



Betty Paul Johnson

December 3, 1925 - September 20, 2015

Betty Johnson passed away on September 20, 2015 in Fort Collins, Colorado following a brief illness. A private family service will be held in Monett, Missouri in early October.

Betty is together again with her loving husband, Gene and in the arms of Jehovah and Christ, his son, supported by the Holy Spirit.

Born in 1925 at Sarcoxie, Missouri, the youngest of 7 children, Betty grew up in the farming community of Aurora, Missouri. She is preceded in death by her husband, Gene; parents, A.E. "Bert" Sours and Sarah A. Ingram-Sours; three sisters, Twyla, Lena and Ilene; three brothers, Wayne, Max and Van. Betty is survived by her daughter, Melanye Parcels and husband, (Christophe Redon); former son-in-law, John; two grandchildren, Brian and Christine; three nieces, Sarah, Nancy and Jerilyn; nephew, Greg.

Following High School Graduation, she worked in Joplin and Jefferson City, Missouri with Dr. Stauffer an ENT Specialist. This is where she would meet her future husband, Gene. The couple moved to Colorado in 1955 and finished their life together, here on Earth in Fort Collins. Betty retired from Leshar Junior High as the Office Secretary. She looked forward to traveling all over the World and the U.S. with Gene, which they did together.

Betty lived a life full of wonderful experiences and joy which she shared with Gene and her daughter, Melanye. Even in death, we can celebrate Betty's life; her cute expressions were priceless. She knew what she wanted and how it was to be done – without a doubt, Betty will be missed.

Much love and gratitude must be extended to her and Gene's caregivers from Home-In-Stead, the allied health staff at Poudre Valley Hospital Palliative Care; doctors, nurses and patient care technicians all working together to provide care and comfort to Betty. Contributions in Betty's name can be made to PVH-MCR Foundation at 2315 E. Harmony Road, Suite 200 Fort Collins, Colorado 80528, or <http://pvhandmcr.thankyou4caring.org/foundation>;
The American Lung Association at 55 W. Wacker Drive, Suite 1150, Chicago, IL 60601,
or, <http://www.lung.org/donate/>; Realities for Children at 1610 S College Ave, Fort Collins, CO 80525 or, (970) 484-9090.

Tribute Wall



“ *Betty Paul Johnson*

October 25, 2022 at 06:14 PM



“ *I was fortunate to work with Betty and Gene through Home Instead. I miss them both. Betty was always so organized and I learned so much from her; like always empty the bottom shelf of the dishwasher first, so that any water collected in the top rack, won't spill down and make your dishes wet again. :) She loved to talk about all of the magnets on her fridge, from their travels. She was an amazing Caregiver to Gene and a caring friend and neighbor. Thanks for being my friend. -Kathy Dilgarde*



Kathy Dilgarde - September 30, 2015 at 11:12 AM



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Kathy Dilgarde - September 30, 2015 at 11:04 AM

NW

“ *I have many wonderful memories of my Aunt Betty. She had a great sense of humor and her laugh was infectious. She loved her family and it was the highlight of summer when they made their trip to MO to visit all of us. I'm sorry for your loss. Love to all. Nancy and family*

nancy waldie - September 29, 2015 at 10:03 PM

MP

“ Thank you everyone for your rememberances, thoughts and prayers. Betty was active in the PERA, Red Hat Society (she really enjoyed dressing up for those teas!) and early in her secretarial career she belongs to the professional society Beta Sigma Phi. My mother was girl scout leader when I was in elementary school at Ames Elementary in Littleton, Colorado. We bonded and shared great camping experiences. I was always supported by her making the rounds through the neighborhood taking orders for cookies and delivering them. Both of my parents supported and encouraged me to learn music, singing, playing the piano and the violin. Although we had our differences over the years, I can look back now and realize that they were good parents. I know that mom is beinging a new life, and even though we miss her now, we can celebrate her life on earth.

Instead of flowers please honor her memory by contributing to an organization of your choice or to:

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Thanks very much, Melanye

Melanye Johnson Parcels - September 28, 2015 at 08:14 AM

MP

A co-worker shared these comforting thoughts: "I am terribly sorry for your loss. The worst thing that can happen to our life is losing our Mom. I know it is very hard and only time will heal. It is very difficult to accept but we have to believe that she is now with the Father. She is enjoying herself in heaven with all the angels, saints and relatives who passed away before. I am very sure that she will be very happy to see you and everybody carry on with the gift of life that He gave us. My sincerest condolence to you and your family. "

Thank you so much for your kind words and confirmation of my faith that mother has begun her new life with our Father Jehovah. Even in her death can I and those her knew her celebrate and rejoice in her life here on earth, truly a gift. Melanye

Melanye Parcels - October 03, 2015 at 03:55 PM

CM

“ *May the God of all peace comfort the Johnson family in your loss of Betty. I pray He wraps His arms of love and peace around you all.*

I worked with Betty in the office at Lesher Junior High School. We had so much fun and laughed till we cried some days. She was a delight to work with. Loved her smile and laugh. She was one of a kind. She was a dear.

May the Lord Bless and keep you, may the Lord make His face to shine up on you and be gracious to you, and give you His peace.

Our Love

Lyle and Carol Moddelmog

Carol Moddelmog - September 24, 2015 at 04:03 PM

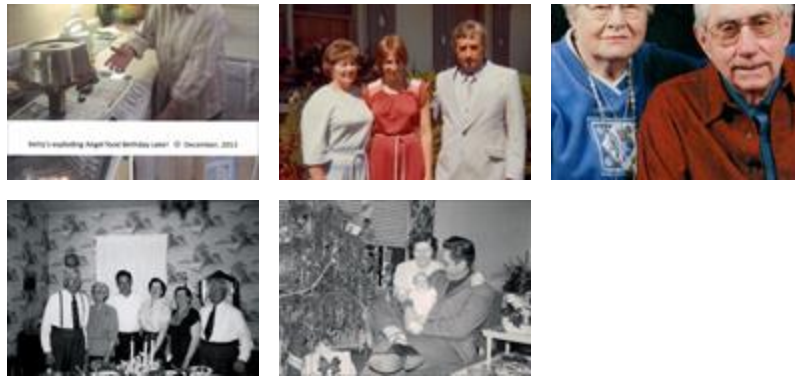
SS

“ We are so sorry to hear of your Mothers passing. My Mother, Mille, was a resident at MacKenzie while your parents were there. Your Father was one of the first people that Mom had met and he complimented her on her good looking legs! Your Mother always came over to say hi to Mille and would give my Mother the best smile and short conversations...she was a compassionate and joyful woman. Our sympathies to you Susie Stark

susan stark - September 23, 2015 at 10:24 AM

ME

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Melanye - September 22, 2015 at 03:48 PM

CH

“ Chrissy lit a candle in memory of Betty Paul Johnson



Chrissy - September 22, 2015 at 11:15 AM