



## Vira Evelyn De Fries

January 23, 2017

### Obituary of Vira De Fries

Vira Evelyn De Fries, 99, of The Villages went to be with the Lord on January 23, 2017. Vira was the daughter of Leslie and Edith Hanchett. Born in Clyde Kansas, Vira was an only child. Vira graduated from Clyde High School and then went on to obtain a teachers certificate. Vira was preceded in death by her husband, Bill. Vira is survived by her children, Don, Patty and Richard and her step-son Bill; 10 grandchildren and 14 great grandchildren. Vira was a homemaker for most of her life. Vira moved many times during her life courtesy of the United States Air Force. She lived throughout the United States and spent 3 years in Lima, Peru. After Bill retired from the Air Force, California became home for 20 years. Early in the 90's, Bill and Vira moved to The Villages and were active in several clubs as well as their church. Vira loved dancing. She also enjoyed cooking, baking and making candy. Vira also liked playing the organ.

### Visitation and Service

Services will be held at Beyers Funeral Home, 134 North Highway 27/441, Lady Lake, Florida 32159 at 3 p.m. on Saturday, January 28, 2017. Visitation will begin at 2 p.m. Interment will be in Arlington National Cemetery at a later date.



# Tribute Wall



“ *Vira Evelyn De Fries*

January 25, 2017 at 12:00 AM



“ *It was a pleasure to be able to meet Vira, and be fortunate enough to be able to do work with her, and we happily took on the challenge of finding matching pink carpet. Every time we spoke to Vira she had an abundance of knowledge to share with us, and was witty to match. It was such an honor to meet a lady of her stature and be able to make her feel comfortable enough to allow us into her home, and trust us to take on her project. For the short time, we got to know her, she made a lasting impression on us as a company and as individuals. We offer our deepest condolences to the family and friends of Vira, and send our well wishes, and prayers for peace and comfort during this time of grief. HomeTown Builders Family*

Elisa Adams-Rae - January 25, 2017 at 12:00 AM