



Yasue Kitemura Ten Eyck

November 11, 1931 - September 2, 2009

Yasue Kitemura Ten Eyck was born on November 11, 1931 the youngest of five children of Yosamatsu and Yuki Kitamura, in Kawaski City, Kahasawa, Japan. She grew up in Japan in a large, affluent Japanese family. Yasue graduated from high school in Kyoto City in 1946. Yasue led a sheltered life in her younger years and aspired to be a professional singer.

Yasue married Gerald Ten Eyck on November 15, 1963 in Japan. They lived in Japan, Long Beach and San Diego, California, Texas and Valley, Nebraska. Jerry passed away in 2006 and Yasue continued to maintain her home in Valley.

While in California, Yasue ran a day care for the neighborhood children and in later years worked at Rob-See-Co in Waterloo. Yasue enjoyed making afghans, garage sales, fishing, mowing her lawn and tending her garden. She loved family holidays and having friends to her home for a barbeque but her favorite pastime was playing cards. She loved her poodles, especially Tiger who she pampered shamelessly. Yasue is remembered as a generous woman who was friendly, determined, independent and spoke her mind. She cared deeply for the well being of others, was dearly loved by her friends and was always a classy dresser.

Yasue passed away on Wednesday, September 2, 2009 after a long battle

with cancer, at her home in Valley with many family and friends surrounding her at the age of 77 years, 9 months and 22 days. She was preceded in death by her parents, husband Jerry and siblings Toshiko, Yoshikazu and Yuno. Yasue is survived by sister-in-law and brothers-in-law, Sherrie and Chuck Hascall, Elkhorn, NE and Merlyn Ten Eyck, Dow City, IA; mother-in-law Lucile Ten Eyck, Valley, NE; niece Nikki Creger, Elkhorn, NE; sister Miyoko; aunts and uncles, nieces and nephews; special nephew Dale Ten Eyck; special friends Brenda and Kelly Cody and Georgene Shunk; extended family in Japan; her beloved dog "Tiger".

Tribute Wall



“ *Yasue Kitemura Ten Eyck*

December 10, 2022 at 09:12 AM



“ *Dear Chuck, Sherrie, Nikki and the rest of the Ten Eyck family,
We are very sorry of your loss of Yasue, I have a lot of fond
memories of Yasue and Jerry. Yasue was a very loving, caring
person.*

She will be missed by all her friends and family

Bill and Kristi creger

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