



Betty Wright

April 13, 1926 - July 11, 2020

Betty Wright, 94, died peacefully in Norman on July 11, 2020. She was born in her home in Wynnewood on April 13, 1926 to Ada and Sid McKinney. She grew up in Wynnewood and lived there her entire life. As a child, she enjoyed being with her sister and friends in town. She was in the Wynnewood marching band and played the clarinet.

She met her best friend and companion, Doyle Wright, on a quail dinner blind date. They married on Saint Patrick's Day, March 17, 1951.

She worked at the Wynnewood water and light department for many years as a secretary-bookkeeper and was the face of the department. Everyone in town knew her and appreciated her courteousness and excellent work for the city. She was a member of Wynnewood United Methodist Church for many years.

She had a love of cooking, fishing, and gardening. She spent many years canning and pickling their home grown tomatoes, cucumbers, squash and okra. Shelling and cracking pecans was also one of the things she did in her later years with 30 plus pecan trees in the property her dad planted many years ago.

She was preceded in death by her mother and father, Ada and Sid McKinney, her siblings, Alice, Dean, and Dorothy and her beloved husband Doyle Wright. She is survived by her nephew, Ken Morris and his Donna, their children and grandchildren, stepdaughter, Lonna Sue Durbin and husband Ken, and numerous cousins.

Thanks for all the staff at the grace skilled nursing and therapy center in Norman for taking care of Betty for the last 3 years.

Due to the current situation, a graveside service will be held at Oaklawn Cemetery in Wynnewood on July 16, 2020 at 10:00 AM. The family would prefer everyone to wear a mask please.

Tribute Wall



“ *Betty Wright*

October 05, 2023 at 07:47 PM



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Janie Hankin - July 19, 2020 at 12:50 PM

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Janie Hankins thank you. Please tell me how you know Betty.

Ken Morris - August 03, 2020 at 05:29 PM

JW

“ *Every Christmas of my childhood was spent at Uncle Doyle and Aunt Betty's home in Wynnewood. As an adult, we traveled there every June. My life has been made so much fuller by a lifetime of love from Betty, and carried on to my children and grandchildren. She welcomed us all for over 60 years. Love you!*

Jill Wright - July 16, 2020 at 01:23 PM

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Jill very nice thank you

Ken Morris - August 03, 2020 at 05:28 PM

KM

“ *God Bless Betty Wright. Love you dearly. ❤️*



Ken Morris - July 14, 2020 at 08:58 PM



“ *We will love you forever Aunt Betty. You were so close to the entire Morris Family. I know that my father leaned on you and Doyle so much for all of his life, and even more so after Dorothy's passing. You and Doyle have been such an integral part of my life as well. I am so happy that you got to know Sunny and even Olivia and Madeline. You will be missed.*

Jeff Morris - July 14, 2020 at 05:51 PM

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“ *Joe thank you so much for your service. I am very pleased with your service. My aunt was very unselfish. She put her family first. The United Methodist Church of Wynnewood asked Betty for dishes of her famous slaw for funeral dinners. She always complied.*



Ken Morris - July 14, 2020 at 05:28 PM