



## Betty L. Little

September 21, 1936 - June 19, 2024

A Memorial Service for Betty will be held on Thursday, June 27, 2024 at 10:30 a.m. at the First Congregational United Church of Christ in Geneva, Nebraska with Kim Dunker presiding.

No Visitation will be held as it was Betty's wishes to be cremated.

Memorials are to be directed to the First Congregational United Church of Christ or Nebraska Kidney Association or Fairmont Senior Center.

Private Family Graveside Service will be held at a later date in the Fairmont Public Cemetery in rural Fairmont, Nebraska.

Betty L. Little was born September 21, 1936, in Strang, Nebraska to Merle and Lila (Evans) Wilkinson. She passed away at Heritage Crossing Nursing Home, on June 19, 2024, at the age of 87 years, 8 months and 28 days. She was the only daughter and had one brother.

Betty grew up in the Strang area. Attended school in Strang through the eighth grade. She graduated high school at Shickley.

She was united in marriage to Delmar Little on December 9, 1956. To this union was born one son, Rodney.

Betty took dialysis training for 6 weeks in Colorado and provided home dialysis for her late husband Delmar.

Betty was diagnosed with cancer in February of 2022. She decided on pursuing treatment with chemotherapy and radiation. However, in May of 2024 when they found the cancer was growing, she wanted to proceed with surgery for more time with loved ones. Betty had several hospitalizations due to immunosuppressive condition from cancer treatments. She was able to care for herself at home until the middle of May when she decided on hospice care; choosing Heritage Crossings where she had worked for 33 years.

She was preceded in death by her husband Delmar Little; parents Lila and Merle Wilkinson and brother Robert Wilkinson.

She is survived by her son, Rodney; nephew, nieces, and many cousins.

Betty loved reading every recipe book she could get her hands on. Betty loved to share recipes with friends & family.

Betty enjoyed word scramble puzzles, playing cards and collecting humorous poems and quotes to make you laugh.

## Cemetery Details

### Fairmont Public Cemetery

Fairmont, NE

## Previous Events

### Memorial Service

JUN 27. 10:30 AM (CT)

First Congregational United Church of Christ  
906 H Street  
Geneva, NE 68361

# Tribute Wall



“ 6 files added to the album Flower Arrangements



Farmer & Son Funeral Home - June 28, 2024 at 10:44 AM

VJ

“ Thoughts and prayers!



Virginia Johnson - June 27, 2024 at 11:16 AM

BE

“ So sad to hear of Betty's passing she was a wonderful, sweet and kind lady. I remember one time we went to Hebron for the Fourth of July and my oldest daughter was 3 months old and she "insisted" on holding her and was shocked when my daughter fell asleep with all the commotion going on. I would also go to the senior center with my mom on the nights they played cards and had finger foods. She was a sweet soul!

Beverly (Bauer) Evans - June 25, 2024 at 06:27 PM

JB

“ My deepest sympathy to you Rodney. What a shock this news was of your Mother's passing. Fond memories of our younger days came to my mind immediately and our working days. I remember helping Betty with setting up treatments for Delmar, so proud of her for what she did for your Father. She was a beautiful person inside and out, she will be missed but now at peace.



*Jenice (Anderson) Bates*

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**Jenice Bates** - June 21, 2024 at 02:39 PM



“ Rest in peace, Betty. You are now with our Precious Lord and Delmar. I will never forget all of the memories I have spending time with the family while growing up and our family dinners; especially your corn dish.



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**Teresa Johnson** - June 21, 2024 at 10:42 AM

LH

“ Linda Heinisch lit a candle in memory of Betty Little



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**Linda Heinisch** - June 21, 2024 at 06:43 AM

LD

“ *Lisa Dondlinger lit a candle in memory of Betty Little*



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**Lisa Dondlinger** - June 20, 2024 at 09:43 PM

JW

“ *Joy Williams lit a candle in memory of Betty Little*



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**Joy Williams** - June 20, 2024 at 08:58 PM

JW

“ *Had the pleasure of getting to know Betty .She always had a smile and a heart of gold. May God hold her tight.*

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**Joy Williams** - June 20, 2024 at 08:58 PM

BR

“ *Bonnie Rippe lit a candle in memory of Betty Little*



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**Bonnie Rippe** - June 20, 2024 at 08:47 PM

BT

“ *My sympathy and prayers for you Rodney. I was so shocked to read your sad news. We had such good visits at Heritage. She was a sweet lady!  
May the peace of God be with you!*  
*Barb Trapp*



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**Barbara Trapp** - June 20, 2024 at 07:04 PM

JB

“ *Betty Little was one of the finest human beings God ever created. She had a heart full of love and care for everyone she knew . The years I shared working with her at Heritage are treasured memories. She showed me what true compassion for your fellow man truly was. Rodney you were blessed to call her your Mother*

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**Judy Benson** - June 20, 2024 at 06:27 PM



*Prayers for Betty's family, she was a very true person Pam Clark (Schroeder)*

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**Pam Schroeder** - June 22, 2024 at 11:49 PM