

Howlak Tichum

~ Josephine Joy Thompson - Xaslu ilaatxsha (Dancing Star)
~ May 11, 2016 - September 4, 2024

Josephine was born on May 11, 2016 to Josiah Thompson and Emily Seideman in Pendleton. She passed away on September 4, 2024 in Portland.

Josephine was enrolled member of the Confederated Tribes of Umatilla. She enjoyed school. She just started third grade at Washington Elementary in Pendleton. She received a number of awards and certificates in first- and second grades. She enjoyed attending the Confederated Tribes of Umatilla Indian Reservation After School Program. She attended kindergarten at the Warm Springs academy.

Josephine loved her little brothers and baby sister. She loved to hold them close to her. She was a remarkable sweet girl with a beautiful soul



who loved Jesus. She was kind, calm and caring. She was also meticulous in her ways. She was an extremely talented artist, she was quiet but her art spoke loudly. She loved to draw and took great joy in her artwork and penmanship. She loved Hello Kitty, Stitch and IKEA. She loved to wear bows in her hair. She was a delight to all who knew her. She loved adventures and spoke what was on her mind. She had a smile that would light up the room and her laughter was contagious. Josephine had a curiosity that could not be cured. She was truly a blessing to be

around. She also enjoyed being a Lil Cheerleader at Pendleton High School, making fry bread, playing on their tablet. Josephine taught herself to Jingle Dress dance in 2022, she was a beautiful dancer. Josephine was Baptized in May 2023 at the Pendleton Bethel Assembly of God by Pastor Tim VanCleave. She previously attended Sunday School taught by Merna VanCleave. Josephine is survived by her Mom Emily Rose Seideman. She loved her Mom with all her heart. Brothers Jevon George Thompson, Ezekiel Jackson Boise and sister Mountain Flower Katherine Boise. Josephine lived with paternal grandmother Sarah Frank, brother Jevon Thompson and uncles Bavis Thompson and Kanet Wolfe Jr. in Mission. She had family from the Umatilla, Warm Springs, Nez Perce, Yakama and Couer D’Alene Indian Reservations including: Maternal grandmother Katherine Minthorn, uncle Jerome Minthorn, aunt Shannon Galloway and cousin Miles Minthorn. Uncle Marcus Muldrow

and aunt Raven Lawson. Paternal grandfather Curtis Thompson Sr., uncles Curtis Thompson Jr, and Devon Thompson. Warm Springs Family includes: Calvin and Barbara Poncho, Lucy Smith, Linda Allen, Sandra ‘Baby Ann’ Scott, Margaret Suppah, Eldred Frank, J’Dean Kalama, Floyd Frank Sr., Flora Frank, Rachel Frank, Cyril Frank Sr. and Eileen Kalama. She was preceded in death by her father Josiah Thompson in 2021. Aunts Keisha and Mountain Flower Lawson. Grandparents Leland and Deanna Thompson and Elvis Frank and Carol Burke. Pendleton Pioneer Chapel attended to her. Dressing services was held at the Mission Agency Longhouse on September 9. Burial was at Mission Agency Cemetery on September 10, 2024. We will miss you so much Sweetie, thank you for bringing Joy into our hearts and lives...

Notes The Warm Springs Prevention Third Annual Prevention Fest is this

Wednesday, October 16 from 3-6 p.m. The Prevention team is giving away pumpkins for kids, and there will be food and other festivities, by Prevention on

the Campus. The Warm Springs Recreation Department invites everyone to a Halloween Dance this Friday, October 18 from 5-8 p.m. in the Community Center social hall They will have a costume dance contest, and announce the drawing contest winners and prizes.

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Trunk or Treat

Located @ the CWC parking lot



Judging at 5:00pm based On theme

Thursday 31, 2024 Set up 3:00pm Starts 4:00pm Ends 6:00pm

Family Trunk or Treat front parking lot @ the Community Wellness Center

The theme this year is "Step into Frankenstein's Laboratory"

Best decorated trunk 1st 2nd 3rd place prizes

For More information & to sign up call Recreation@ 541.553.3243



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