



Betty Lou Smith

June 12, 1938 - May 25, 2020

We lost our mother, Betty Lou Smith, on Memorial Day. She passed away peacefully at home on the farm surrounded by those she loved. Our hearts are broken. Growing up we were a family that always gathered together at meal time. The kitchen was the heart of our home, and mom was at the heart of the kitchen. In the summertime when the fields were full, so was the kitchen – anyone who worked on the farm was always welcomed at the table, and mom never let anyone leave hungry. She was a great cook, an even better baker, and a bit of an artist. Over the years, she designed dozens of beautiful wedding cakes with drapes of frosting, flowers, and fountains. Mom also designed floral arrangements and handmade greeting cards for family and friends. For more than a decade she served as pianist at the Antrim United Methodist Church and a 4-H advisor. She was a loving wife, mother, grandmother, and great grandmother. We will deeply miss her beautiful smile, easy laugh, and kind soul. Memorial Day was always special to Mom. She took time each year to take flowers to the cemeteries and honor those who passed on before us. Now we will honor her and carry on the tradition. We take peace in knowing that dad greeted her at the gates and they are together again.

She is preceded in death by her father and mother, Harry and Gladys Galloway, and husband, James Grant Smith. Jim & Betty were married on January 30, 1959, until his passing on September 10, 2015.

She is survived by her children Susan Harper, Connie (Bob) Daugherty, Jim

(Kelly) Smith, and Tina (Karl) Guegold; grandchildren Tom (Arin) Harper, Scott Harper, Kali Smith, Ben Guegold and McKenna Guegold; great grandchildren Molly and Grant; and brother Charles (Marydell) Galloway, and niece and nephew Erin Cooper and Eric Galloway.

We are grateful for the support and kindness shown by the Antrim Community Volunteer Fire Department and Hospice of Guernsey.

Graveside services will be held at Antrim Community Cemetery on Thursday, May 28, 2020 at 1:30 pm with Mark Beros officiating. Betty's online guest book may be viewed and signed at www.bundy-lawfuneralhome.com.

Cemetery Details

Antrim Community Cemetery

Antrim, OH

Previous Events

Service

MAY 28. 1:30 PM (ET)

Antrim Community Cemetery
Antrim, OH

Tribute Wall

DE

“ *Betty was always smiling and a very pleasant, happy person to be around. My deepest sympathy to all of the family. Debbie and Dan Larrick*

Debbie - May 31, 2020 at 10:15 PM

LZ

“ *I want to extend my sympathy to your family. I was sorry to see Betty had passed away. We attended all twelve years of school together at Quaker City school. She was a lovely person. I always admired her for her intelligence and wished I had dimples like she had! Please pass along my sincere sympathy to all your family.*

*Carolyn Floyd Walton
Quaker City, OH*

Lisa Zaleski - May 29, 2020 at 03:23 PM

BG

“ *Sorry about your loss. Deepest sympathy to the family from Beverley Galloway, Lynn and Kevin .*

Beverley Galloway - May 27, 2020 at 02:50 PM



“ *Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Betty Lou Smith.*



May 27, 2020 at 02:34 PM



“ *Medium Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Betty Lou Smith.*



May 27, 2020 at 01:06 PM



“ *I'm sorry about the loss of your mother. Sincerely, James Newell and Family.*

James Newell - May 27, 2020 at 11:31 AM



“ *James Newell purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Betty Lou Smith.*



James Newell - May 27, 2020 at 11:30 AM



“ *Sending prayers and hugs Betty was a very special lady. She also gave piano lessons. Remember my Mom taking us up to the farm. Always great neighbors miss them both.*

Ben and Marsha Cutlip - May 26, 2020 at 10:52 PM



“ *Sympathy to you, Susan, and all the family at this time. May all the happy memories help you in the toughest times.*

Sarah Michel - May 26, 2020 at 08:52 PM

EC

“ *Mama always said, "pretty is as pretty does." In Aunt Betty's case, she was beautiful inside and out. She loved her family and kept us all close throughout the years. I think one of her favorite things was sitting in the midst of a family gathering and just listening to the happy sounds of her family together - she would always sit back in her chair and smile to herself as she looked around the house at everyone. She touched a lot of lives while she was here, and she will continue to do so as we follow her example.* ”



Erin Cooper - May 26, 2020 at 08:35 PM

AM

“ *Thinking of all the Smith children and their families during this time. The community will miss your mom - her kindness will be remembered by many.* ”



Anetta M. McNurlin - May 26, 2020 at 08:31 PM

TM

“ *Tony And Shirley Monaco lit a candle in memory of Betty Lou Smith* ”



Tony and Shirley Monaco - May 26, 2020 at 08:13 PM

TM

Sending our deepest sympathy to all the family. Betty was a beautiful soul.

Tony and Shirley Monaco - May 26, 2020 at 08:15 PM

JJ

Sending my thoughts and prayers at this difficult time to Susan and all the family. John K. Johnson Class of '78

John K. Johnson - May 27, 2020 at 07:46 AM

DK

“ *So Sorry for your loss, Sending Thoughts and Prayers! Our Deepest Sympathy, Don & Darla Kahrig*



Darla Kahrig - May 26, 2020 at 06:31 PM

KT

“ *Karen Thomas lit a candle in memory of Betty Lou Smith*



Karen Thomas - May 26, 2020 at 05:18 PM

KT

*Sending thoughts and prayers remember all the times we visited each other home fun in 4-h, church we loved the dairy business all kinds of wonderful memories may you have peace in knowing she's free from pain and suffering and she is once again reunited with your Dad. Fly high beautiful Angel 🙏❤️🇺🇸🌹🌹
Sincerely yours Karen Thomas*

Karen Thomas - May 26, 2020 at 05:20 PM

NJ

Our prayers are with your family. She will be missed. Larry and Nancy Johnson.

Nancy Johnson - May 27, 2020 at 08:19 PM