



Betty Mcferson

June 28, 1927 - February 3, 2011

Betty Claire McFerson, of Springdale, Arkansas, went to be with the Lord February 3, 2011. She was born June 28, 1927 in Dallas, TX, the daughter of Dan and Ruth Bosworth, and was the oldest of three siblings. She married Robert Thomas McFerson on April 15, 1949 in Oak Park, IL. She graduated from Forest Hills High School, Forest Hills, NY and attended Iowa State University. She lived a life of service to her husband, children, grandchildren, community, and church. She especially enjoyed her activities in Springdale with Bread of Life, the Philanthropic Educational Organization (P.E.O.), and tutoring young people in the local Hispanic community.

Betty was preceded in death by her brother, Bobby. She is survived by her husband, Bob McFerson of Springdale, AR; brother and sister-in-law, Bill & Linda Bosworth of Charlotte, NC; son and daughter-in-law Jim McFerson and Carol McCormick of Wenatchee, WA; son and daughter-in-law, Bill and Susan McFerson, of Yuma, AZ; son John McFerson, of Sacramento, CA; son and daughter-in-law Tom and Zanna McFerson, of Minneapolis, MN. She was a loving grandmother to ten grandchildren: Elizabeth, Megan, Maureen, Katherine, Shamus, Molly, Erin, Matilda, Tory, and Jamie.

Memorial services will be Monday, February 7, 2011 at 10:00 a.m. at First United Methodist Church of Springdale with Rev. Judy Van Hoose, Rev. Stephen Coburn and Rev. David Freeman officiating.

A reception for Betty on Mon, 7 Feb at 2:00pm, Butterfield Trail Village. This will be a simple and short opportunity for residents to meet family members.

Memorials may be made to The Bread of Life, First United Methodist Church, 206 West Johnson Avenue, Springdale, Arkansas, 72764.

Tribute Wall



“ *Betty Mcferson*

January 21, 2023 at 02:29 PM



“ *The splendor of Betty's friendship, caring and kindness will forever live in my heart. It has been an honor to be her friend for almost 50 years. Sending my prayers and love to each member of her wonderful family.*

May 29, 2013 at 05:02 PM



“ *My deepest sympathy to all of the McFerson family for the loss of your beloved Betty. She was loved by everyone and had many "best" friends and I was fortunate enough to be one of them. May all of your wonderful memories of Betty bring you comfort and peace.*
Marie Breuer

May 29, 2013 at 05:02 PM



“ *We are so sorry for your loss .Betty was a wonderful person , i never got to meet her family but i felt like i knew them .She will be missed by everyone from the Beauty shop also .My deepest smypathy Margo Hill*

May 29, 2013 at 05:02 PM



“ I just recently saw that Betty passed away. My parents and I were neighbors with Bob and Betty on Colby Circle for 4 years then we moved away and recently lost contact with Betty by email. Bob we are very sorry for your lost our deepest sympathy. Jim, Marg, Cherie Morgan

June 23, 2011 at 12:00 AM



“ My heart felt sympathy to Uncle Bob, Jim, Bill, John, Tom and your families. It is such a sad time. You are so very lucky to have had such an amazing woman in your lives. My memories of Aunt Betty may be from many years ago, however they are still very dear to me. Lean on each other and the rough times will be a little easier.

February 10, 2011 at 12:00 AM



“ I wish we could have been there with you all. I always remember two thing about Aunt Betty...when talking to her, she always gave you her undivided attention. The other thing was her stance she got into when taking pictures. It always made me laugh. She was truly a good woman and I'm proud to have known her. Uncle Bob, Tom, Jim, John, and Bill, our prayers are with all of you through this time. God Bless you all and your families.

February 08, 2011 at 12:00 AM



“ I will treasure the close friendship I enjoyed so much with Betty. It was such a pleasure to work with Betty on projects, she made everything so pleasureable and she was so efficient. We had great lunches together and could visit and laugh and had such fun. Bob and I enjoyed having dinners with Bob and Betty and she will be missed so much. Our prayers are with her family. Joan Milanowski

February 07, 2011 at 12:00 AM



“ WE WISH WE COULD BE THERE WITH YOU. AUNT BETTY WILL ALWAYS BE REMEMBERED AND IN OUR HEARTS. ONE THING I WILL ALWAYS REMEMBER ABOUT HER WAS HER STANCE WHEN SHE TOOK A PHOTO. WE TEASED HER ABOUT THIS AND IT ALWAYS BRINGS A SMILE TO MY FACE. TO UNCLE BOB AND THE BOYS, YOU ARE IN OUR PRAYERS AND WILL BE THINKING OF YOU.
LOVE YA - KATHY AND FAMILY

HENKENMEIER, KATHY - February 07, 2011 at 12:00 AM



“ Betty and I moved to NW Arkansas about the same time and became fast friends. Though we didn't alway agree on everything, we could discuss anthing. Perhaps we felt a connection because we were "northerners" living in the South. Jim and I shared many evenings with Bob and Betty going out for ice cream, visiting, and once a bus trip to D.C. Betty wanted her picture taken in front of the Lincoln Memorial where she had once posed as an 8 year old. We were able to oblige. Her passing leaves a big empty spot but oodles of wonderful memories. Blessings to her family for the love of a wonderful woman. Ruth Greene

February 06, 2011 at 12:00 AM



“ One of my memories of Aunt Betty is how she always made an effort to spend time with everyone at our last family reunion. She is an extremely caring person. Tom, John, Jim, Bill, and Uncle Bob - our thoughts and prayers are with you. All our love...

The Henrys

February 06, 2011 at 12:00 AM