



Betty Archer

February 23, 1932 - February 21, 2019

Betty Archer, age 86, of Schaller, Iowa died on Thursday, February 21, 2019 at the Good Samaritan Society in Newell, Iowa.

Funeral services will be held on Wednesday, February 27, 2019 at 2:00 p.m. at the Fratzke & Jensen Funeral Home in Storm Lake. Burial will be in the St. Mary's Cemetery in Storm Lake. Visitation will take place prior to the service from 12:30-2:00 p.m. at the FUNERAL HOME. In lieu of flowers, a memorial fund has been established in Betty's name. The Fratzke & Jensen Funeral Home in Storm Lake is in charge of the arrangements.

Betty Lou Archer, the daughter of Elmer and Virginia (Lake) Pewsey, was born on February 23, 1932 in Storm Lake, Iowa.

Betty grew up in the Truesdale area where she attended grade school and high school. She graduated from Truesdale High School in 1949. After high school, Betty took nursing classes and then met Evans Archer.

Betty was united in marriage to Evans Archer on December 29, 1951 in Sioux Rapids, Iowa. The couple was blessed with six children: Catherine, Douglas, Richard, David, Gary, and Steve. Evans died on November 10, 1969.

On May 5, 1970, Betty was united in marriage to William "Bill" Archer in

Luverne, Minnesota. The couple was blessed with one daughter, Ann.

In her free time, Betty loved gardening, knitting, and embroidery. She also enjoyed playing cards, bowling, and going on trips to the casino.

Those left to cherish her memory include her children: Catherine (Timothy) Bloom of Cherokee, Iowa; Douglas (Sue Zemke) Archer of Newell, Iowa; Richard (Rhonda) Archer of Bricelyn, Minnesota; David (Joy) Archer of Lakeside, Iowa; Gary Archer of Schaller, Iowa; Steve Archer of Cedar Falls, Iowa; Ann (Barry) Shumate of Dow City, Iowa; brother, Robert Pewsey of Pomeroy, Iowa; sister, Becky Ranck of Cedar Rapids, Iowa; 10 grandchildren; 13 great-grandchildren; and extended family and friends.

Betty was preceded in death by her parents; husbands, Evans Archer and William "Bill" Archer.

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Previous Events

Visitation

FEB 27. 12:30 PM - 2:00 PM (CT)

Fratzke & Jensen Funeral Home - Storm Lake
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Service

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Tribute Wall

DF

“ *Doug&Heather Fassler lit a candle in memory of Betty Archer*



Doug&Heather Fassler - February 27, 2019 at 10:13 PM

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“ *Doug&Hea Heather FassFas lit a candle in memory of Betty Archer*



Doug&Hea Heather fassFas - February 27, 2019 at 10:13 PM

CH

“ *My Aunt Betty Archer was a very strong and capable woman. She raised 7 children, 2 girls and 5 boys. She also survived 2 husbands that both passed on before she did. I'm sorry I missed attending the funeral because of Iowa winter weather.*

Cathy, Doug, Dick, Dave, Steve, Gary, Ann, and your families, I mostly wanted to be there for all of you. I'm sorry I couldn't be there to talk, share memories, and cry together.

My thoughts and prayers are with you all today. May God comfort and support you through these days. May you experience His love in the best way possible in the coming days.



Cindy Lynn Pewsey Herrin - February 27, 2019 at 12:40 PM



“ *Classic Sympathy Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Betty Archer.* ”



February 27, 2019 at 09:24 AM



“ *Troy & Heidi Howard lit a candle in memory of Betty Archer* ”



Troy & Heidi Howard - February 27, 2019 at 07:13 AM



“ *Paul Kelly lit a candle in memory of Betty Archer* ”



Paul Kelly - February 26, 2019 at 10:32 AM



“ *Shelly Schossow lit a candle in memory of Betty Archer* ”



Shelly schossow - February 25, 2019 at 10:37 PM



“ *Blue & White Sympathy Floor Basket was purchased for the family of Betty Archer.*



February 25, 2019 at 06:22 PM



“ *To the Archer family,
I was saddened to see the loss of Betty, but smiled at the Lakeside memories! I was Rona Foster, the neighbor girl! It is a snow day here in Algona and I cherish those memories of playing outside with your family. Good ole' "Kick the Can" games, too! I have many fond memories and remember our parents yelling and whistling to come in. I'd love to hear from all of you! (rloss@humboldt.k12.ia.us). My deepest sympathies to you and all of your extended families!*

Rona Loss - February 25, 2019 at 02:29 PM



“ *Sue Zemke lit a candle in memory of Betty Archer*



Sue Zemke - February 25, 2019 at 11:11 AM

DJ

“ *Deb And Kevin Jesse lit a candle in memory of Betty Archer*



Deb and Kevin Jesse - February 24, 2019 at 10:58 PM

JD

“ *John/Connie Demers lit a candle in memory of Betty Archer*



John/Connie Demers - February 24, 2019 at 09:55 PM

TH

“ *Todd & Laurie Hansen lit a candle in memory of Betty Archer*



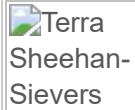
Todd & Laurie Hansen - February 24, 2019 at 12:21 PM

ML

“ *Mike Lyman lit a candle in memory of Betty Archer*



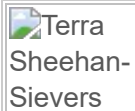
Mike Lyman - February 24, 2019 at 09:54 AM



“ *Terra Sheehan-Sievers lit a candle in memory of Betty Archer*



Terra Sheehan-Sievers - February 23, 2019 at 01:47 PM



“ *I so enjoyed working with Betty at Mrs. Mom's, she had a sense of humor that kept the crew going, I couldn't wait to go to work, just so I could work with her. Betty never forgot to send me and my husband a Christmas card for many years even after the closing of Mrs. Mom's. She will truly be missed.*



Terra Sheehan-Sievers - February 23, 2019 at 01:29 PM

CM

I love working with Betty too at Mrs Mom's she was such a fun person and wonderful friend ! I will miss her so much!

Connie Meyer - February 25, 2019 at 07:49 PM

MH

“ *Michelle Henderson lit a candle in memory of Betty Archer*



Michelle Henderson - February 23, 2019 at 11:37 AM

PG

“ *Sad to hear of Betty's passing. You know how it goes--always going to pay a visit and never get it done. Sorry, remember as I knew her, always a good lady. Now she is in heaven with Pete & Arch. God rest their souls. To the family we offer prayers, peace & some comfort. Now she is spreading her wings.*



*Love & prayers,
Lary & Patty Gunville
Storm Lake, Iowa*

Patty Gunville - February 23, 2019 at 10:22 AM

 Leigh
Schultz

“ *Leigh Schultz lit a candle in memory of Betty Archer*



Leigh Schultz - February 22, 2019 at 08:06 PM