



Shirley Rose Zaske

Shirley Rose Zaske, 88, Box Elder, died on Wednesday, June 26, 2013, at the Golden Living, Bella Vista Senior Care Center in Rapid City.

Shirley was born on February 18, 1925, at McIntosh, SD, to George and Rose Ellen (Marshall) Mackay. She grew up in the rural Morristown area and attended rural school through the eighth grade. She went on to graduate from Morristown High School in

1943. She moved to Igloo, SD, and worked at the Post Office in Provo, SD, then the ordinance depot at Igloo, SD. In 1944, she moved to Denver to attend nurses training at St. Luke Hospital. She returned to Rapid City and married Glenn D. Zaske on February 19, 1955.

Shirley was a member of the First Presbyterian Church in Rapid City, where she served as elder trustee for a period of time. She was active in 4-H with the children, supported the boy scouts and girl scouts, and taught Sunday school. She enjoyed the outdoors, fishing, boating, and camping.

She was employed as a registered nurse with various employers such as Rapid City Regional Hospital, VA Hospital, USAF, US Army, Indian Health Services, and various other places in Minnesota, Colorado, Nebraska, North Carolina, and overseas.

Shirley is survived by her two sons, Marvin D. Zaske, Winnemucca, NV, and Clifford G. (Joy) Zaske, Rapid City; three daughters, Linda S. Zaske, Mesa, AZ, Karen J. Tracy, Rapid City, and Pamela R. (Meg Beck) Zaske, Denver, CO; five grandchildren, and fifteen great-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Glenn Zaske, her parents, and her sister, Gladys Ross.

Condolence s may be sent to the family at www.kinkadefunerals.com.



In Loving Memory Of



Shirley Zaske

1925 ~ 2013



Footprints

One night a man had a dream. He dreamed he was walking along the beach with the Lord. Across the sky flashed scenes from his life. For each scene, he noticed two sets of footprints in the sand: one belonging to him, and the other to the Lord.

When the last scene of his life flashed before him, he looked back at the footprints in the sand.

He noticed that many times along the path of his life there was only one set of footprints.

He also noticed that it happened at the very lowest and saddest times in his life.

This really bothered him and he questioned the Lord about it. "Lord, you said that once I decided to follow you, you'd walk with me all the way.

But I have noticed that during the most troublesome times in my life, there is only one set of footprints. I don't understand why when I needed you most you would leave me."

The Lord replied, "My son, My precious child, I love you, and I would never leave you. During your times of trial and suffering, when you see only one set of footprints, it was then that I carried you."

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Born

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Died

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Funeral Service

Monday, July 1, 2013, at 1:00 p.m.
First Presbyterian Church
Rapid City, South Dakota

Officiating

Pastor Jeff Kintner

Accompanist

Dr. Tom Vozzella

Soloist

Cathy Vozzella

Musical Selections

"The Old Rugged Cross" ~ "How Great Thou Art"
"Amazing Grace"

Pallbearers

Marvin Zaske ~ Clifford Zaske ~ Terry Zaske
Scott Zaske ~ Randy Zaske ~ Justin Holloway

Honorary Pallbearer

Glenn Zaske

Interment

Black Hills National Cemetery