

# Nell Elizabeth Davis

January 16, 1927 - January 3, 2019

Nell Elizabeth Davis (née Clark) passed away January 3, 2019 at age 91.

Nell Clark was born January 16, 1927 in Ashville, North Carolina to Ralph and Rose Clark. She graduated from Bent County High School in LaJunta, Colorado in 1945 and attended the University of Denver. On June 23, 1946, she married Charles (Chuck) Davis in Fort Lyon, Colorado. They were married for 58 years.

She was the devoted mother of Carol Davis of Fort Collins and Cathy Davis of Cheyenne, Wyoming, adored grandmother of Stacy Hodgson, Jeri Fleuter (husband Tim) and Erin Curtiss (husband David) and beloved great-grandmother of Tristan (wife Monti), Lane, Charles, Mae, Charlie and Cameron. She was also the beloved aunt and great-aunt of family members in Colorado, Wyoming and Kentucky.

Nell lived in Fort Collins for over 70 years. She worked at the Lyric Theater while Chuck served in WWII and later worked at the CSU bookstore. For most of life she was a homemaker and the indomitable matriarch of the Davis and Clark families. She was devoted to her family and doted on her granddaughters, great-grandchildren, nieces, nephews and grand and great-grand nieces and nephews.

She loved to play golf at City Park 9 as well as Collindale and Estes Park. She and Chuck enjoyed traveling to many exciting locations with Ports of Call. During her lifetime Nell served as a brownie leader, room-mother and was a member of the Order of Eastern Star. She loved needlework and made beautiful sewn craft projects and crocheted blankets. Nell also enjoyed card games, especially bridge with her friends and beating her family in gin-rummy. She loved to shop and will be remembered as a very fashionable lady. Nell was an avid fan of the Denver Broncos loved cheering on her favorite team.

She had many wonderful friends at Ridgen Senior Living in Fort Collins and enjoyed weekly bingo, bible study and happy hours. In her later years Nell enjoyed coloring and shared her beautiful art work with friends and family.

Her family is grateful to have shared in her long and wonderful life and she will be greatly missed by her devoted family and her many friends. She was proceeded in death by her husband, Charles Davis, her parents, Ralph Leonard Clark and Rose Creasman Clark, and her brother, Horace Clark.

A graveside memorial service will be held on Friday January 25, 2019 at 10:00am at

Grandview Cemetery. A celebration of Nell's life will continue with lunch at Club Tico in City Park at 12:30pm. Friends should feel free to join her family for either or both events. Ridgen Senior Living residents are invited to join her family for a happy hour in her honor at 4:30pm in the dining room.

In lieu of flowers, donations may be made in her honor to VFW Post 1781- Fort Collins or Animal House Rescue Fort Collins.

Details regarding the service on January 25, 2018:

Grandview Cemetery: The service will be held in Section 2, Plot 166- which is on the south side, nearest to the City Park golf course.

Club Tico: Lunch will be held at 1599 City Park Dr, Fort Collins, CO 80521 (near the swimming pool). There is parking available on the street in City Park and the building is handicap accessible.

#### Psalm 23

The Lord is my shepherd; I shall not want.

He maketh me to lie down in green pastures: he leadeth me beside the still waters.

He restoreth my soul: he leadeth me in the paths of righteousness for his name's sake.

Yea, though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I will fear no evil: for thou art with me; thy rod and thy staff they comfort me.

Thou preparest a table before me in the presence of mine enemies: thou anointest my head with oil; my cup runneth over.

Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me all the days of my life: and I will dwell in the house of the Lord for ever.

### **Events**

### JAN Graveside Service 10:00AM

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Grandview Cemetery
1900 W. Mountain Ave. Fort Collins, CO US 80521, Fort Collins, CO, US, 80521

### JAN Celebration of Life 12:30PM

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Club Tico 1599 City Park Dr, Fort Collins, CO, US

JAN Happy Hour 04:00PM

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Rigden Farm Senior Living 2350 Limon Dr., Fort Collins, CO, US, 80525

#### **Comments**



My condolences to Nell's wonderful family. I remember what a sweet and kind woman she was! I grew up down the street from her and remember going to her house for cookies.

Stephanie Work-Baker

Stephanie Work-Baker - January 21, 2019 at 08:40 PM



66 My condolences to the family of Nell Elizabeth Davis gloria - March 01, 2019 at 01:44 PM



We came to Westview in the 1960s and soon found Nell Davis to be the neighbor everyone wishes they could have. Thanks to her we felt welcome and appreciated. Our three wild kids played safely under her eye. She was there to listen when we needed to talk and generous with good advice. She was our neighborhood leader, too, this smiling lady who never hesitated to take on problems ranging from litter and missing pets to national and local politics. I shall miss seeing her on my walks past the house: her smile made a difference in countless of my days.

James Work - January 21, 2019 at 07:53 AM



Ave. My Husband and I moved in just before Chuck died. We had the chance to meet him before he passed and taught us a lot about the area and how it had changed. Nell made me a baby blanket for my first born and I have passed it along to my other two and keep it for memory sake. I still have a griddle I bought at her garage sale and think of her each time I pull it out to use. I also remember her gracious hospitality during my summer pregnancy when she invited me in to enjoy her air conditioning. Just little things, but they have stuck in my memory. Our thoughts and prayers go out to the family.

Valerie and Andrew Schuh

valerie schuh - January 20, 2019 at 05:34 PM



66 DEAR CAROL, CATHY & FAMILY,

WE ARE SO SORRY FOR YOUR LOSS. SHE WILL BE GREATLY MISSED.
NELL WAS A FAVORITE COUSIN AND WE REALLY MISSED HER AND HER
FAMILY WHEN THEY MOVED WEST, MANY, MANY YEARS AGO. ONLY HAD THE
CHANCE TO VISIT ONE TIME IN COLORADO AND FOR SOME YEARS WE
COMMUNICATED.

TO MY KNOWLEDGE, WE WERE THE LAST LIVING FIRST COUSINS OF THE CREASMAN FAMILY. WOULD LOVE TO BE THERE FOR THE CELEBRATION OF LIFE, BUT AGE IS CREEPING UP ON ME ALSO. LOVE TO ALL!

ROY & GLORIA CREASMAN SURFSIDE BEACH, SC

ROY & GLORIA CREASMAN - January 09, 2019 at 06:54 PM



66 I'm so glad we had this wonderful evening together with family! I miss you! Jan Clark



Jan Clark - January 08, 2019 at 07:30 PM



Ramona Irvine lit a candle in memory of Nell Elizabeth Davis



Ramona Irvine - January 08, 2019 at 07:29 PM



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Bohlender Funeral Chapel - January 08, 2019 at 04:45 PM



66 I remember Nell Davis hosting the after prom breakfast for about 6 or 7 couples in 1964. Who does that??? Feed a bunch of teenagers a full breakfast at 1 AM?. Very classy, very memorable

Kathy (Williams) Blegebron

Kathy Blegebron - January 21, 2019 at 10:10 AM