



Betty Jean Cheatwood

October 9, 1935 - March 10, 2025

Betty Jean (Hall) Cheatwood, age 89 of Lexington, passed away Monday, March 10, 2025. She was born October 9, 1935 in Wanette, OK, the 5th of 6 children born to Roma Leslie “Zack” Hall and Rowenia Luvicie (Rogers) Hall. Betty was raised in the Rose Hill Community east of Lexington where she began school. She graduated from Lexington High School with the Bulldog Class of 1954. Betty married a young serviceman named Charley Bill Cheatwood. They made their home in Lexington where they raised two children, son Billy and daughter Marsha. Betty worked as a cook at the Central State Hospital Lexington, a high school secretary for Lexington Public Schools, and as a receptionist for both Doctors McCurdy and Rollins in Purcell. Lastly, she worked as a Secretary at the Joseph Harp Correctional Facility before retiring. Betty was a hard worker, always busy and always doing. She enjoyed tending to her flowers and gardening. She helped raise her great grandson Clayton, and was a mother to many others throughout the years. Betty looked after the Chappell Hill Cemetery for several years, keeping books, grave marking, cleaning and mowing. She was a woman of great faith and attended the Lexington First Baptist Church. She cherished Bill and her children, and was never happier than the day she became a Nan. She will be dearly missed!

She was preceded in death by: her granddaughter, Rachel Rothner; her parents, Zack and Rowenia Hall and siblings, Leon Bailey, Louise Bailey,

Bonnie Buck and Ray Hall.

Betty is survived by: her husband of 73 years, Bill Cheatwood; daughter Marsha Tirey of Norman; son Billy Cheatwood and wife Fonda of Empire; Brother Richard (Dick) Hall of Lexington; 4 grandchildren, Chris Bartlett, Michelle Bartlett, Ryan Dymond and Blake Cheatwood; 4 great grandchildren, Clayton Bartlett, Caden Dymond, Kyleigh Dymond and Daxton Dymond, and a host of other family and friends.

Funeral Services are scheduled for 2:00 P.M. Thursday, March 13, 2025
Wilson-Little Funeral Home in Purcell and burial at Chappell Hill Cemetery
east of Lexington.

Cemetery Details

Chappel Hill Cemetery

Lexington, OK 73051

Previous Events

Funeral Service

MAR 13. 2:00 PM (CT)

Little's Chapel
127 S. Canadian
Purcell, OK 73080
<http://www.wilsonlittle.com>

Tribute Wall

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“ Betty will be missed dearly. She was the best aunt ever. Always inviting and I loved to hear her singing on Sunday mornings before church. Spent many summers as a kid at their place east of Lex. So glad we got to have a family reunion last year and she was able to see all of our relatives.

Donna Burnett - March 12, 2025 at 05:30 PM

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“ I've never been able to say Betty without saying, "Bill & Betty". They made the perfect duo and were always so kind and helpful to everyone. I appreciate the help they gave my mom after my dad, Pat, passed away. They are the kind of family everyone needs. I am so sorry I will not be able to attend her funeral d/t my schedule, but my thoughts and prayers will be with each of you. - Arleen Cheatwood-Blanchard

Arleen Blalnchard - March 12, 2025 at 12:58 PM

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“ Betty was a dear friend. We enjoyed being Mothers Club when our kids were small. Later attended FBC together she was one amazing lady. We will see her again

phyllis holloway - March 11, 2025 at 06:32 PM