



Shirley Dolores Wiser

March 1, 1938 - March 1, 2018

Shirley Dolores (Heinrich) Wiser was born March 1, 1938, in Ames, Oklahoma, to Samuel Heinrich and Emma (Ehrlich) Heinrich and passed away peacefully surrounded by her husband, Ted Dale Wiser, and her daughter Kimberly Wiser-Daggs, on Thursday, March 1, 2018, her 80th birthday, in Clovis, California.

Shirley attended Ames High School in Ames, Oklahoma. For her college years, she attended Southwestern Junior College, (now Southwestern Adventist University) in Keene, Texas, graduating with the class of 1958. After graduation she moved to Bakersfield, California where she was a receptionist for doctors Bernard, Bernard and Fender. While in Bakersfield, she met the love of her life in Ted Dale Wiser. The two were married in Bakersfield on August 27, 1961. They had one daughter, Kimberly Rochelle Wiser-Daggs.

In 1971 the couple moved to Ventura, California where Shirley was a stay at home mom with their daughter. She also played the piano and helped lead out in the cradle roll (birth to age 5) room at the Ventura Seventh Day Adventist church.

Shirley and Ted moved to Watsonville, California in 1976 where Shirley completed her library science training and became the librarian at Virgil Hauselt Memorial Junior Academy until 1983. She then became the librarian at Watsonville High School and stayed with the Pajaro Valley Unified School district by transferring to the Curriculum Center where she processed all library books and textbooks for all the schools in the district. Shirley was always an avid reader and loved having a job that allowed her to read books all day! She instilled this love of reading to her daughter and would always buy her grandkids the latest children's books. After the curriculum center closed, she worked her last two years as librarian at E.A. Hall Middle school in Watsonville until her retirement in 1993. They attended Watsonville Seventh Day Adventist church where Shirley continued to play the piano in the children's classes, as well as serve as a greeter, church librarian and church clerk.

Following retirement, Shirley enjoyed spending more time with her grandkids, reading, ceramics and cross stitch. Shirley and Ted moved to Clovis, California in 2001 to be closer to their daughter and grandkids.

Shirley was preceded in death by her parents, Samuel and Emma Heinrich; three brothers, Filmore Heinrich, Cletus Heinrich and Robert Heinrich; and a sister, Imojane Harris.

She is survived by her husband of 56 years, Ted Dale Wiser, of Clovis, California; her daughter, Kimberly Wiser-Daggs of Fresno, California; two brothers, Gilmore "Pete" Heinrich of Ringwood, Oklahoma and Larry Heinrich of Billings, Oklahoma; one sister, Joyce Helmer of Barstow, California; 5 grandchildren, Terrence Shepherd, Alyssa Daggs, David Daggs, Donovan

Daggs and Devin Daggs of Fresno, California; numerous nieces and nephews; and a large extended family.

Shirley was a delightful lady with a beautiful smile. Ted always remarked how her laugh filled him with joy. Many others have commented on her kindness and the care she showed to others. She was a very devoted wife and mother. Shirley was always ready and willing to help those in need.

A Celebration of Life for Shirley Dolores Wiser, will be held at 4 p.m. Saturday, March 17, 2018, at the Sunnyside Seventh Day Adventist Church.

Previous Events

Memorial Service

MAR 17. 4:00 PM (PT)

Sunny Side Seventh Day Adventist
5375 N Maroa Ave
Fresno, CA 93704

Tribute Wall



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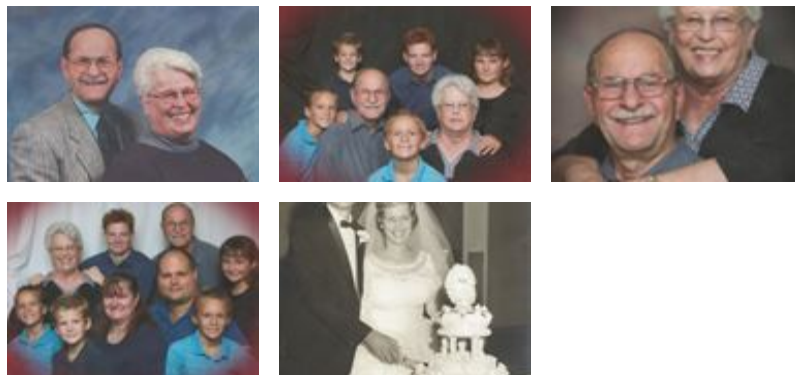
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“ Peace, Prayers, & Blessings- Lavender and White was purchased for the family of Shirley Dolores Wiser.



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“ We were classmates at Keene, TX. We took library science classes at PUC together. She was a lot of fun and was always happy and smiling. Loved her laughter. She was a dear sweet Christian and I am thankful for her friendship. Hope to attend the service and meet her family. I taught library at FAA and knew some students named Daggs.

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“ I met Shirley when Kim and I became fast friends working at McDonald's Kimmy moved in with me so we could work opposite shifts to take turns watching our kiddos the fondest memory of Shirley I have is just how kind and good heart she was to me and Jaima

Shannon Moyer - March 08, 2018 at 12:45 PM



“ I have known Shirley “Mom” since Kimmy and I met almost 40 years ago at a craft class at our local hardware store. Kimmy is my best friend. I send my thoughts prayers and love to Dad, sis and the kids. Mom and her kindness and generosity will be greatly missed.

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