The family of Polly Dennisow of Krestova, sadly announces her passing, with her family at her side, at Kootenay Lake Hospital, on Wednesday, September 5, 2012, blessed with 93 years of life.

Polly was born in Pelly, Saskatchewan on August 2, 1919, to parents Annie and William Kinakin. In 1930, the family moved to BC and in 1939 she met and married Mike Dennisow. In her younger years Polly’s life was very traumatic, but her faith in God and the Doukhobor leaders gave her the strength to raise four children, in whom she instilled her Doukhobor faith and values. Polly took good care of her family, managed to enjoy gardening, sewing, knitting and crocheting and would often say, “Look how wealthy I am, having such a big family”.

She was predeceased by her half-sister Alice and brothers Pete, Mike, Bill and John.

Left to mourn her loss is her loving husband of 73 years, Mike; her daughters Margaret (Nick) Boulin, Helen (Peter) Ogloff, Karen (Leonard) Markin and Stella (Harry) Zeabin; 10 grandchildren; 16 great-grandchildren; 2 great-great-grandchildren; brother George Kinakin and a very large extended family.

Funeral Services were officiated by her son-in-law Leonard Markin at the Krestova Community Hall on Saturday, September 8, 2012, followed by interment in the Krestova Cemetery.

Arrangements were in care of Castlegar Funeral Chapel.

“MAY SHE REST IN PEACE, IN GOD’S KINGDOM”