



## Angeline Garton Estes

January 18, 1931 - October 2, 2024

Angie Garton Estes, a beloved mother, grandmother, and great-grandmother, passed away peacefully at the age of 93, on October 2, 2024, in Chelan, WA. Born in Braymer, MO, on January 18, 1931, Angie lived a life filled with love, laughter, and the warmth of family.

In her early years, Angie embraced the simple joys of life in Missouri, developing a deep appreciation for farm life and mud puddles. In the 1940s, her family made the brave decision to move to Chelan, where she fell in love with the beauty of the lake, the mountains, and her future husband, Buck. In 1949, she married the love of her life, Kenneth "Buck" Garton, and together they built a beautiful life and family. This picturesque setting became her home for most of her life.

Angie was known for her playful spirit and her unwavering dedication to her family. She raised three children, instilling in them the values of kindness, resilience, and hard work. As a grandmother and great-grandmother, she took immense joy in spending time with her grandchildren, sharing stories and creating cherished memories that will last for generations.

In addition to her devotion to family, Angie was a vibrant part of the Chelan community, holding 17 different jobs over the years. She ran Mom's Motel, worked at Green's Drug, was the first employee of Judy Jane Bakery, and was a familiar face at the Mirror, the Ruby Theatre and Beebe Dole. Her work ethic and friendly demeanor left a lasting impact on everyone she met.

Angie was an active member of her community and church, volunteering at

local events and supporting various charitable causes. An avid collector, Angie had a passion for garage sales, travelling, bingo, and dancing. Her home was a gathering place for family and friends, filled with laughter and love.

Angie is survived by two of three children: Marcia Garton and Kenneth "Buck" (Charlene) Garton; two grandchildren: Chris (Verna) Garton and Melody (Scott) Hampton; five great-grandchildren: Logan, Keegan, KarLee, Charlie and Edison; and sister, Myrna VanCleave. She was preceded in death by her beloved husband, Buck; bonus husbands: Al Terwilliger and Leo Estes; son, Jerry Garton; parents, Calvin McBee and Wavah (Tripp) McBee; and siblings, Charles McBee, Robert McBee, and Ella George.

A celebration of Angie's remarkable life was held on Saturday, October 12, 2024, at 11:00 AM at the Precht Rose Chapel. In lieu of flowers, the family requests that donations be made to the Chelan Senior Center, a place that Angie held dear.

Angie will be dearly missed by all who knew her and her spirit will live on in the hearts of her family and friends. Her legacy of love and kindness will continue to inspire generations to come.

# Previous Events

## Celebration of Life

OCT **12**. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (PT)

Precht Rose Chapel  
332 E. Woodin Avenue  
PO Box 306  
Chelan, WA 98816  
(509) 682-2524  
mike@prechtrose.com  
<https://prechtrose.com>

## Inurnment

OCT **12**. 12:00 PM - 12:15 PM (PT)

Chelan Fraternal Cemetery  
815 N. Bradley St.  
Chelan, WA 98816

*Inurnment immediately following the celebration of life at Precht Rose Chapel*

# Tribute Wall



“ *Precht Rose Chapel and Barnes Chapel created a Tribute Video in memory of Angeline Garton Estes*



Precht Rose Chapel and Barnes Chapel - October 07, 2024 at 06:05 PM

TK

“ *RIP our dear friend. Tom and I think of you and Leo often.*

*Your smile and memories will always bring joy*❤️

Tom & Kim - October 09, 2024 at 09:36 AM

CB

*My selfish heart is sad for the passing of Angie but my mind is grateful for all the sweet memories she placed there. She was so gracious to my hubby, Arnold, when he always bargained with her for her fun bottle collection. I'm sure they are having a great reunion now. Her smile never faded & it brought endless joy*💜❤️💜

Chrystal Bertram - October 20, 2024 at 12:15 PM

JP

“ *Jennifer Pacheco lit a candle in memory of Angeline Garton Estes*



Jennifer Pacheco - October 06, 2024 at 12:19 PM

CW

“ *R.I.P. Angie.  
Heaven definitely gained another Angel. You  
will never be forgotten .*



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**Cheryl A. Williams** - October 05, 2024 at 07:21 PM