

Laura Virginia “Davis” Peppin

Laura Virginia “Davis” Peppin, also known as Gin to her friends and Grandma Gin to her grandchildren, died on Wed. Nov. 2, 2011 in Oakdale CA at the age of 85. Virginia was born June 21 1926, in Dawson, Colfax County, New Mexico to Alvin and Beatrice “Rork” Davis. She was raised until age 12 in Dawson, NM, the town that she loved. Virginia moved to California until 1979. She was a resident of Cimarron, NM until July 31, 2011.

Virginia in her life was a career woman and a woman’s rights activist. She was active in her community and the politics of her state and country. She was known for her quick mind, kindness and her little touch of Irish wit. She was a graduate of Modesto High School in 1946.

Virginia is survived by her children, Dallas and wife Brenda “Taylor” Scott of Oakdale CA, Vivien “Scott” and husband Robert Andrews of Oakdale CA and Kathleen “Scott” and husband Rodney Van Nostern of Stockton CA. Grandchildren Alton and wife Carol Scott of Modesto CA, Dannett and husband Adam Hope of Modesto CA, Ashton and wife Adrienne of Oakdale CA, Sherry Tharp of Albuquerque NM, Scott and wife Jill Tharp of Kemmerer WY, David Van Nostern of Stockton CA, Sara and husband Chad Hasenbuhler of Stockton CA, eight great grandchildren and one great great grandchild.

At Virginia’s request there will be no services.

Source: Vivien Andrews (daughter); November 6, 2011