



Bertha Faye Shiplet,

December 9, 2011

After 75 years of loving and caring for her family, Bertha Faye Shiplet peacefully ascended surrounded by her family on Thursday, Dec. 8, 2011. She was born in Mountainair on Rattlesnake Hill on July 23, 1936. She was preceded in death by her loving husband, Raymond Shiplet; her parents, Bud and Beulah Garner; her sisters, Mildred Matthew and Wanda Riley; brother, Boyd Garner; and daughter-in-law Sandra Shiplet. Bertha Faye was a loving mother to Carolyn and Ricky Baca, Michael and Lorraine Shiplet, Jay and Carmen Shiplet, Dwain Shiplet, Richard Shiplet, Jack Shiplet and his companion, Tonya Herrera, and Gene Shiplet. She was a proud grandmother of 11 grandchildren and 22 great-grandchildren. She made the world a better place for them and those that came into her life. She taught us to be kind, honest and hold strong to our core values. Although she is gone, her love, strength and laughter will live on through those who survive her. A visitation will be held at 10:30 a.m., Saturday, Dec. 10, and a funeral service will be held at 11 a.m., at Romero Funeral Home in Belen. Interment will immediately follow at Terrace Grove Cemetery. The family would like to extend a special thank you to Presbyterian Hospice Care, which much appreciation to Pam Mares and Denise Chavez, and family friend, Lupe Rodriguez. Sign Bertha's online register book at www.romerofuneralhomenm.com. Romero Funeral Home, 609 N. Main St., Belen, NM.