Leona M. Gordon

Needmore, 97

Leona M. Garland Gordon, 97, Needmore, Pa., died Thursday, January 22, 2015, at Pennknoll Village in Everett, Pa.

Born March 3, 1917, in Warfordsburg, Pa., she was

the daughter of the late Russell S. Vida and Golden Manning. She was the widow of Sheridan L. Garland, her first husband.



who died October 9, 1971, and her second husband, J. Pierce Gordon, who died May 19, 1985.

She was a homemaker. and a member of the Hancock Assembly of God Church, where she was a Sunday school teacher for many years, she also helped the ladies make quilts.

She is survived by one daughter, Geneva L. Duvall, and husband Richard, of Crystal Spring; two sons: Harry L. Garland and wife, Sally, of Needmore; and Charles R. Garland and wife Joyce, of Greencastle: two stepdaughters: Dorothy Ann and husband George Robert Kirk and Martha Jane Hause, both of Waynesboro, two sisters: Jeanie Michael, of Williamsport, Md., and Evelyn Potter, of Hagerstown, Md.; eight grandchildren; and 14 great-grandchildren.

She was also preceded in death by two sisters: Ella Mae Shank and Margaret C. "Peg" Gordon; and one

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brother, Ronald Manning, and a daughter-in-law, Mary Anne (Chestnut) Garland.

Services were held Wednesday, January 28, 2015, at 11 a.m., at Hancock Assembly of God Church, Hancock, Md. Rev. Don Preston will officiate. Burial was private in Pleasant Ridge Cemetery, Needmore, Pa.

Memorial contributions in her name can be made to the Hancock Assembly of God at the above address.

Arrangements were handled by Grove Funeral Home, Hancock, Md.