



Betty Jo Hemphill

February 26, 1926 - July 27, 2018

Betty Jo Hemphill, 92 year old Okmulgee resident, passed away on Friday, July 27, 2018. She was born February 26, 1926 in Mitchell, Indiana to the late Orville and Josephine (Sutton) Ferguson. She married the love of her life, Robert Hemphill, in 1946. In 1967 they moved from Stillwater to Okmulgee. She worked for many years at Southwestern Bell Telephone as a customer service representative. Following retirement, Betty and Robert started a successful family owned business for over 25 years. Betty was a member at First United Methodist Church. She belonged to Okmulgee Circle Square, was a member of the Lions Club and of the Home Demonstration Club. She enjoyed cooking, sewing, reading, and winning blue ribbons at the county fair for many years. Betty was known for her sweet spirit and tender heartedness. She was very proud of all of her grandchildren and talked about them frequently, always with a smile on her face.

Betty was preceded in death by her parents, her husband and two brothers Donald and Karl Ferguson. She is survived by her son Ron Hemphill, daughter Joyce Poitevent and husband Michael, grandchildren Kathy Poitevent, Cheryl Cole and husband Andrew, Valerie Williams and husband Bradford, Alisha Ertugrul and husband Ty, Angela Ertugrul and husband Tolga, and Ashley Hemphill and Jeremy Crawford, a daughter-in-law, Linda Anderson, brother-in-law, Walter Hemphill and wife Bobbi, sister-in-law, Betty Hall, eight great grandchildren and other relatives. A special thank you to

Chris Marshall for being a wonderful friend and for all her support.

A funeral service will be held 11:00 AM Thursday, August 2, 2018 at the McClendon-Winters Funeral Home Chapel with Reverend Roland Youngberg officiating. Interment will be in the Okmulgee Cemetery. There will be a visitation prior to the service beginning at 9:00 AM.

Arrangements have been entrusted to the McClendon-Winters Funeral Home of Okmulgee.

Memories, condolences, photos and videos may be shared with the family on Betty's Tribute Page of our website at www.mcclendon-winters.com

Cemetery Details

Okmulgee Cemetery

2601 South Wood Drive
Okmulgee, OK 74447
(918) 756-5109

Previous Events

Visitation

AUG 2. 9:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

McClendon-Winters Funeral Home Chapel
303 E. 7th Street
Okmulgee, OK

Funeral Service

AUG 2. 11:00 AM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Betty Jo Hemphill*

December 20, 2022 at 11:29 AM



“ *Robert English lit a candle in memory of Betty Jo Hemphill*



Robert English - August 02, 2018 at 04:42 PM



“ *Sending love and prayers to your beautiful family.*

Candy Barnard - August 01, 2018 at 02:57 PM



“ *Steven Sanders lit a candle in memory of Betty Jo Hemphill*



Steven Sanders - July 31, 2018 at 03:15 PM

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“ 2 files added to the tribute wall



Grandma Betty went to heaven on Friday evening at the age of 92. I was blessed to be there when she passed. She now gets to be with Grandpa, after many years without her. Words can't explain how thankful and lucky we were to have her and Grandpa in our lives. I will cherish the wonderful memories growing up with them. They were our our biggest blessing.



Angela Ertugrul - July 31, 2018 at 11:53 AM

Kim Randall

“ Kim Randall lit a candle in memory of Betty Jo Hemphill



Kim Randall - July 31, 2018 at 10:33 AM

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Angela Ertugrul - July 31, 2018 at 12:48 PM

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“ Shirley McKay lit a candle in memory of Betty Jo Hemphill



Shirley McKay - July 30, 2018 at 03:53 PM

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Jimmy McClendon - July 31, 2018 at 06:55 AM



Angela Ertugrul - July 31, 2018 at 12:49 PM