



## Marie R. Bean

September 3, 1922 - February 8, 2014

Marie R. Bean, age 91, passed into the arms of the Lord on February 8, 2014 in Fort Collins, CO. She was a resident of Columbine West at the time of her death. Mrs. Bean was born Marie Gebhardt on September 3, 1922 on a farm near Luray, KS. She graduated from Luray High School in 1940 and attended Ft. Hays State Teachers College. She taught school in Osborne and Russell Counties, Ks. After her marriage to Leonard C. Bean in 1946, to whom she was married for 40 years she became a homemaker. She moved with her family to the Poudre Canyon in 1963. She loved the Poudre and spoke of her time there until the end of her life. She was a member of the Bellvue Baptist Church of Bellvue, CO. She was preceded in death by her husband, Leonard; her parents, Adolph and Violet Gebhardt; 2 sisters, Helen Ulrich and Bonnie Letourneau. Survivors include 3 sons; Dell of Ft. Collins, Blake Cindy of Ft. Collins, and Clark Emily of Flagstaff, AZ. 10 grandchildren, 16 great grandchildren, 2 sisters Doris Raney of Bellville, KS, Connie Vopet of Wichita, KS and one brother, Edward Gebhardt of Atlanta, GA. Cremation has taken place. A private service will be held at a later date in Luray, KS.

# Tribute Wall

AV

“ CLARK I AM SO SORRY ABOUT YOUR LOSS ,I KNOW WHAT YOUR GOING THREW I WENT THREW IT THREE TIMES IN LESS THAN TWO YEARS .THANKS FOR ALL THE HELP YOU GIVE ME AT LESHER JR. HIGH IT WILL NOT BE FORGOTTEN .YOU WERE A STUDENT TEACHER THAT YEAR .SORRY ONCE AGAIN

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**Amando Vasquez** - March 03, 2014 at 12:00 AM

DH

“ Dear Del and Family, We are so sorry to learn of the loss of your mother. Sincerely, The Hopkins

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**Donn Hopkins** - February 17, 2014 at 12:00 AM

RK

“ Wishing your family strength and peace. May you feel that God is near.

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**Reggie & Frances Kemp** - February 13, 2014 at 12:00 AM

KG

“ I wanted to tell you how much I have loved seeing your dear mother every week for the last 10 years. I have delivered her groceries as a volunteer from Albertson's. Visiting with her has always been such a joy. I will never look at a word puzzle and not think of her! She had a quick wit and great sense of humor until the very end. She was a wonderful lady and I'm thankful to have known her. She always spoke very highly of Her Boys! She is very missed at Oakbrook I. Sincerely, Kathy

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**Kathy Goodell** - February 13, 2014 at 12:00 AM

JM

“ *Blake sorry to hear about mother I will think about the flood when I think about you and dell in kansas to move her out Jerry &Darline*

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**jerry mccollum** - February 12, 2014 at 12:00 AM