



Elizabeth “Goldie” Ann Tschache peacefully passed away on February 18, 2009 from natural causes under the dutiful care of the nurses at Gallatin County Rest Home and Bozeman Deaconess Hospice. Goldie was born to the joy of John and Rose Goldhahn on January 19, 1916 in Geraldine, Montana. She was raised in a warm and loving family of eight children on the family farm just north of Geraldine where she was christened with the nickname Goldie. Upon graduating from high school, Goldie attended nursing school in Great Falls.

Goldie married Junior W. Tschache in 1939 and together moved to Bozeman with Junior’s brother Ott and his wife Ellen. Together, the four of them owned and managed the Coast to Coast hardware store in downtown Bozeman for 30 years. Goldie was a gracious and caring wife, mother and grandmother while supporting and assisting Junior in their many business pursuits including a grain elevator painting company, electrical contracting, mobile home sales and real estate development. Together, Goldie and Junior are perhaps best known for their vision and developments along both the North 7th and North 19th corridors in Bozeman, Montana.

Goldie was a devoted life member of the Lilly of the Valley Eastern Star and a dedicated member of the Grand Cross of Colors. Her passion and lifelong commitment to these organizations was rooted in the ideals, principles and moral constitution of these wonderful organizations which served as personal guideposts in her daily life. Goldie was definitely a woman of grace and elegance.

Goldie was preceded in death by her parents John and Rose Goldhahn, husband Junior Tschache, brothers John, Harold, Chuck and Bob Goldhahn as well as her sister Lillian Anderson. Surviving Goldie are her brothers Henry and Jim Goldhahn, daughters Grace (Gary) France, JoAnn (Don Sr.) Cape, grandchildren Leah Cape, Darcy Cape, Don Jr. (Shavon) Cape and great grandchildren Chantelle, Brandon, Brianna, Hannah and Carter.

The family would like to extend a very sincere thank you to the many caregivers at Aspen Pointe, Birchwood, Bozeman Deaconess Hospital and Hospice and Gallatin County Rest Home. You showed Goldie kind and compassionate care that her family is most grateful for.

Goldie will be remembered warmly by her family and friends for her graciousness, tenderness, love, compassion and most of all, the bright twinkle in her blue eyes when she would smile. God blessed the people with whom she shared her life.

A celebration of Goldie’s life will be held this spring. Should friends desire, memorials may be made to the Gallatin County Historical Museum, 317 West Main Street, Bozeman, MT 59715. Arrangements are in the care of Dokken-Nelson Funeral Service.
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