



Betty Jean Abuhl

November 29, 1930 - September 2, 2018

Betty Jean Abuhl (1930-2018)

CEDAR FALLS – Betty Jean Abuhl, 87, of Cedar Falls, Iowa, died Sunday, September 2, 2018 at her home.

She was born November 29, 1930 in Rock Rapids, Iowa, daughter of Klaus and Grace (Krull) Van Westen. She married John D. Abuhl on June 12, 1955 in Rock Rapids and was a missionary wife and homemaker throughout her adult life. John preceded her in death on August 10, 1998.

Survived by: three daughters, Sharon (Dale) Pelton of Cedar Rapids, Gwen (Kevin) Alderman of Cedar Falls, and Beth (Rich) Worley of Nevada, IA; two sons, Duane (Janet) Abuhl of Vanuatu, South Pacific Islands, and Lee (Violette) Abuhl of Togo, West Africa; eighteen grandchildren; twenty-nine great grandchildren; a brother, Albertus (Ruth) Van Westen of Luverne, MN; and two sisters, Inez Rogers of Owatonna, MN, and Shirley (Howard) Heikes of Mantorville, MN.

Preceded in death by: three brothers and one sister.

Services: 2:00 p.m. Saturday, September 8th at Richardson Funeral Service, Cedar Falls, with burial in Garden of Memories in Waterloo. Visitation for one

hour prior to the service at the funeral home.

Memorials may be directed to the family.

Cemetery Details

Garden of Memories

3669 Logan Ave
Waterloo, IA 50703

Previous Events

Visitation

SEP 8. 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM (CT)

Richardson Funeral Service
615 Main Street
Cedar Falls, IA 50613
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<http://richardson.funeralplan2.com>

Funeral Service

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Tribute Wall

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“ Paul and Glenda Stetson, longtime missionaries in France (age 64+) would like to send our sympathy and fond remembrance of your loved one, Betty Abuhl. We saw them work (John and Betty), and enjoyed their work in more than one church here in France. Yes, Betty was a special person, and a servant. I do remember how at our home John and Betty talked about Pecan pie, (with their pronunciation of "pecan" a little different than ours). To that, our little girl said, "Pecan pie" doesn't exist! Your loved ones took that in stride, and our kids loved "Grandpa" and "Grandma" Abuhl. May God bless you keep you.

Paul STETSON - September 20, 2018 at 08:14 AM



“ Sweetest Sunrise Bouquet was purchased for the family of Betty Jean Abuhl.



September 07, 2018 at 09:22 AM

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“ Betty was truly a beautiful and special woman in her quiet gentle way. Always had a smile and a hug for everyone. I remember her faithfulness in visiting my mother regularly over the years. Mom looked forward to seeing her and always told me when she had been there. Please know I am thinking about you all. May God comfort you in your knowledge that she is rejoicing in Heaven. Wow! What a reunion!
Mary Pries

Mary - September 06, 2018 at 11:00 PM

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“ *LeClaire Baptist Church purchased the Emerald Garden Basket for the family of Betty Jean Abuhl.*



LeClaire Baptist Church - September 06, 2018 at 09:33 PM



“ *Enchanted Cottage was purchased for the family of Betty Jean Abuhl.*



September 05, 2018 at 10:05 PM



“ *Gracious Lavender Basket was purchased for the family of Betty Jean Abuhl.*



September 05, 2018 at 07:59 PM