



Elizabeth (Betty) Thompson

May 18, 1910 - May 27, 2015

Betty Thompson, a longtime resident of Bend passed on May 27, 2015 while residing at Bend Transitional Care. Betty was born in Farmer City, Illinois to Edward and Anna Kissler. She was one of five siblings who preceded her in death. The family moved to Redmond, Oregon when she was 16 years of age. She graduated from Redmond High School and attended Pacific University in Forest Grove, Oregon. Later Betty and her family moved to Bend where she met and married Howard D. Thompson October 25, 1936. They had three daughters completing their family. Betty was a very kind, loving wife and mother and a great homemaker to all. During WWII Betty worked in the payroll department at Camp Abbott in Sunriver. After the war, she devoted herself to raising her family. Later Betty became one of the first employees for Bend TV Cable. She retired from the Cable Company at age 65. Betty was preceded in death by her mother and father; husband and siblings; Marguerite, Lloyd, Wilfred and Frank Kissler. She is survived by her 3 daughters, Charlyn (Bob) Lewis of Carson City, NV; Sandra (Chuck) Case of Surprise, AZ; and Janice (Larry) Clark of Bend, OR. She is also survived by 5 grandchildren: Shelley, Kevin, Kathleen, Kristi and Kacie; and 4 great grandchildren: Kelley, Nicole, Emilee and Joshua. A family service was held June 6, 2015. The family wishes to thank the Bend Transitional Care staff for their wonderful care & compassion. Those who wish may make memorial contributions to the charity of their choice.

Funeral Home:

Niswonger-Reynolds Funeral Home New

105 NW Irving Ave

Bend, OR

US 97701

Tribute Wall



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Niswonger Reynolds Funeral Home & Greenwood Cemetery - May 18, 2023 at 02:23 PM

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“ *Elizabeth (Betty) Thompson*

Funeral Home Owner - August 07, 2019 at 12:00 AM

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“ *May, Sorry I didnt reply sooner but found your comment just today. Thank you for remembering our mother. You gave her wonderful care and we appreciated the compassion you showed. I cant wait to tell my sisters about her comments about having boys. She was a great lady and we will miss her. Thank you, Janice*

Janice Clark (Daughter) - April 03, 2017 at 12:00 AM

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“ Bettys family wish to thank you and the Methodist Church for the support you gave to her throughout the many years she was a member of your church. During the last 11 years, since she had advanced dementia, her family didnt always know when you came to visit; but we saw your cards and poinsettias you sent over the years. One special item you made for her was a Prayer Quilt. She had it in her room at Harmony House and we took to BTC when she moved there. It now has a special place in our home. We were grateful for your kindness and remembering her on special days. The Chimes arrived every month, and I would read it to her since her eyesight was very poor due to cataracts. When she was in good health, she helped every Tuesday to put the bulletins together and loved doing it. She remembered that for many years. Our family appreciates all the caring that the church and its members offered during the years. She was a special lady and she will be missed. Thank you, Family of Betty Thompson

Janice Clark (Daughter) - April 03, 2017 at 12:00 AM

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“ Betty was a very sweet lady I took care of her at harmony heath care . she lived a good life her daughters were always there for her I asked her once why she didnt have a boy she didnt want one .. betty rip love you May, Sorry I didnt reply sooner but found your comment just today. Thank you for remembering our mother. You gave her wonderful care and we appreciated the compassion you showed. I cant wait to tell my sisters about her comments about having boys. She was a great lady and we will miss her. Thank you, Janice

may mcpherson - April 03, 2017 at 12:00 AM

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“ *First United Methodist Church 680 NW Bond St I am the Parish Nurse at First United Methodist Church. Many of us remember Betty and extend our sympathies to Your family. No matter the length of life, it is hard to lose Mom and Grandmother. Sandy Bettys family wish to thank you and the Methodist Church for the support you gave to her throughout the many years she was a member of your church. During the last 11 years, since she had advanced dementia, her family didnt always know when you came to visit; but we saw your cards and poinsettias you sent over the years. One special item you made for her was a Prayer Quilt. She had it in her room at Harmony House and we took to BTC when she moved there. It now has a special place in our home. We were grateful for your kindness and remembering her on special days. The Chimes arrived every month, and I would read it to her since her eyesight was very poor due to cataracts. When she was in good health, she helped every Tuesday to put the bulletins together and loved doing it. She remembered that for many years. Our family appreciates all the caring that the church and its members offered during the years. She was a special lady and she will be missed. Thank you, Family of Betty Thompson*

Sandy Clausen - April 03, 2017 at 12:00 AM