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KNUDSON, Ora G., longtime Lakewood resident, passed away June 7, 1998. Ora was Lakewood's first Postmaster, a position she held until she retired after 29 years in 1989. She also ran for California State Assembly in 1960 when President John F. Kennedy was elected. Ora was preceded in death by her husband, Joseph. She is survived by her loving daughter, Kathy Knudson; son, Alvin Knudson; granddaughter, Kristen Knudson; and sisters, Leona Devenny and Edna Hostetler.

Visitation will be Thursday (today) 2pm-8pm, and Friday, 10am-5pm, both at Stricklin/Snively Mortuary, 5001 Lakewood Blvd., Lakewood. A Vigil Prayer Service will be Friday at 7:30pm at St. Pancratius Catholic Church. A Funeral Mass will be celebrated on Saturday at 10:30am at St. Pancratius Catholic Church, 3547 St. Pancratius Pl., Lakewood. Interment will follow at Rose Hills Memorial Park in Whittier.

Family assisted by
**Stricklin/Snively Lakewood
Mortuary, 562/272-2765**