Elsie Tittle

Elsie Tittle, lifelong resident of Waterville, WA passed away September 6, 2015, at the age of 90.

Elsie's knowledge and love of dahlia gardening was a deep well that many NCW Dahlia Society members drew from time and again. At the same time, Elsie was always learning, listening and applying ideas that might make her a better grower. Her garden was enjoyed by all who drove past it on the main street of Waterville, where she grew many blooms, and competed in local dahlia shows and fairs.

From the moment that Elsie realized that there was a dahlia society in North Central Washington, she became an active and valued member. Elsie was a charter member of the North Central Washington Dahlia Society in 2004, where she developed many wonderful friendships within the group. Elsie was very generous with her time and mentored many new dahlia growers. She was true “giver.”

Elsie was also known for her pies and garlic dill pickles, among other wonderful things.

Elsie is survived by her daughter Val (Leland) Fischer, 2 grand daughters and 1 great-grand daughter. She will be greatly missed.

Donations may be made in Elsie’s name to the Waterville Federated Church, Douglas County Historical Society or the North Central Washington Dahlia Society. Services will be held at the Waterville Federated Church Saturday, October 3, 2015, at 1:00 p. m.