

## Lois M. Eddleman

Lois Eddleman has been active in the community since her arrival in 1961. While raising her sons and daughter, she was active in scouting and 4-H and volunteered in the classroom. She has always been involved in church activities.

Most people know her because of her extensive involvement in the Los Alamos County Fair and as a member of the county's Extension Service Home Economics Advisory Council. People who know about the behind-the-scenes work of having an annual county fair say that it would not happen without Lois. For many years, she has been the "wrangler" who recruited anywhere from 50 to 100 volunteers to assist as judges, superintendents, clerks, and monitors. She tirelessly works to ensure that the volunteers have everything they need for the fair to run smoothly. There was no task too large or small for her to take on until she reached her nineties and slowed down a bit.



Photograph by Robert Thomsen

She is a loving and faithful friend with a delightful, dry sense of humor. She loves her community and has worked hard for many years to make Los Alamos a wonderful community.

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