



Mrs. Betty Waldrop

March 10, 1925 - July 2, 2014

Betty Lou Gallagher Waldrop

Born March 10, 1925

Died July 2, 2014 in her home

Betty was born and raised in South Charleston, West Virginia; the eldest daughter of 8 children. After graduating from high school, she attended secretarial school and went to work for Chesapeake Railroad. At the age of twenty five, she married the love of her life, William (Bill) Hugh Waldrop. Due to Bill being in the military, she was able to travel the world and lived in Thailand and Japan. In the sixties, she and her family moved to Ashdown to be close to William's family. She was an independent woman; worked at Nekoosa/Georgia Pacific/Domtar until she was in her seventies. Past member of Eastern Star, Ashdown B&PW, Red Hat Society, Little River Historical Society, and Wade's Chapel Methodist Church; Past President of Little River Arts Council. She loved to dance; she loved to read (you should see all the paperbacks she had); loved to talk with people, not sure she ever met a stranger. Her parents, sisters and William are all waiting in Heaven to see her again. She is survived by two brothers, Paul Gallagher of South Carolina; John Gallagher of Ashdown, AR; two daughters, Shar and Suki; and numerous nieces and nephews. Please rejoice in the life of Betty; she is loved and will be missed.

Memorial Services will be July 10, 2014 beginning at 4:00 PM at Madden Funeral Home in Ashdown, AR.

In lieu of flowers, donations to Little River Historical Society in Ashdown, AR will be appreciated. Wade's Chapel Methodist Church will provide lunch for family and friends on thursday July 10th, 2014 at 12:00 , RSVP at 870.542.7734.

Tribute Wall



“ *Mrs. Betty Waldrop*

October 08, 2023 at 02:47 PM



“ *It is hard to believe it has been only 3 years since my mom's passing. I miss her everyday*

Susan Waldrop - Daughter - July 02, 2017 at 12:00 AM



“ *Aunt Betty was a wonderful person, who was very thoughtful of others. I will always remember the love that was evident whenever the family got together. Although it is very sad to lose her, I can't help but think how happy all the sisters are in heaven at this moment!*

I an very sorry for your loss, and think you two have set a great example in caring for your Mom. Our thoughts and prayers are with you all.

Preston

Preston Mangus - Middleburg, FL - Nephew - July 14, 2014 at 12:00 AM



“ *I respected my Mom as a person; she taught me to be stong and never give up. I will miss her*

susan - garland, TX - daughter - July 09, 2014 at 12:00 AM

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“ I never knew Betty, she sounds like a wonderful lady. It is nice to know Betty is in heaven with her family. My mother was born in 1931 to Oscar & Ella Youngblood Waldrop. I have been searching for family of Oscar Waldrop that passed away aprox. 1939 & is buried in Oak Hill Cemetary in Ashdown Ar. I was born & raised in Ashdown , moving to Texas after my father passed away in 1990. To Betty's family , I pray for you. And if there is a family link maybe you can contact me by e-mail so I can continue my ancestry. GOD BLESS

Kathy Young - Thicket, TX - July 07, 2014 at 12:00 AM

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“ May GOD Bless This Family.

Kathryn Young - TX - July 07, 2014 at 12:00 AM