grandchildren and eleven great grandchildren who will remember her with love and pride.

*Though her smile is forever gone and her hand we cannot touch,
We have so many memories of the one we loved so much.
Her memory is our keepsake with which we'll never part
God has her in His keeping; we have her in our hearts.*

That all may share in this Tribute to her memory, we ask that this Memorial be read at the first stated meeting after its receipt, and the Altar draped in her memory.

***Mary Ann Fergusson
Worthy Grand Matron***

***Jim Iversen
Worthy Grand Patron***

***Irene G. Jacobs
Grand Secretary***