## **Dorothy Wedemeyer Harding 1913 to 1997**

Funeral services for Dorothy (Wedemeyer) Harding, 83, will be held Thursday, March 27, 1997, at 2 p.m. at the Platte Funeral Chapel in Wheatland, Wyoming, with Andy Gudahl, Minister of the First Christian Church officiating. Interment will be in the Wheatland Cemetery. Mrs. Harding died Friday, March 21, 1997, in Prineville, Oregon.

She was born October 28, 1913, in Wheatland, Wyoming, the daughter of Frank D. and Mary (Johnson) Wedemeyer.

She was reared and educated in Wheatland, graduating from Wheatland High School in 1930; she attended Barnes School of Business in Denver, Colorado.

Dorothy worked at the Wheatland General Hospital until 1936 when she was accepted a civil Service appointment in Washington D.C. with he Interstate Commerce Commission; she held this position until 1970 when she retired. She married Loran F. "Todd" Harding in Washington D.C. on October 4, 1936. After Mr. Harding's death, Mrs. Harding continued

to live in Washington D.C. until she moved to Charlotte, North Carolina and later to Redmond, Oregon, to be near her daughter and family.

Mrs. Harding is survived by a daughter, Linda Kirby of Lakenheath, England; two sisters, Elizabeth VanDercook of Charlotte, North Carolina, and Louise Orr of Wheatland; and a grandson, Loran Shane Kirby of Lakenheath, England.

She was preceded in death by her parents and husband, Loran F. "Tod" Harding on March 1, 1984.

Serving as pallbearers will be James "Butch" Orr, Jerry Orr, Donnie Wedemeyer, Don Gudahl, John Baker, and Greg Wedemeyer.

Memorials to the First Christian Church, 95—19th Street, Wheatland, Wyoming 82201 would be appreciated by the family.

Family and friends may call at the funeral chapel on Wednesday from 9 a.m. to 7 p.m. and on Thursday from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m.

The Platte Funeral Chapel of Wheatland is in charge of arrangements.