



Helen O. Ericson

September 18, 1921 - June 13, 2012

Helen Olsen Ericson

NANA is in heaven! She was born September 18, 1921, in Hovden, Norway. She entered her heavenly home on June 13, 2012. She lived in Santa Barbara, CA, for 48 years and most recently lived in Rancho Cucamonga, CA. Nana was a committed wife, mother, sister, aunt, grandma, great grandma, and friend. Everyone knew her as "Nana", the one who happily and unselfishly gave of herself to many.

Nana spiritually led four generations. She was a model of a true follower of Christ. Everything she did was positively contagious. She was a charter member of Trinity Baptist Church of Santa Barbara, CA.

Nana was predeceased by her husband of 63 years, Clarence (Bud) Ericson, and by a son, Gary Ericson. Survivors include her daughter, Judith Ericson of Texas, and sons Douglas Ericson (Beverly) of FL, David Ericson (Sue) of Canyon Lakes, CA, 7 grandchildren, 15 great grandchildren, and many nieces and nephews.

A graveside service will be held June 29th, at 2 PM at the Santa Barbara Cemetery. A celebration of her life will be held June 30th, at 2 PM at the Welch-Ryce-Haider Funeral Chapel in Santa Barbara, CA. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to the Association of Baptists for World Evangelism at P. O. Box 8585, Harrisburg, PA 17105. To leave on-line condolences please visit www.wrhsb.com.

Cemetery Details

Santa Barbara Cemetery

901 Channel Drive
Santa Barbara, CA 93108
(805) 969-3231

Previous Events

Graveside Service

JUN **29**. 2:00 PM (PT)

Santa Barbara Cemetery
901 Channel Drive
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Memorial Service

JUN **30**. 2:00 PM (PT)

Welch-Ryce-Haider - Downtown
15 E. Sola St.
Santa Barbara, CA 93101
(805) 965-5145
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<https://www.wrhsb.com>

Tribute Wall

DB

“ We had the extremely good fortune many years ago to meet and then come to know Helen through the marriage of our son and her Granddaughter Heidi. As years passed we saw her often and so enjoyed her company during seasonal and family gatherings. A more gracious, elegant and pleasant lady no one could ask for. We will not forget that always had a twinkle in her eye and a smile on her face that warmed the room. While Helen's presence will be sorrowly missed, it's great consolation to know that she is again among welcoming and loving family and friends.

*Daniel and Bonnie Burt
Rancho Cucamonga, CA*

Daniel Burt - June 25, 2012 at 02:09 PM