



Ladora Christina McBride, 95, of Bozeman passed away February 9, 2008. She was born May 15, 1912 in Great Falls, Montana to William J. and Venna Ivo (Moore) Kerr.

Ladora graduated from Great Falls High School in 1930, and Montana State College in Bozeman in 1935. She married Everett Kenneth McBride in Great Falls on October 17, 1936. The couple had three children. During her life, she and her husband lived in Billings, Nye, Absarokee, Big Sky, and Bozeman, Montana.

Ladora enjoyed art, weaving, crafts, and garage sales. She exhibited her art and crafts at fairs held in Billings, Great Falls and Bozeman. She was a member of the Gallatin Canyon Women's Club and served as an election judge at Big Sky. She was also a life member of Alpha Gamma Delta. Before age determined she and Kenneth should not drive, they enjoyed many years traveling with their RV and boat visiting friends and fishing in Canada and the western states.

She was preceded in death by her parents, an infant sister, Ladora C.; brother, Frances Sparks Kerr and Robert Roscoe Kerr, and two grandchildren.

Ladora is survived by her husband of seventy-one years, Everett ("Ken"/"Mac"); daughter, Ladora Jean (Dave) Tudor; son, Donald K. (Katherine Ann Freese) McBride, all of Bozeman; and son, Robert N. (Shirley Anne Sorenson) McBride, Silverdale, WA; six grandchildren, Kimberly M. (Tim) McLean, Bellevue, NE; Terri L. McBride (Kevin O'Neill), London, England; Kristie L. (Rich) Russell, Castle Rock, CO; Jeffery M. (Christina) McBride, Yorktown, VA; Laurie A. (Mike) Larson, Bozeman; and Clifford D. (Jennifer) Tudor, Plevna, MT; and seventeen great-grandchildren, Kandace, Marcus, Lisa and Abigail McLean; Jackson, Whitman and Quinlan O'Neill; Avery, Peyton and Taylor Russell; Lindsey and Amelia McBride; Keely and Kamryn Larson; and Courtney, Chloe and Sophia Tudor. Also surviving is a sister-in-law, Lydia Lorraine (William G.) Stucky, Ames, Iowa.

Memorial services will be held at Big Sky, Montana at a later date. Memorials may be made to Eagle Mount, 6901 Goldenstein Ln. Bozeman, MT 59715. Arrangements are in the care of Dokken-Nelson Funeral Service.