



Betty Jean Cassel

February 25, 1927 - May 28, 2009

Betty Jean Cassel passed away on May 28, 2009 at Northwood Hills Care Center. She is survived by her daughter, Rita Fleischer of California, son, Paul Cassell, Jr. of Mississippi and daughter, Sheila Robins of Missouri. She is also survived by her former husband and the father of her children, Paul E. Cassel, Sr., her beloved twelve grandchildren and thirteen great grandchildren. She was born in Byers, Colorado, in a family of eight brothers and sisters who all worked on the family farm.

Betty was the wife of a Continental Airlines captain and traveled to many exotic locations throughout the 1950s and 60s. She visited Europe and the Scandinavian countries during this time and also met many celebrities, such as Cesar Romero and other stars and entertainers of her era. Betty was a creative person who painted and exhibited a talent for art projects such as stained glass work. She and her husband, Paul, also self published an anthology of Continental Airlines pilots and history which was presented to Robert Six, President of the airline at that time. During this time she joined a stage production in which she sang in the chorus. In February 1997 she participated in the Ms. Senior Arizona beauty pageant which involved singing and runway modeling of fashions. For several years Betty resided in Gold River, California and moved to Prescott, Arizona, later in life. Four years ago she retired to Missouri from Arizona to be near her family.

The family is honoring Bettys requests regarding burial arrangements. She always loved to entertain, so in her honor on June 13, 2009, we will be having the service and celebrating her life and all the things she meant to her family and friends at her home. For all those who knew her, please light a candle and say a prayer in her memory.

Arrangements are under the care and direction of the Butler Funeral Home in Bolivar, Missouri.

Friends and family may sign the guest book or send private condolences at www.butlerfuneralhome.com

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Tribute Wall



“ *Betty Jean Cassel*

October 05, 2023 at 05:18 AM



“ *Betty Jean Cassel*

January 26, 2023 at 04:15 PM



“ *Although saddened over the loss of my aunt, memories of times together spring forward and bring me many smiles. She was unique in multiple ways and actively pursued her interests, and embraced life. My life has been enriched with the blessing of having Betty Jean as my aunt. I will continue to remember with fondness and love the opportunities I enjoyed and shared with her. Although saddened by her leaving, my world was made better by Betty Jean, she will always be in my heart.*

My thoughts and prayers are with her family and friends during this very difficult time in their lives. Beverly

Beverly Boecher - June 13, 2009 at 12:00 AM



“ *My family and I send our deepest sympathy and our regrets that we cannot be there with you to celebrate Bettys long and wonderful life. Our thoughts and prayers are with you at this difficult time. In case you are not sure who I am I am Bettys sister Olas(Fern)grandson Josh. Again our deepest sympathy.*

joshua patchett - June 08, 2009 at 12:00 AM

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“ I am deeply saddened by the passing of a wonderful loving woman who was my Aunt Betty. She will live in my heart with wonderful memories. She is now with the angels. We will meet again one day. Until then I will miss you. Your loving niece Donna

Donna Bader - June 07, 2009 at 12:00 AM

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“ Betty Jean was a wonderful aunt. I always enjoyed her love of life people and her family. My memory of her will be of her smiling friendly face. I will miss her.

Bonnie Bates - June 07, 2009 at 12:00 AM

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“ To the family of Betty Cassel:
We were so sorry to hear that Betty had passed away. Our condolences to all the family.
While Betty was in Arizona and attended Willowbrook United Methodist Church in Sun City we sat in the same pew and had our little chat every Sunday. Betty was a lovely person. We were so fortunate to have known her. We have always looked forward to her Christmas letter. Betty was a very gracious lady.
With Heartfelt Sympathy.
Bob and Lois Kelly

Bob and Lois Kelly - June 05, 2009 at 12:00 AM