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**ARNOLD, Alice Halsey**, born to parents Louis A. and Christine (Ironeyes) Halsey in Wakpala, South Dakota, on October 16, 1914, Alice Marie Halsey grew up on the Standing Rock (Sioux) Reservation, and graduated from Wakpala High School, SD, in 1938.

In 1939 Alice left the Dakotas to attend the University of New Mexico, one of the earliest Sioux women to do so. She met and married a UNM classmate, Private Rhodes F. Arnold in 1942 and left school at UNM as a junior to accompany her husband and give birth to her son, Rhodes Felton Arnold, III, affectionately known as "Pancho," in 1943.

For the remainder of her life she worked as a homemaker, spending many years in Albuquerque, NM, and Tucson, AZ. Upon his retirement from teaching for the Tucson School District and USAF Reserves, Lt. Col. Arnold moved Alice to Reserve, New Mexico. Alice helped watch her daughter Raquel's children intermittently for many years. Both David L. and Raquel Roybal retired as Lieutenant Commanders in the U.S. Navy.

Divorced in 1993, after 50 years of marriage, Alice moved to Albuquerque to live with her daughter. Alice passed away at her daughter's home in Albuquerque, on January 30, 2006, after a decline from a stroke suffered in April of 2005. Alice is survived by one younger sister, Margaret Teachout and by her son, Rhodes III and daughter, Raquel. Additionally, grandsons, James Arnold and David J. Roybal; granddaughters, Danielle Peralta and Laura Roybal and great-grandchildren, Andrea Duran, Gabriella Roybal, Brooke and Colton Arnold, Victor and Alexandra Peralta, and newborn, Jacob David Roybal, survive her. Ceremonies were held in North Dakota, including a Rosary on February 3, at Mandan, and Mass and interment at St. Peter's Catholic Church and Cemetery in Fort Yates, February, 4, 2006.

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