



Betty "Jody" Jo Thomas

July 23, 1944 - February 26, 2017

A Memorial Service for Betty "Jody" Jo Thomas will be held from 2:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. on Saturday, April 22, 2017 at Indian Springs Country Club.

Betty "Jody" Jo Thomas was born in Crawfordsville, Indiana on Sunday, July 23, 1944, the daughter of Ora and Dorothy (Bodine) Newnum. She died in Tulsa, Oklahoma on Sunday, February 26, 2017. She was 72 years of age.

Jody was a graduate of Coal Creek Central High School in New Richmond, Indiana. She attended Ball State and Tulsa Community College, earning an associate's degree in business. She worked as a credit analyst and an executive assistant. She married Leo Thomas in Lafayette, Indiana on August 27, 1967. Jody loved working on crafts and quilting. She enjoyed playing golf and bridge. She loved her granddaughter and spending time with her. She was an avid Oklahoma State Cowboys fan and also followed the Chicago Cubs. She attended Indian Springs Baptist Church in Broken Arrow, Oklahoma.

In lieu of flowers, the family request memorials be made to Susan G. Komen Breast Cancer Research at 1560 E. 21st St. Suite 202, Tulsa, OK 74114 or to the Broken Arrow Performing Arts Center, checks payable to: ArtsOK, 701 S. Main St, Broken Arrow, OK 74012.

Jody is survived by,

Husband, Leo Thomas, Broken Arrow, OK

Daughter, Cynthia Pollock and husband Matthew, Olathe, KS

Granddaughter, Maureen

Sister, LuAnn Stohrer and husband Fred, Atlanta, GA

Brothers, Roger Newnum and wife Ruth Ann, Greencastle, IN

Kenneth Newnum and wife Ruth Ann, West Lafayette, IN

She was preceded in death by her parents.

Previous Events

Memorial Service

APR **22**. 2:00 PM - 4:00 PM (CT)

Indian Springs Country Club
16006 E. 131st St. S.
Broken Arrow, OK 74011

Tribute Wall



“ *Betty "Jody" Jo Thomas*

October 23, 2023 at 01:21 AM



“ *Leo, Cindy, and family,
I am so sorry about Jody's death and that I won't be there for her memorial service. I hope your family memories continue to help you through this difficult time. You are in my thoughts and prayers. I hope to see you when you bring her ashes to Indiana. God bless you.*

Marilyn Yoder

Marilyn Yoder - April 22, 2017 at 08:06 AM



“ *Leo & Family,*

I am so sorry about Jody's death. We had some really good times when we worked in the Purdue Residence Halls years ago. I posted a photo of Jody & I at Huntington Beach, Calif., on 12/31/66 when we went to the 1967 Rose Bowl and Purdue beat So.

Calif. 14-13 when Bob Griese was our QB. I enjoyed our lunches when the 2 of you visited IN in recent years. Thanks to you and Kenny & Ruth Ann for keeping me updated on Jody during her illness. I know she's in a better place, but she will be dearly missed. I hope your great family memories will help you through this difficult time. I'm keeping you in my thoughts and prayers. May God bless you.

Marilyn Yoder - March 02, 2017 at 10:51 AM

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Marilyn Yoder - March 02, 2017 at 10:37 AM

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“ Dear Leo and family, Jody is finally at peace. We are so sorry for your loss and continue to pray for all of you. We will all miss that smiling face. Thanks for keeping us in the loop. We really appreciated it. Keep it up.

We will be back in Tx. on the 26th of March for about 1 month. Hope to see you then.

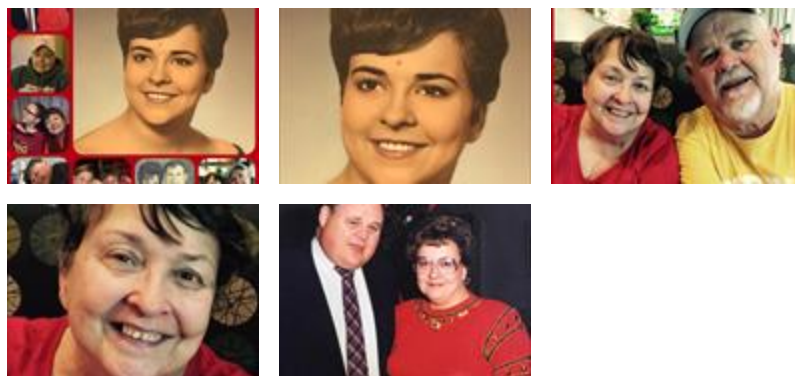
We love you,

Ellen and Phil

ellen mcgraw - February 28, 2017 at 09:33 AM



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Hayhurst Funeral Home - February 27, 2017 at 02:30 PM

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“ *It is our honor and privilege to serve the Thomas family and to provide this permanent memorial website in memory of Betty Thomas.*



Hayhurst Funeral Home - February 27, 2017 at 12:16 PM