



Betty Jean Fretwell

September 8, 1945 - March 13, 2022

Betty Jean Fretwell, age 76, of Russellville passed away peacefully on Sunday, March 13, 2022 at North Alabama Medical Center surrounded by her husband and family. She was born on September 08, 1945.

The visitation will be 6:00 - 8:00 p.m. Tuesday, March 15, 2022 at Spry Memorial Chapel. The funeral service will be at 1:00 p.m. Wednesday, March 16, 2022 at Spry Memorial Chapel with Bro. Thomas Thornton officiating the service. Burial will be at Franklin Memory Gardens.

Betty was a precious soul and everyone who met her fell in love with her. She loved with all of her heart. She loved her husband and soul mate for over 58 years. She worked at Walmart for 29 years where she made numerous friends and great co-workers. She loved her family and they were her pride and joy. She was a second mom to so many people. When you think of a strong Christian lady, you will think of Betty Fretwell. She was strong in her faith and her family has no doubt she is walking those golden streets and praising with her family.

She is preceded in death by her parents, Henry Archie & Fannie May Taylor; her two brothers, Howard and J.D. Taylor; three sisters, Ormay Duncan, Arlene Newell, and Doris Jordan; and granddaughter, Ashley Murray.

She is survived by her husband of 58 years, Ray Fretwell; her daughter, Tina Murray (Jeff); son, Chris Fretwell (Kari); grandchildren, Adam McCluskey (Paige), Alex McCluskey (Lauren), Christopher, Jacob, and Haven Fretwell, Hunter Murray (Traci), Maggie Willingham, Morgan Willingham (Braden),

Masen Willingham; great-grandchildren, Samuel, Caroline, and A.J. McCluskey, Hudson Murray, Kipp Hester, Indy Mitchell; and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins, and friends.

The pallbearers will be Adam McCluskey, Alex McCluskey, Tyler Fretwell, Shane Fretwell, Dr. Keith Morrow, and Wade Taylor. The honorary pallbearers will be Christopher Fretwell and Jacob Fretwell.

The family would like to extend a sincere thanks to the nurses, doctors, and staff of Russellville Hospital, Helen Keller Hospital, and North Alabama Medical Center for the love and care shown to our family in our time of need. Spry Memorial Chapel assisted the family. To have us sign the book for you, please free to call or to leave private condolences, please visit our website at www.sprymemorialchapel.com.

Tribute Wall

TH

“ God took you too soon. You were always my favorite aunt and I really wanted to see you one more time . Give MaMaw , Papaw and Ora Mae a big ole hug for me .??

Teresa Hargrove - April 10, 2023 at 12:00 AM

MS

“ So Sorry for your loss. Praying for you.

Marlin Saint - March 15, 2022 at 12:00 AM

GJ

“ Please accept my sincere condolences for your great loss. Betty will be missed by all who knew her. She was a grest lady!!

Genelle Jackson - March 15, 2022 at 12:00 AM

JF

“ Everyone is in my thoughts & prayers. Momma Betty had love for everyone & she will always be a cherished Momma to me. All the time I spent with Tina, Momma Betty treated me as another daughter & Daddy Ray also. Heaven gained a very special Angel when Momma walked through the Pearly Gates & into the arms of Jesus & awaiting family who went before her. Her memories will always be held close in my heart. All my love & prayers goes to my sister Tina, Daddy Ray & my little brother Chris & the rest of the family.



Joy Fuller - March 15, 2022 at 12:00 AM

DK

“ Ray and family, I am so sorry for your loss. May you feel the arms of the Lord around you during your time of loss. You are in my prayers.

Debbie Kennedy - March 15, 2022 at 12:00 AM

RC

“ Sorry to hear of your loss. she will be missed by all who knew her

Raymond & Joyce Clement - March 15, 2022 at 12:00 AM

MF

“ Ray, may all your beautiful memories of your wife comfort you and bring you peace. With deepest sympathy Margaret Farley, James and Juanita Graham.

Margaret Farley - March 14, 2022 at 12:00 AM

LH

“ Ray, I was sorry to see Betty had passed away. I know this is hard to accept. you will never get over losing her but you will have family to help you get through. I know because I have lose Freda. She was a person I will never forget. I always looked her up at Wal Mart when we came up to Russellville. Love You and God Bless.

Larry Hipp - March 14, 2022 at 12:00 AM

AB

“ I worked with Betty at Walmart for several years. She was a very good worker and a great lady . She was always willing to help anyone any way she could . No doubt that she is singing in heaven💎

Anthony Baugh - March 14, 2022 at 12:00 AM

RF

“ So very sorry for your loss. Our prayers are with you and family!

Ron & Vee Fretwell - March 14, 2022 at 12:00 AM

MJ

“ Ray and Family, ♦
Our thoughts and prayers are will all of you!
Though it has been many years since we last
saw Betty, her smile and kindness always
shines bright. ♦
Rest In Peace Sweet Soul!
Love, Michele Johnson-Dobbs & Family



Michele Johnson-Dobbs - March 14, 2022 at 12:00 AM

HJ

“ Ray ,I am so sorry for your loss, Betty was a special person my wife Diane loved her thoughtful ways and her everlasting smile . You are truly blessed to have her in you heart. Love and your family Wayne

Henry Wayne Johnson - March 14, 2022 at 12:00 AM