

Betty L. Matthews, known as “Grandma Betty”, age 88, of Milford, Iowa, and formerly of Terril and Sioux Rapids, Iowa, died on Monday, November 13, 2018, at the Milford Care Center at Milford, Iowa.

Betty Lou Holm, the daughter of Louis and Edna (Klutz) Holm was born at Sioux Rapids, Iowa, on January 4, 1930. She lived her youth and received her education in Sioux Rapids, graduating with the Sioux Rapids High School Class of 1947. She accepted Christ, was baptized and received the Holy Spirit at the age of 16.

On December 30, 1949, Betty was united in marriage to Darrell Matthews and the couple was blessed with three sons: Michael, Patrick and Bret. Following their marriage, Darrell and Betty farmed near Sioux Rapids before moving to their farm at Terril, Iowa in 1961. In addition to being a homemaker, wife, and mother, she worked at the Sears store in Estherville, Iowa for many years. Special interests of Betty's included flowers, gardening and cooking. She has also been a member of the Buena Vista County Order of Eastern Star since the 1950's. Betty will be remembered as a woman with a very personal and strong faith.

Betty's life is honored and cherished by her family which include her two sons: Patrick of Terril, Iowa and Bret (Sharon) of Spencer, Iowa, one grandson, Levi; two great grandsons: Brayden and Liam, nieces, nephews, other extended family and friends.

She was preceded in death by her parents, her husband, Darrell, on October 28, 1985, her son: Michael, one sister: Della and one brother: Eldon.

In lieu of flowers, memorials may be sent to Patrick Matthews, 3155 250th St. Terril,
Iowa 51364

In Loving Memory



“Grandma Betty”

Betty L. Matthews

1930 — 2018

Isaiah 40:31

"but those who hope in the Lord will renew their
strength, They will soar on wings like eagles, they will
run and not grow weary, they will walk and not be
faint."

Isaiah 41:10

So do not fear, for I am with you; do not be dismayed,
for I am your God. I will strengthen you and help you.
I will uphold you with my righteous right hand."

We wish to express our sincere gratitude for the many kindnesses
evidenced in thought and deed, and for your attendance at this service.

Please join us for lunch and a time of fellowship following the burial at the funeral
home.

— *The Family of Betty Matthews*

IN MEMORY OF

"Grandma Betty"

Betty L. Matthews

January 4, 1930 — November 13, 2018

FUNERAL SERVICES

Friday, November 16, 2018 — 1:00 p.m.

Sliefert Funeral Home

Sioux Rapids, Iowa

CLERGY

Pastor Lana Williams

PIANIST

Lourene Vail

CONGREGATIONAL HYMNS

"Precious Lord Take My Hand"

"Amazing Grace"

INTERMENT

Lone Tree Cemetery

Sioux Rapids, Iowa

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