



Doris Louise Poush

December 22, 1925 - April 3, 2019

Doris L. Poush, 93, passed away on Wednesday, April 3, 2019 at Ashley Manor in Evans.

Doris was born December 22, 1925 to Arthur and Lillian (Dunn) Accola at the family farm in Briggsdale, Colorado. Early life on the farm was challenging, but Doris said they never went without food for their bellies or clothes on their backs. She and sisters were always together, helping their daddy with chores and bringing in the cows while riding on the back of Darwin, their trusty steed.

She attended high school in Briggsdale. After graduating she became a substitute teacher at a one-room school house in Buckingham, Colorado. On December 22, 1945, she married Lester J. Poush. She worked for Montgomery Ward and Sears in Greeley, Denver and California. She was an avid reader and enjoyed word and jigsaw puzzles. She had a great love for family, adored her sons, grandchildren and great-grandchildren. She will be deeply missed by everyone.

She is survived by sons, Lester "Jim" Jr. and Pam, and Dean Poush and Paula, daughter-in-law Lynda Poush, sisters Elsie Baldon and Grace Austin, 7 grandchildren and 8 great-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by husband Lester J. Poush, son Ronald L. Poush, brothers Roy and Don Accola, and sister Jean Scopel.

Memorial contributions in Doris' memory may be made to the Alzheimer's Association in care of Ashley Manor Evans 1, 1805 32nd Street, Evans, CO 80620.

An online guestbook and obituary are available at www.moserfuneralservice.com.

Cemetery

Sunset Memorial Gardens

3400 W. 28th Street

Greeley, CO, 80634

Events

APR **Funeral Service** 10:00AM - 11:00AM

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The Moser Funeral Service Chapel

3501 S. 11th Avenue, Evans, CO, US, 80620

Comments



“ An external video has been added.



Moser Funeral & Cremation Service - April 04, 2019 at 05:54 PM



“ My mother, Rose Vawter Ball, enjoyed a friendship of years with Doris. I enjoyed our conversations of early times about Keota and Briggsdale when visiting at Bonell. These pioneers will be missed.
Wendell Ball

Wendell Ball - April 10, 2019 at 09:13 AM



“ Pretty Please was purchased for the family of Doris Louise Poush.



April 09, 2019 at 05:06 PM



“ Aunt Doris, you are part of my earliest memories! You were always a sweetheart to me and our family! We miss you very much, but know that at best, it won't be long before we are re-united with our lovely Lord and the rest of our family! See you in the morning!
Clark & Alice Baldon and family.

Clark Baldon - April 04, 2019 at 08:33 PM



“ A little sunshine will be missing from our world now that Aunt Doris's smile and constant laughter and song is out of sight. It's just a duet instead of a trio for now but oh what glory awaits! Aunt "Dorie" loves us and our kids and made each one feel special. In that way she reminded us of Granny. What a quick wit! We so enjoyed her stories of teaching at the one-room school house.

So many fond memories! Her absence will be felt but we will smile when we think of where she is now!

Love, Linda Dew

Linda Austin - April 09, 2019 at 10:45 AM



“ I'm going to relate two stories from sister Grace Accola Austin (you may have heard!). One day when Doris and Les were checking on a water tank, Les spotted a coyote next to the tank. So he let Doris out and told her to circle one side of the tank and he'd circle on the other side. Well, when she circle around back, the coyote and her came face to face!! She let out a scream and ran one way and the coyote ran the other way! Les was quite amused. :) Doris was not.

Another time, Doris headed out to the school and when she reached the school yard, her brakes failed. So all she could do was circle round and round the school house until the car lost momentum - leaving the children waiting at the door with wide eyes wondering what their teacher was doing!

We should write a book of all the adventures, including Doris and Grace on horseback and Darwin getting spooked by a snake and throwing them both into a patch of cactus - Grace being on the bottom. It took months to get all the quilts out.

Linda Dew

Linda Austin - April 09, 2019 at 02:45 PM



“ Doris was my teacher during my 4th and 5th grades at Sunnysdale School--a one-room grade school SW of Briggsdale.

Later, she was my 4-H Leader so I had a long, wonderful relationship with Doris. I learned to "raise one eyebrow" like she did when she did not approve of one's behavior and used that same tactic during my teaching career. Love you.

Cleo Mtzel Baker

Cleo Baker - April 09, 2019 at 08:57 PM