

## August Iannelli, 89

August Iannelli, 89, of Kalispell, died Thursday, Oct. 28, 2004, at the Montana Veterans Home in Columbia Falls.

He worked at Plum Creek Lumber Co. until his retirement.

He is survived by his son, Todd Iannelli, of Kalispell; and a daughter, Claudia.

A graveside inurnment will be at 1 p.m. Wednesday at the Montana Veterans Home Cemetery in Columbia Falls with military graveside honors by the Veterans of Foreign Wars.

Columbia Mortuary in Columbia Falls is in charge of arrangements.

## Darlene Ibsen, 84

Darlene Ibsen, 84, passed away April 1, 2004, at her home overlooking Whitefish Lake with loved ones by her side.



Darlene Lillian Johnson was born in Kalispell, on Nov. 20, 1919, to Charles and Myrtle Johnson and attended Whitefish and Kalispell schools.

She married Ivan Ibsen in Idaho on July 1940; the couple then moved to Seattle. In 1944, the couple and their two children returned to the Flathead Valley where they lived out their lives in loving fullness.

Darlene was a key business partner in Ibsen Plumbing in Whitefish. She was a faithful member of Christ Lutheran for 60 years, serving as a teacher for the church's Sunday and Bible schools.

She was a skilled seamstress and quilt maker. She assumed the role of family historian and care-

fully collected and recorded the details, stories and photographs of the Johnson and Ibsen heritage. Her homemaking skills, both as a parent and as a cook, are legendary.

She is remembered for the brightness shining through her kind eyes, for a great strength and energy unexpected in such a slight frame, and for her inability to keep off the dance floor whenever music was played. She loved a party.

She was preceded in death by Ivan, who passed away in 1996 after 55 years of marriage.

She is survived by her son, Richard and his wife, Tana; and by her daughter, Doreen Cavin and her husband, Ben. There are five grandchildren, five great-grandchildren, a nephew and nieces. She dearly loved them all.

Services will be held 2 p.m. today at Christ Lutheran Church in Whitefish.

In lieu of flowers, the family wishes any donations to be sent to either Home Options (751-4200) or Shepherd's Hand (862-2615).

## Tana Rae Ibsen, 62

Tana Rae Ibsen, 62, died suddenly on Thursday, Dec. 9, 2004, in Livermore, Calif.

Memorial services are pending.

## Ethel T. Ill, 82

Ethel T. Ill, 82, died on Monday, May 24, 2004, at her home in Bigfork.

She is survived by her husband, Bernard Ill, and her son,

Ken Ill, both of Bigfork.

Cremation has taken place. Bigfork Funeral Home is caring for the family.