



Betty Craven

June 5, 1933 - May 10, 2024

Betty Jean Craven, 90, passed away on May 10, 2024. She was born on June 5, 1933 to Lester Westbury and Tressa W. De Ford.

Betty was a devout Catholic and a member of St. Theresa's Catholic Church. She spent much of her time praying for her family and friends who could depend on her thoughtfulness and honesty. Betty enjoyed talking with her family and friends, catching up on the news and giving advice.

Betty is survived by her four children: Debbie Utsey (Michael), Teresa Craven, Libby Craven, and Gerald Craven, Jr.; Two granddaughters: Shanon Utsey and Megan Gillen (Kirk).

She was preceded in death by her parents; loving husband of 63 years, Gerald Craven, Sr.; siblings: Wilson Westbury, Virginia Mixon, and Ray Giannell.

In lieu of flowers, you may make a donation to a charity of your choice.

Previous Events

Visitation

MAY **16**. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

St. Theresa the Little Flower Catholic Church
11001 Dorchester Rd
Summerville, SC 29485
(843) 875-5002

Funeral Mass

MAY **16**. 11:00 AM (ET)

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Entombment

MAY **16** (ET)

Dorchester Memory Gardens
11000 Dorchester Road
Summerville, SC 29485
<http://www.dorchestermemorygardens.com>

Tribute Wall

SB

“ Aunt Betty was my Mother's best friend, since they met, they literally spoke every day until my Mother's death. She and Uncle Gerald made me feel loved and safe in their presence. I regret not keeping in touch better. I love you all. May perpetual light shine upon her.

Shelia Brabham Brumlow - May 26, 2024 at 02:37 PM

DB

“ David & Mary Richardson & Tammy Biats purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Betty Craven.



David & Mary Richardson & Tammy Biats - May 15, 2024 at 08:49 PM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Betty Craven.



May 15, 2024 at 07:29 PM

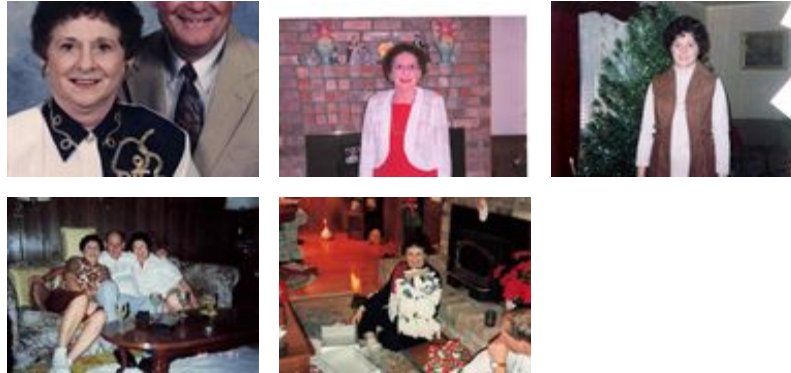
LG

“ Love from Jim and Marlene Gillen planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Betty Craven.

Love from Jim and Marlene Gillen - May 15, 2024 at 07:29 PM



“ 21 files added to the album Life Tributes



James A Dyal Funeral Home - May 15, 2024 at 08:57 AM

EB

“ I remember Betty from many years ago. She and Gerald were friends of my Aunt & Uncle. She had an wonderful sense of humor & great laugh. My thoughts and prayers for the family.
Elizabeth "Sissy" Brabham

Elizabeth F Brabham - May 15, 2024 at 07:31 AM

MF

“ I met Mrs. Craven in the grocery store while she and Libby were out and about. She is the finest example of a little Southern lady who leads her family as the matriarch with love, grace, and kindness. Prayers for Libby and her whole family as you celebrate the life of your beautiful mama. May you feel the love and peace of our Lord and Savior at this time.
Melanie Franks

Melanie Bryngelson Franks - May 14, 2024 at 07:31 PM

EC

“ Momma made me feel like family from the very first time we met. She was funny and kind, spunky and so very loving. Momma was an amazing story teller and wow, did she live a life full of incredible stories! Debbie, Teresa, Libby and Gerald, I'm so very sorry for the loss of your amazing mom. I feel blessed to have known her. Much love to you all. Erin Clinton

Erin Clinton - May 14, 2024 at 12:33 PM

DZ

“ She was a friend of my parents and for these 73 years I knew her as Aunt Betty. Aunt Betty lit up the room! She was vibrant, beautiful and fun! She will always have a special place in my heart. And when I think of her I will smile. Sympathy, prayers and love to the family and her friends. Debbie Zerba

Debbie Zerba - May 14, 2024 at 10:41 AM