



Betty Jane Harsha

November 7, 1922 - June 7, 2022

Betty J. Harsha was born on November 7, 1922, to Everett and Lula DeHanas in Afton, Oklahoma. Her parents created a loving Christian home in which she and her siblings: Isabelle, Bud, and Bill prospered in all the right ways.

On June 7, 1943, she married Truman Harsha Jr. in Miami, Oklahoma. She and Truman (deceased) had five children: Truman III (JoDell), Doug (Jonni), John (deceased), Cathy (deceased), and Jim.

Betty was a rich blessing to her eight grandchildren: Brett Harsha, Christine Anderson (Matt), Charlotte Boyce (Eric), Grace Shearer (James), Jackie Kaan (Eric), Becky Remley (Devin), Carly Harsha, and Emily Galbraith (Shawn). She was also a blessing to her eight great grandchildren.

Betty became a follower of Jesus Christ at a very early age, and she served her Lord faithfully for her entire life.

While her family and friends will miss her, we are joyfully assured that she is now Home.

We are so thankful that we who are left behind have a rich legacy of hope in Jesus Christ just like Betty, Mom, Grandma, and Great Grandma.

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“ Betty and my mother, Gladys Goodrich, were great friends at the Baptist church. I am so sorry to see that she has passed. She was a fabulous woman. I have happy memories of time spent in her home! I am sorry!

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“ Brett-So sorry for your loss.

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“ Dear Harsha family,

We were so saddened to hear of the news of Betty's passing. She was a beautiful person with such a kind heart. My mother, who grew up with Betty in Oklahoma, used to say she thought she was the prettiest girl in town. I think she lived to be almost 100 years old because she stayed close to her family and was always able to find the goodness in everyone. I am so glad I got to see her one last time during our summer visit to Colorado.

I have many memories of Aunt Betty. She was always welcoming to me when I would show up at their house to play with my cousin, Cathy. She would make great lunches and snacks, sewed doll clothes for us, and even made a "twin" outfit for Cathy and me when we were about 12 years old. I spent many a day and night at their house. She always made "being a mother" look so easy with 4 kids and every neighbor kid also around. I always remember that there was always plenty of excitement in the house, lots of noise, kids running throughout, lots of birds and cats, and lots of laughter. It was just only recently that she told me she got excited when I was born a month after Cathy was born because she knew Cathy would need a playmate in a house full of boys.

Betty also allowed me to stay at their house while I was waiting to be married in Denver so I could continue working at my job in Fort Collins. We cooked together during that time, and I learned a lot about sewing with her. She was quite a seamstress and seemed to be able to fix anything.

Aunt Betty will be missed by all of us. We do know she is now at peace with her heavenly Father, however, and those family members and friends who went Home before her. Her sweet spirit will always be in our hearts and memories.

Love from our family to yours,

Debbie and Bill Gardner, Jennifer, Jeremy, Shelby, and Henry

Ashton, and Sarah, Greg, Hannah, and Natalie Ponder

Deborah E. Gardner - June 14, 2022 at 06:27 PM