



Betty Lou Herndon

January 23, 1943 - April 4, 2008

Betty Lou Herndon passed away at Hospice of Queen Anne's in Centreville, Maryland on Friday, April 4, 2008. She was 65 years old.

She was born on January 23, 1943 in Washington, D.C. and was the daughter of the late John Herndon and Dovie Locklear. She was raised in Pembroke, North Carolina and graduated from Pembroke High School Class of 1961.

Ms. Herndon was trained as a Nuclear Medicine Technician at the Prince George's Hospital Center by Dr. Samuel Sugar. She also served in the capacity of secretary/transcriptionist from 1967-1970. She left in 1970 on maternity leave with her youngest son Joseph. She returned to work at the Prince George's Hospital Center as a receptionist/transcriptionist in 1974 until her retirement in April 2005.

Ms. Herndon was a member of Chestertown Baptist Church.

She is survived by her children, Larry Mitchell of Luray, VA; Timothy Mitchell of Dunkirk, MD; Joseph Mitchell of Dunkirk, MD; Dovie Metzger of Church Hill, MD; 12 grandchildren; 3 great grandchildren and family and friends. She was preceded in death by her brothers, John Henry Herndon and William Herndon.

A Memorial Service will be held at Fellows, Helfenbein & Newnam Cremation

& Funeral Care, P.A., 814 Bestgate Road, Annapolis, MD 21401 on Saturday, April 19, 2008 at 11:00 a.m. Interment will be private.

Tribute Wall



“ *Fellows, Helfenbein & Newnam Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Betty Lou Herndon*



Fellows, Helfenbein & Newnam Funeral Home - April 04, 2008 at 12:00 AM



“ *Betty Lou Herndon*

October 26, 2023 at 06:42 PM



“ *Betty Lou Herndon*

January 28, 2023 at 12:44 PM



“ *Betty Lou Herndon*

January 28, 2023 at 08:03 AM



“ *It's been almost 2 1/2 years. There is not a day that goes by that we don't think of you. I miss you, sometimes I can still hear you laugh, we used to get so tickled over the littlest thing. Thank you for looking out for us. We love you so much!##imported-begin##Tara & Brianna##imported-end##*

February 01, 2011 at 02:12 PM



“ Dovie, Larry, Timmy, & JoJo,
I am very sorry to hear about your mom you all know I loved her very much. I will always remember the big smile she always had just like Aunt Dovie's.
Edna had been giving me updates on your mom.
She is not suffering any longer, she is in heaven smiling like she always was, I know this is a great loss to all of you, but one day we will all see her again.
I love you all and miss you dearly, hopefully I can get up there this summer.
Love you all, Aunt Wanda & Uncle David##imported-begin##Wanda Davis##imported-end##

April 20, 2008 at 12:57 PM



“ Grandma Betty, I love you so much and will miss you dearly. I'm so sorry that I couldn't keep my promise to come back so you can hold Dante. I will make sure he knows how very special his great-grandma Betty was to everyone and I will come to see you someday. I love and miss you so much. You will be in my heart everyday.##imported-begin##Jessica Mitchell##imported-end##

April 18, 2008 at 07:27 PM



“ to miss betty...mark loved you so muchi was lucky to have met u too....she always said
our kids were beautiful and they loved her too..she was very nice too me everytime we were around her...we will miss youuntill we see you again we love you love always...Mark,Amanda and kids##imported-begin##Mark and Amanda McClung##imported-end##

April 18, 2008 at 06:07 PM



“ DEAR BETTY LOU,
I DID NOT KNOW WHAT TO SAY SOOOOOOO...HERE WE GO,
THESE ARE THE TOP TWO MOST INPORTANT THINGS I
COULD THINK OF:

1.EVEN THOUGH I WAS NOT BLOOD RELATED YOU ALWAYS
MADE ME FEEL PART OF THE FAMILY

2.YOU ALWAYS MADE ME LAUGH:) :##imported-begin##EMILY
METZGER##imported-end##

April 18, 2008 at 05:46 PM



“ BETTY YOU'LL TRUELY BE MISSED. I ENJOYED OUR
CONVERSATIONS AT THE END ABOUT LIFE AND DEATH. I
WISH WE WOULD HAVE OPENED UP LIKE THAT SOONER, BUT
BETTER LATE THAN NEVER. SAY HI TO MY MOM LIKE WE
TALKED ABOUT, I TALK TO HER AND HAVE LET HER KNOW TO
LOOK OUT FOR BETTY LOU. LOVE ALWAYS AND THANKS FOR
THE GREATEST THING EVER, DOVIE WE WE'LL BE TALKING
AGAIN. LOVE MEL##imported-begin##MELVIN
METZGER##imported-end##

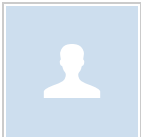
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“ *An Angel In The Sky*
by Angela Collins

*To begin, I met you as my Mom's Best Friend,
We were blessed to have gotten to spend time with you,
Time and time again.
You were always there in times of need,
And now it's time for you to rest and be freed,
From all your pain and suffering that you've been through,
No worries now, God has called and is with you,
Sorry for the selfishness we have because you're not here,
It's time for us to be strong and shed our tears,
And God is calling because he needs you there
A lifetime of memories we'll always share,
So please know we love you and this is why we cry,
And now you will watch over us...
Our Angel in the Sky.##imported-begin##Teri, Michael and Angela
Collins##imported-end##*

April 18, 2008 at 12:42 PM



“ *Betty, such a kind and caring person.allways saw the good in
everyone.will be greatlymissed.my first few years of being married u
were my blessing,helped me threw alot ,our talks will never be
forgotten.=== sharron##imported-begin##sharron
mcclung##imported-end##*

April 18, 2008 at 11:03 AM



“ I always thought of Betty as a friend and family. I do remeber pushing her to her limits a couple of times but she never stayed mad long. I will miss her a lot and think about her often. I know her and Grandma Dovie are looking down on us now.##imported-begin##Alan McAllister##imported-end##

April 18, 2008 at 10:35 AM



“ Betty, We will really miss you(mom). You were my good freind, and the best mother-in-law, I will always remeber all of the times at ocean city, six flags, family get togthers, I WILL ALWAYS REMEBER YOU.

i love you,

key##imported-begin##Key Spalding##imported-end##

April 17, 2008 at 08:40 PM



“ dear grandmal betty we will all miss you so much. this girl was the best person you wold ever meet she was a very careing person i rember like it was yesterday me and her was crying becuase she thought i was not having a good time at sixflags and i was having the best time of my life because i was right next to my grandmal betty if that is not careing then i dont know what is. she was the one of the best grandmals ever i remember waking up and makeing pancakes yummmmm good times. now the only thing i reagret is not being to be next to her longer i will miss her till the day i see her again in heaven becace i have been seeing the butterflys like crazy!!! WELL WE ALL MISS YOU! LOVE YOU MORE THEN CHEERIOS!!!! FROM JOSH :-))##imported-begin##JOSH MITCHELL##imported-end##

April 17, 2008 at 07:14 PM



“ My dear mommy,

I will miss you more than the world. I know you are in a better place, and it will not be long before I see you again. Send me lots of butterflies! I love you forever.....##imported-begin##Dovie##imported-end##

April 17, 2008 at 11:40 AM



“ We will love and miss her dearly. Our thoughts and prayers are with her family in their time of sorrow. Sincerely,

John M. Harrell, Sr.

and

Family##imported-begin##john harrell##imported-end##

April 16, 2008 at 10:12 PM



“ My love and prayers are with each of you...Betty Lou (mom) you will forever hold a special place in my heart. I do and will always miss you. I am so blessed to have had you in my life. Our memories all of them great I will cherish forever. Things won't be the same without you. Missing you and as I always told you I love you real big with my whole heart... I will be watching for the butterflies.....##imported-begin##GMW##imported-end##

April 16, 2008 at 05:09 PM



“ My sincere condolences to Betty's children, relatives, and friends. When she can leave the world with happy memories for those left behind, then you know that her life was a success - and it truly was. I remember her laughter and her smiles, and the positive outlook she always had. Sincerely, Edna###imported-begin###Edna Knight###imported-end##

April 16, 2008 at 02:50 PM



“ My father was Ashley Locklear, brother to Dovie Locklear. I am very sorry to hear of Betty's death and my heart goes out to you at this time. Perhaps I'll get to meet you one day. May God richly bless and keep you through this trying time.

Dorothy L. Cummings
(910)521-9622###imported-begin###Dorothy Locklear Cummings###imported-end##

April 16, 2008 at 11:01 AM



“ Grandma Betty, We love you so much! You will be missed by so many people! I just wish that we got to see you more often. There are so many great things that I remember about you. Like how you used to sing the booty song all the time...lol. You told me that the song Rosemaries granddaughter reminded you of me. Jessi and I looked forward and counted down the days every year until we got to come and see you, and cried when we had to leave. I told you that when we decide to have another baby if it's a girl we want to name her Dovie Lou. I only regret that Rileigh and Dante didn't get to know you like Jessi and I. We will love you and miss you always.###imported-begin###Ashley Cory and Rileigh###imported-end##

April 15, 2008 at 05:01 PM



“ John Herndon & Family

I Know for certain that we never loss the people we love, even to death. Aunt Betty will continue to participate in every act, thought and decision we make. Her love will leave an indelible imprint in our memories. We find comfort in knowing that our lives have been enriched by having shared her love. John John (The nickname I was given by my beloved Aunt Betty)###imported-begin###John Herndon & Family###imported-end###

April 15, 2008 at 09:36 AM



“ "Betty Boops" Your laughter will remain in my heart always and hopefully will return soon to the hearts of your beautiful family.. Your care and concern for everyone else, just as your mom will never be forgotten. Instead, may we learn from you both and "pay it forward".###imported-begin###Missy (Angevine) McLean & Family###imported-end###

April 14, 2008 at 08:50 PM



“ AUNT BETTY WILL BE GREATLY MISSED BY US ALL. SHE WAS A VERY OUTGOING WOMAN AND LOVED TO HAVE FAMILY TOGETHER. I WILL MISS THE CRAB FEASTS AND THE TRIPS TO OCEAN CITY. LORIE###imported-begin###LORIE BUITRON+ FAMILY###imported-end###

April 14, 2008 at 06:11 PM