Dorothy Miriam Cole (Jones)
July 6, 1931 – March 28, 2012

It is with great sadness we announce the peaceful passing of Dorothy Cole on Wednesday, March 28, 2012 at the Leduc Community Hospital in Leduc, AB at the age of 80 years. Remaining to forever cherish her memory are her children, Lynda (Cal) Moore of Lac La Biche, AB; Judy (Rick) Hewitt of Winnipeg, MB; and Edward (Lynn) Cole of Leduc, AB; 11 grandchildren and 21 great-grandchildren, her three sisters - Eileen Wilson, Bernice (Wally) Andruszkiew, Shirley (Lloyd) Reidle, and many nieces, nephews, family and friends. She was predeceased by husband, Lloyd Cole on December 20, 2011; son, Gordon Cole; sister, Vivian and her husband Fred North; and parents, Tom & Hilda (Bunny) Jones.

Born in Neepawa, MB and raised on the family farm near Brookdale, MB, Dorothy married Lloyd Cole from Wellwood, MB. In 1958 they left Manitoba for the Arctic to New Aklavik East Three - Inuvik, NT, and over the years they resided in Pine Point, NT, Faro, Yukon, Whiterock, BC, Chilliwack, BC and then Leduc, AB.

Family was everything to her, and she enjoyed her children, grandchildren and great-grandchildren. In earlier years she enjoyed playing softball, curling and golfing. Active members in the Royal Canadian Legion for many years, darts and bingo were a favorite and there was always a deck of cards ready for a game at her house. She also kept up with the grandkids and technology with her laptop and recently got an iPad. She liked to keep in touch via Facebook and MSN Messenger.

According to her wishes, cremation has taken place and burial will take place in July 2012 in Manitoba. A celebration of Life will take place in Leduc, AB on April 14, 2012 for both Dorothy Cole and Lloyd Cole at the Royal Canadian Legion, Branch 108, Leduc, AB.

The hardest things in life to bear, is to want your Mom but she’s not there. As long as we live we will always be glad, for the wonderful Mom we were so lucky to have.