



Betty Lou Spurgeon

May 9, 1931 - December 20, 2011

Betty Lou Spurgeon, 80, of Murphysboro, passed away at 8:45 p.m. Tuesday, December 20, 2011, at the Memorial Hospital in Carbondale, Illinois.

Betty was born on May 9, 1931, in Grand Tower, Illinois, to Ruth Edna Wills.

She worked all her life as a waitress, working at Tippy's Cafe, the V.F.W. and also, twenty five years at 17th Street Bar and Grill. She made the "Betty Burger" and was known for being the Queen of Hamburgers, because everyone loved her "Betty Burger".

Betty never went anywhere that some one did not know her. She was a wonderful lady and most of all, she was the most loving mother and grandma. She loved her grandbabies and her gospel music.

Betty is survived by five children Carolyn Trexler and her husband Eddie Trexler, Richard Spurgeon and his wife Monica Spurgeon, Lisa Stein and her husband John Stein, Beverly Spurgeon, and Tim Spurgeon and his girlfriend Susie, all of Murphysboro;

very special friend Gina Wayman, and three very special and loving ex-daughter in laws Terri Crouch of Union, MO, Shanna Cox of Carbondale, and Diane Brock of Texas;

fourteen grandkids, Tammy Hardy, Shane Spurgeon, Eric Spurgeon and Denise, Micky Will and her husband Brian Will, Kari Spurgeon Smith, Cody Stein, Brittney Spurgeon, Kyle Spurgeon, Tara Stein, Levi Spurgeon, Sammi Joe, Casey, Jared and Ashton;

twelve great grandkids John Spurgeon, Trevor Newman, Dalton Hardy, Gunner Scott, Mikey Will, Makenzie Will, Josselyn Smith, Cash Spurgeon, Sydney Clinton, Jace Smith, Khloe Garsky, Hayden Spurgeon, New Baby Clinton, and Sabrina Gregg.

She was preceded in death by her mother, her grandparents Clyde and Ruth Wills, one son Kenny Spurgeon, and one grandson Anthony "Tony" Spurgeon.

She will be miss very much by so many people. Her family was her world and she worried about everyone but herself.

There are so many people and family that were in life that she loved.

But most of all she was the best mother.

Tribute Wall



“ *Betty Lou Spurgeon*

October 23, 2023 at 06:26 AM



“ *Lisa & Tara,
I know that you will miss Betty dearly but she had a great life. I didn't know her personally but always was told she was a great person to be around real cut up & card to be with. I know that she loved you all so much. Just remember the good times you all had together. Jami really thinks alot of you all too. Who would have knkow me & Lisa went to school together & Tara & Jami went to school together. God bless you all. Linda*

Linda Durham - December 27, 2011 at 10:18 PM



“ *grandmal i will miss u so much i did not want to see u leave us but i no in my heart u are doing great now love u granny.love u tammi*

tammi - December 24, 2011 at 08:48 PM



“ *To the family of my mother in law Betty Spurgeon I will always miss Betty and remember for the loving mother grandmother and friend Betty was! I was blessed to have known her and the rest of the spurgeon family! I will always cherish all the times I got to share with Betty I will always miss her and love her for the person she was!god bless you all and rest in peace grandma!!*

Shanna cox - December 24, 2011 at 08:03 PM