

Apollonia "Lony" Skinner

Apollonia "Lony" Skinner, 82, Grand Forks, ND, died Friday, September 9, 2005 in Valley Memorial Home Woodside Village.

Apollonia Theda was born February 9, 1923 in Dresden, Germany the daughter of Franz and Clara Theda. She was raised and educated in Germany.

She married Fritz Kretzschmar in Germany. They moved to the United States in 1961 and lived in Connecticut where they owned and operated a dental laboratory. They moved to Grand Forks, ND before Fritz's death.

Apollonia married Norris Skinner in September of 1973 in South Dakota.

They lived in Grand Forks, ND. Norris died November 29, 2002.

Survivors include: step-sons: David (Susan) Skinner, Grand Forks, Timothy (Avis) Skinner, Grand Forks and Ted (Linda) Skinner, York, PA; step-daughters, Pennie Sue (Iris) Kelly, Des Moines, IA, Merrily (Michael) Osburnsen, Hackensack, MN, Gay Fankhanel, Barnesville, MN, Nancy (Louie) Amann, Cottonwood, AZ, Jill (Steven) Anderson, Hudson, OH; many grandchildren and great grandchildren; a special sister-in-law, Edythe McGuire, Grand Forks.

She was preceded in death by her parents.

Graveside Services will be 2:00 Monday, September 12, 2005 in Memorial Park Cemetery, 1003 N. 23rd St., Grand Forks, ND.

Arrangements are with Amundson Funeral Home of Grand Forks, ND
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