



Betty Jean Hurst

June 27, 1928 - December 23, 2018

Betty Hurst, 90 , of Stigler, passed away Sunday, December 23, 2018 at Haskell County Nursing Center of Stigler. She was born June 27, 1928 in Butler, Oklahoma to James and

Essie (Trent) Elmore. When she was 7-8 years old the family moved to Stigler. She attended school here through the 10th grade, she then moved to Tulsa to help out an aunt, and graduated from Tulsa Central High school. She returned to her family in Stigler after graduating where Miss Betty met the “love of her life” and future husband, Lennard “Windy” Hurst, at Scotties now known as Shelly’s Restaurant on VJ Day, Victory over Japan. They were married on March 5, 1949 in Indianapolis, Indiana. They shared their first 30 years in N.W. Indiana

Miss Betty was an avid writer; not one to lose contact with family and friends, sending letters and cards with all the family news, also making annual trips to Stigler and Indianapolis. Miss Betty was also quite the seamstress, making many of her own outfits, clothes for others, quilts, even wedding dresses.

Miss Betty and Windy loved camping and fishing with their three sons, sometimes for several weeks at a time. Miss Betty didn’t hunt but was happy to prepare whatever her “fellas” brought home. And of course had to have dessert at every meal. She loved gardening from start to finish, from planting to canning.

Miss Betty and Windy enjoyed their ranch with everything that came with it, the cattle, horses, chickens, guineas, dogs and cats. What they loved the

most was when the kids, grandkids and or the great grandkids came to visit and enjoyed the ranch life with them. She loved her life and family that were near and far. She was a member of Stigler First Assembly of God Church. Miss Betty is survived by her 3 sons and daughters-in-law, David & Lois Hurst of Plant City, FL., Conard & Sony Hurst of Stigler, Jerry & Donna Hurst of Springville, TN.; 5 grandkids, Christopher Hurst, Marsha & Stoney Oldham, Jennifer & Wesley Wilson, Amie & Glen Monday, Crystal & Kyle Alexander; 3 step grandkids, Abigail & David Aponte, Jessica Santiago, Johnny & Brandi Santiago; 16 great grandkids; 5 step great grandkids; 6 great-great grandkids; numerous other relatives & friends.

Miss Betty is preceded in death by her parents, James & Essie Elmore; her husband, Windy Hurst; a grandson, Jerry Lee Hurst; 4 brothers, Lloyd, James, Kenneth Elmore & and stillborn little brother; 3 sisters, Ima Marie Faulkner, Ala Mae Costello, Wanda Sue Taylor.

Funeral Services will be held 1:00 Thursday, December 27, 2018 at the Stigler First Assembly of God Church with Reverend Jack Sloan officiating; Eulogist, Reverend Jason Smith. Pallbearers include Brennan Hurst, Dawson Jernigan, Hagen Stancell, Cole Stancell, Brady Wilson, Riley Wilson. Honorary Pallbearers include, Johnny Santiago, Stoney Oldham, Wesley Wilson, Glen Monday, Christopher Hurst, Rody Wilson, Cade Monday, Drew Hurst. Burial will follow in Antioch Cemetery under the direction of King & Shearwood Funeral Home of Stigler.

Cemetery Details

ANTIOCH CEMETERY

Stigler, OK

Previous Events

Viewing

DEC **26**. 10:00 AM - 8:30 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall

EJ

“ I would like to send my deepest sympathy to the family of my dear friend Betty. I became close friends with Betty and Windy when Windy's sister Bert Butler lived across the street from my grandmother Julia Speer. We saw each other a few times a week and shared many stories and laughs. Betty was always happy and smiling. She touched my heart. Yours truly. Edie Jones

Edie Jones - December 28, 2018 at 08:28 PM

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“ I loved your Meme you could just tell by her smile and being around her that she was a beautiful soul. She always treated me like family as she did everyone I'm sure. Prayers for all the family she will be missed.

Sandra Warren - December 25, 2018 at 11:15 AM

LH

“ I've been your daughter-in-law for 50 years. I have so many special memories of times spent with you. I will never forget the time we were camping in WI and decided to try out a "bicycle built for two". It was a sight, but we finally mastered it. haha. I thank you for the times you spent with me, showing me how to sew certain items, how to can, and how to hold a colicky baby. I loved our times we would pick strawberries, make jam, snap green beans and can them together. I thank you for loving your grandchildren, your greats, and your great greats as if they were your own. Thank you for the love you gave us. I miss the times we used to prayed together. I love the fact that you felt close enough to me to let me be your confidant. I will miss you terribly, but I would not call you back. Instead, I will be going to see you one day. I love you, Lois

Lois Hurst - December 24, 2018 at 08:19 PM