



Betty Jean Benson

July 24, 1921 - July 3, 2023

Betty was born July 24, 1921 to Joe and Maud (Pfister) Ladenburger, grew up in Argentine, Kansas.

In April of 1946 she married Herman "Bud" Benson. They created a life together in Mission, KS and were married for 60 years before Bud passed away.

After 38 years, Betty retired from General Motors in 1980.

Betty accepted Christ at an early age. She loved attending Sunday school and singing "Yes Jesus Loves Me." Rev. Dr. Desmond Lamb aka "Pastor Sugar" served as Betty's pastor and spiritual advisor. Betty loved the Lord with all of her heart.

Being an extraordinary artist, Betty opened a business in Mission, Kansas called the Tole House. Provided painting classes for many people who became lifelong friends. After closing the business, she opened an art shop, so that she and all her pupils could continue to learn and paint together.

During this time Betty purchased commercial buildings on Johnson Dr in Mission and rented out the spaces to different businesses. Betty was a very well known, honored, and loved property/business owner in the Mission area.

Preceded in death by her parents, brother Herb Ladenburger, sister Olieta Lyons and the love of her life, Bud.

She is survived by cousins Stacy Matthews of Shawnee, Stephanie (Don) Smith of Bonner Springs, Kerrie (Jason) Raasch of Richmond, MO, Robert Carl Pfister and Becky Leath of Independence, MO, and many many friends that have always been there to visit and call.

Cemetery Details

Maple Hill Cemetery

2301 S 34th St
Kansas City, KS 66106
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Previous Events

Visitation

JUL 12. 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM (CT)

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Funeral Service

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Burial

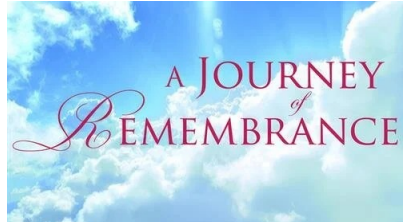
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Tribute Wall



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“ *Betty Jean Benson* ”

October 08, 2023 at 10:59 AM



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“ Betty was the most gracious lady we have ever know. She loved discussing the Stock market and her life with her dear Bud. His antics with his pipe caused much laughter. She loved to laugh! Above all she loved the Lord. The most talented artist we have ever known. Until macular stole her sight. We are fortunate to have a couple of her paintings to remind us of her everyday We are blessed to have been only one of many friends that loved her dearly
Chris and Connie Hansen

Connie Hansen - July 09, 2023 at 06:42 PM

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Betty was a wonderful soul a very very nice lady.. I enjoyed the time I had with her.. may her beautiful soul RIP

Ann Harris - July 19, 2023 at 11:15 PM

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“ Cynthia Souder daughter of Janice Souder purchased the Arrive in Style for the family of Betty Jean Benson.



Cynthia Souder daughter of Janice Souder - July 09, 2023 at 09:00 AM