



Betty Jo Jenkins

August 11, 1932 - January 16, 2023

Betty Jo Jenkins, age 90, of Newport, passed away Monday, January 16, 2023.

She was a faithful member of First Christian Church.

She was preceded in death by her parents, Joe and Beulah Sweeten; son, Jeffery "Loafer" Jenkins; and brother, Tommy Sweeten.

She is survived by her loving husband of 69 years, Charles Jenkins of Newport; daughter, Kathy (Richard) Mills, of Charlotte, NC; brothers, Jim (Beverly) Sweeten of Goodlettsville, TN, and Michael (Starlene) Sweeten of Newport; grandson, Mark Mills , of Charlotte, NC; also several nieces, nephews other family and friends.

The family will receive friends from 5 p.m. – 7 p.m., Friday, January 20, 2023 with funeral service following at 7 p.m., in Manes Funeral Home Chapel, Brother Martin Stump will be officiating.

Burial will be held 11 a.m., Saturday, January 21, 2023 in Union Cemetery.

Family and friends may sign the guest register online at: www.manesfuneralhome.com.

Arrangements by Manes Funeral Home.

Previous Events

Receive Friends

JAN 20. 5:00 PM - 7:00 AM (ET)

Manes Funeral Home Chapel
363 East Main Street
Newport, TN 37821

Funeral service

JAN 20. 7:00 PM (ET)

Manes Funeral Home Chapel
363 East Main Street
Newport, TN 37821

Burial

JAN 21. 11:00 AM (ET)

Union Cemetery Inc
420 Mineral St
Newport, TN 37821-3900
(423) 623-6918

Tribute Wall

JR

“ *I'm so very sorry and deeply saddened by the passing of Betty. May God bring you comfort and peace during this difficult time.* ”

Janice Ramsey

Janice Ramsey - January 23, 2023 at 01:15 PM

DM

“ *Rest in Peace Betty...Charles, Kathy and all the family, I am thinking of all of you!* ”



Debbie Murr McGaha - January 21, 2023 at 09:09 AM

BR

“ *Bill Ryan lit a candle in memory of Betty Jenkins* ”



Bill Ryan - January 20, 2023 at 08:16 PM

RO

“ *A few more photos ...* ”



Rosita - January 20, 2023 at 05:24 PM

RO

“ All the Sweetens have a special place in my life. I am sorry to not be there with you all. But I wanted to share some photographs that my mother and I had. Betty was like my aunt. I will miss her laugh and her voice proclaiming how she was "mighty proud," for every message left on her voice mail. Kisses and hugs. Rosita & family



Rosita - January 20, 2023 at 05:22 PM

RO

“ 6 files added to the album Archival photos of Betty



Rosita - January 20, 2023 at 03:55 PM

CB

“ Prayers for your loss.

Connie & Marsha Ball & Dean Ball - January 20, 2023 at 11:33 AM

CB

“ Our condolences & prayers Charles ,Kathy, & all the family for your precious loss.

Connie & Marsha Ball - January 20, 2023 at 11:32 AM

JF

“ Charles,Kathy,and all the family, we are sorry for your loss. We will be keeping you in our thoughts and prayers. May God comfort you all in the days ahead. Love you.all, James and Gail Frisbee

James. and. Gail Frisbee - January 20, 2023 at 08:51 AM

JF

“ James. Gail Frisbee lit a candle in memory of Betty Jenkins



James. and. Gail Frisbee - January 20, 2023 at 08:43 AM

JK

“ jeff kyker lit a candle in memory of Betty Jenkins



jeff kyker - January 20, 2023 at 08:07 AM

MC

“ I'm so sorry for your loss my prayers are with you !

Mitch Coakley - January 19, 2023 at 06:54 PM



“ *Gracious Lavender Basket was purchased for the family of Betty Jo Jenkins.*



January 19, 2023 at 03:11 PM



“ *Sweet Tenderness was purchased for the family of Betty Jo Jenkins.*



January 19, 2023 at 12:22 PM



“ *Sorry to hear about ms . Jenkins . I know that Charles took very good care of her. Prayers for the Family.*

Tura wiley Lawson - January 18, 2023 at 11:44 PM



“ *So sorry for your loss. Good neighbors and friends.*

Gay and Carol Williamson - January 18, 2023 at 11:43 AM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Betty Jo Jenkins.*



January 18, 2023 at 11:18 AM

AO

“ Charles, Kathy & Family I am sorry to hear about Betty passing. I knew she was a special lady when she took Hootie under her wings after Loafer passed, she was so good to her. Please know you all are in my thoughts & prayers.



audrey owenby - January 18, 2023 at 10:33 AM

JS

“ Sorry for this families loss . Her and Charles were good to my grandmother Gladys Sherbit they made sure she was taken to church every Sunday. Sincerely Jennifer Shelton



Jennifer M Shelton - January 17, 2023 at 08:53 PM

DO

“ My sincere sympathy. I always enjoyed taking Betty's picture at her class reunions.

Duay O'Neil - January 17, 2023 at 08:06 PM

JF

“ Kathy.and all the family, we are very sorry.for your loss. We. Will be keeping. keeping all of you in our.thoughts and prayers.May God be with you in the. days ahead. Love you all,James. and Gail Frisbee

James. and Gail Frisbee - January 17, 2023 at 07:17 PM

JF

“ James. Gail Frisbee lit a candle in memory of Betty Jenkins



James. and Gail Frisbee - January 17, 2023 at 07:08 PM



“ Medium Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Betty Jo Jenkins.



January 17, 2023 at 05:54 PM



“ Blue Caribbean Bouquet was purchased for the family of Betty Jo Jenkins.



January 17, 2023 at 04:58 PM

TC

“ I didn't have the pleasure of meeting Ms. Jenkins, but I am sure she was a wonderful person as is evident from her Daughter, Kathy. I'm keeping you in my prayers Kathy and Richard. Peace be with the Family.

Teri Clark - January 17, 2023 at 03:12 PM