

**Thelma Hawks Marple**  
1908-1977

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Thelma B Hawks was born to John S Hawks and Adie M (the daughter of Mary Putton) in 1908 in Nye, Stillwater, Montana as shown in the 1910 U.S. census. She had two brothers George and John and a sister Zula[Zella?]. In 1930, Thelma was shown as the wife of William T Garoutte and the couple were living in Nye, Stillwater, Montana. By 1935, Thelma was living in Ten Sleep, Washakie, Wyoming with her father John (Jack) Hawks and in 1940 U.S. census it shows her still living with her father but also married to Sela T Davis from Gillette, WY. Sela (Sy) was also living with his father-in-law in Ten Sleep. Her brother John Hawks was also a resident of Ten Sleep in the '20's. Jack Hawks had a bar and poolroom on the site later shown as a café (LaRose proprietor) and later (Beydler) thence they owned and operated the Ten Sleep Bar which Thelma was nearly always responsible for. In the 1960's Thelma and Sie [Sela T] Davis were divorced, and later she married George Marple, a rancher from Upper Nowood whose wife had passed away. Thelma Hawks Garoutte Davis Marple had no children. She passed away in 1977.

**DEATHS**  
**Thelma B. Marple**  
Graveside services for Thelma B. Marple, 68 of Ten Sleep, will be Saturday at 2 p.m. at the Ten Sleep Cemetery with the Rev. Ruth Wight officiating. Mrs. Marple died Nov. 11, 1977.  
She was born Nov. 15, 1908 at Nye, Mont. the daughter of John and Addie Hawks. She married Sie Davis in 1936 but was later divorced.  
She was raised in Limestone and Absarokee, Mont. and had lived in Washington state for some time. She moved to Ten Sleep in 1930. She had owned and operated the Ten Sleep Bar until 1968 when she retired.  
She is survived by one sister, Mrs. Peggy Canady of Grove, Okla.; three nieces, Adeline Cooped of Missoula, Mont., Mary Ellen Jones of Lewistown, Mont. and Jacque Young of New Jersey and one nephew, Bill Mah of Wichita, Kan.  
Veile Mortuary is in charge of arrangements.