



Dethloff, Clea Oleta (North)

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Decatur~ Clea Oleta Dethloff, 99, went to be with our Lord Thursday, March 10, 2022, in Decatur.

Funeral Service will be 2 p.m. Monday, March 14, at Hawkins Funeral Home Chapel in Bridgeport with burial to follow in Pleasant Grove No. 1 Cemetery in Decatur. Family will receive friends 4 to 6 p.m. Sunday at the funeral home.

Rev. Gary Demmitt will officiate. Allen Dethloff will speak.

Pallbearers are to include Rick Slimp, Dwaine Taylor, Jason Taylor, Charles Reynolds, Josh Reynolds, Johnny Paddack, Billy Paddack, Stephen Graybill, Brandon Graybill, Chris Dethloff, Allen Dethloff, Keith Long, Kendall Dethloff and Kelton Dethloff.

Oleta was born July 31, 1922, to Clarence Franklin and Lola Oleva (Barrick) North in Decatur, and was a life-long resident of Wise County for all of her 99 years, 7 months, 10 days. She was united in marriage to Martin Leo Dethloff June 8, 1957, in Weatherford, and together spent many wonderful years until his

passing in 1994. She was a member of The First Baptist Church in Decatur.

She was preceded in death by her parents; her first husband, Carol Edwards Taylor, on September 3, 1956; her second husband, Martin Leo Dethloff; her sons, Dennis Taylor, Melvin Lee Dethloff and Billy Wayne Dethloff; four grandchildren; and a son-in-law, Rev. Doyle Slimp.

Those left behind to cherish her memory are her daughter, Sue Slimp of Decatur; her daughter, Wanda Salinas and husband, Tony, of Decatur; her daughter, Leta Paddack and husband, Dennis Kirby, of Springtown; her daughter, Rosie Lang and husband, Robert, of Bridgeport; her son, Alvin Dethloff and wife, Kelli, of Chico; her daughter, Diann Long and husband, Terry, of Bridgeport; her son, Leon Dethloff and wife, Robin, of Bridgeport; and her daughter, Lisa Wages and husband, Terry, of Bridgeport; 29 grandchildren; 55 great-grandchildren; 26 great-great-grandchildren; five great-great-great-grandchildren and five more on the way; and numerous extended family members and family friends.

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