



## Lena Winters

January 1, 1917 - June 21, 2013

Magdalena "Lena" Winters (96) of Yakima passed away on Friday June 21, 2013 in Yakima. She was born on January 1, 1917 in Brush, CO to John and Ann Marie (Helzer) Ashenbrenner. Lena was one of twelve children and was raised and educated in Colorado. She moved here in the mid 1940's after working in the shipyards during WWII as a rosey rivoter, and farmed with her husband northeast of White Swan for many years. She was a homemaker and will be remembered by her family as a hard worker that took great pride in her yard and her house. Lena could run the farm on her own if she needed to and was home every day after school for her children. She will be remembered for her sense of humor. Lena was raised a 7th Day Adventist and attended the Harrah Grace Bretheran Church later in life.

She is survived by four sons, Bob (Maurine) Winters of Zillah, Ralph (Margie) Winters of Edmonds, Darrell (Patricia) Winters of Harrah and Leroy Winters of Monroe; three daughters, Shirley Winters of Citrus Heights, CA, Norma (Todd) Baker of Sebastopol, CA and Ruby Winters of Palm Springs, CA; 20 grandchildren and numerous great and great-great grandchildren. Lena was preceded in death by her husband, Reuben; one grandson, Terry and eleven siblings. Visitation will be on Monday from 1-5PM at Colonial Funeral Home. Funeral services will be on Tuesday June 25, 2013 at 1PM at Colonial Funeral Home with interment to follow at West Hills Memorial Park. Friends can send condolences at [www.toppenishfunerals.com](http://www.toppenishfunerals.com). Colonial Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.



# Previous Events

## Visitation

JUN **24**. 1:00 PM - 5:00 PM (PT)

Colonial Funeral Home  
228 S. Alder  
Toppenish, WA

## Service

JUN **25**. 1:00 PM (PT)

Colonial Funeral Home  
228 S. Alder  
Toppenish, WA

# Tribute Wall



“ *Lena Winters*

October 05, 2023 at 11:22 AM



“ *Our thoughts and prayers are with you at this time of your loss. Lena was a wonderful lady.##imported-begin##Ben and Kathy Hammett##imported-end##*

June 30, 2013 at 05:15 PM



“ *Bob and Maurine, our heartfelt condolences on your loss. I lost my dad just before his 99th birthday. We're lucky that we got to enjoy our dad and mom for so many years.##imported-begin##Jim Flint and Karen Spence##imported-end##*

June 28, 2013 at 07:31 PM



“ *Dear Bob and Maurine Winters and family we are so sorry to hear of your loss, and want you to know that our prayers are with you and your family. In memory of your mom, please remember that;*

*Those whom we have loved  
Never really leave us  
They live on forever in our hearts  
And cast their radiant light  
On our every shadow*

*Jessie and Kathy Garza##imported-begin##Jessie & Kathy Garza##imported-end##*

June 23, 2013 at 11:28 AM



“ *My Aunt Lena was one of my favorite people. She and my Uncle Reuben took great care of my family when we were in crisis and I love them for that.*

*The summers we spent on their farm will always be with me.##imported-begin##Susan VanCleve##imported-end##*

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June 23, 2013 at 12:36 AM