



Helene Schmidt

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Helene Schmidt Helene Schmidt died on April 13, 2003 in Tacoma while her husband, Irvin; daughter Kristine (Mrs. Robert Perez); sister, Anneliese Foreman; son, Byron; and daughter-in-law Teresa and their children, Philip and Sophia were visiting her at Manor Care to observe her 72nd birthday. She was born Helene Growe, to Theodore Growe and Elizabeth (Semrau) Growe in Goersdorf, Poland on April 13, 1931. She is survived by those mentioned above and also a sister, Maria Ott, of Radolfzell, Germany and a brother, Alphons Growe of Geilingen, Germany. Helene was a beautician and owned and operated Helene's Hair Fashions in Tacoma from 1978 until 1998. Prior to that she was employed by Jimmy's House of Beauty in Tacoma. She was preceded in death by her mother and father, three brothers, Felix, Kurt and Rudi; and a sister, Greta. Her poise, tact and discretion, as well as her bright sense of humor and sense of elegance will sorely be missed. She suffered a series of strokes during the past two years, each more debilitating, culminating in her death on Sunday. She was a wife, mother, grandmother, businessperson, and most of all, a real friend. Rest in Peace. Private services will be held at Mt. View Garden Chapel.



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Anonymous posted:

Deepest sympathy to all the members of Helene's family. I share your grief as I have lost a good friend.##imported-begin##Eleanor R. Batey##imported-end##

April 15 at 6:00 PM



Anonymous posted:

The world lost a beautiful, gracious person when Helene died. She was my mother's beautician and as such I saw her frequently. I remember oohing and ahing over the selection of gorgeous items she'd brought in to her shop to sell (what taste she had!), over her shop's decor, over her beautiful home & garden...resplendent with her presence. She was not only an elegant lady, but ever so kind and gracious...even when she was ill and really shouldn't have been working, she managed to work on Mom's hair, doing the wonderful airwave that only Helene knew how to do! She was an artist. With hair, with her home & garden. I too shall miss her. I only wish I had known her better! With sympathy--
Bea Batey##imported-begin##Bea Batey##imported-end##

April 15 at 6:00 PM



Anonymous posted:

Our condolences to Irvin, Kirsty & Bryon -Helene was a beautiful, wonderful friend and we will miss her.Our prayers are with all of you##imported-begin##Rod & Hank Stowell##imported-end##

April 15 at 6:00 PM



Anonymous posted:

Annelise, we were saddened by Helene's passing, and we want to share with you our deepest sympathy and love. You have been such a good friend to our family and we know you will greatly miss your sister. Our thoughts are with you.##imported-begin##Neil and Donna Wissing##imported-end##

April 15 at 6:00 PM



Anonymous posted:

AnnaliceMy love and prayers are with you at this time.##imported-begin##Karen Barker##imported-end##

April 14 at 6:00 PM



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Anonymous posted:

May we give our condolences Irv., Kristy and Byron. You were wonderful neighbors. God will love her. Neil, Dolores, Denice & Bill Truax, Mike & Micheal & mellissa Thornhill, Brad, Tonya & Cory, Zach & Taylor Thornhill. ##imported-begin##dolores&neil thornhill##imported-end##

April 14 at 6:00 PM



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